Assessment System Transition Points for Experiential Education
Graduate Program Candidates

Transition Point 1: Admission to a program of study, candidates undergo a screening process that includes:
- Completed Graduate School application
- A cumulative undergraduate minimum GPA of 2.75 is required for all programs unless otherwise specified by the department
- Assessment of appropriate dispositions

Transition Point 2: To move undergo a clinical experience, candidates must:
- Complete a learning contract
- Successfully complete required preliminary coursework
- Earn a grade of at least a “B” in each course or a GPA of at least 3.0 in all courses
- Earn at least a satisfactory score on the dispositions assessment
- Gain approval of their advisor for the placement experience and/or project idea

Transition Point 3: Candidates must successfully complete their clinical experiences to move to the stage of program completion.
- Assessment by University supervisor and off-campus supervisor
- Earn at least a satisfactory evaluation on the clinical experience
- Earn at least a satisfactory score on the dispositions assessment
- Successfully complete required core assessments
- Meet department requirement of reflection and artifacts

Transition Point 4: All advanced candidates must demonstrate content, professional and pedagogical knowledge and skills included in the field. Program completion assessments require:
- Completion of all coursework with a GPA of at least 3.0
- Successfully complete Capstone project
- Earn at least a satisfactory score on the dispositions assessment
- Complete all degree requirements
- Receive approval of the graduate coordinator for the department