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TO: University Faculty and Academic Staff

FROM: Student Health Service

RE: Medical Excuses

We would like to remind you about the medical excuse policy that was ratified by University Senate in 2004:

Excuses will not be issued by Student Health Services for course related activities. Specifically, Student Health Services will not provide “medical excuses” for missed classes, missed examinations, or the late completion of assignments. Faculty and students should together resolve the dilemmas resulting from an illness or injury based on the student’s own explanation of the problem.

Additional details of this policy are found in **Chapter 7 of the Faculty and Academic Staff Handbook.** (<http://www.uwec.edu/acadaff/policies/handbook/>)

If you have questions about this policy please contact Laura Chellman, Director of Student Health Service. Phone: 836-4311. Email: chellmlg@uwec.edu