

## FACULTY OF HEALTH STUDIES

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### **POLICY:**

The Faculty of Health Studies supports a healthy environment. Every effort will be made to limit exposure to strong scents in the environment that cause discomfort or have an impact on the health of individuals. The use of scented and fragrant products is discouraged and may be prohibited if circumstances warrant.

A fragrance is any product that produces a scent strong enough to be perceived by others. This includes but is not limited to: colognes, perfumes, after shave products, lotions, powders, deodorants, hair products, scented candles, incense, cleaning products, other personal products, highly scented flowers, or other.