(as approved by ARC-PA)			

<sup>\*&</sup>lt;u>Attrition rate calculation</u>: Number of students who attritted from cohort divided by the entering class size

\*\*Graduation rate: Number of cohort graduates divided by the

entering class size

: <u>Entering class size</u> represents newly admitted students plus any decelerated students from the previous cohort. <u>Student attrition</u> occurs when a student enters the Program but does not graduate within that same cohort. Student attrition can result from poor academic performance, medical leave of absence, voluntary withdrawal, deceleration (moved to a later cohort), or dismissal. The WSU PA 3-year mean graduation rate for 2022-2024 (90%) is similar to the national mean graduation rate reported in the 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Report from PAEA (93%). When factoring in students returning to the Program after medical leave of absence or deceleration, the 3-year mean graduation rate is 95%. Noting the recent increase in student attrition for the Class of 2024, the Program is in the process of developing a multifactorial improvement plan.