



DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT STUDIES  
POLICY

POLICY NAME	SOCIAL MEDIA
RESPONSIBILITY For Development/Review	University Adm Dept.Chair Program Director Academ Director Clinica Director Faculty Media Director Administrativ Secretary
APPROVED BY:	Faculty
DATE CREATED:	4/1/2014
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REVIEWED Annually	2/14/2024
SUPPORTIVE DOCUMENTS	TSU Student Conduct Code <a href="https://www.mercyhurst.edu/handbook">https://www.mercyhurst.edu/handbook</a>
OCCURANCE	Daily Weekly Monthly Quarterly Yearly As Needed
PURPOSE	To define DPAS social media standards and policy

POLICY

Students must maintain ethical and professional standards as applied to the use of social media. Students are expected to protect privacy in accordance with the HIPAA Privacy Rule of patients, preceptors, professors and self at all times and are prohibited from publicly displaying inappropriate, unprofessional communications.

1. Students must maintain patient privacy and confidentiality at all times and 3 (u)2.3

