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Dear Faculty and Staff,

Welcome to the School of Nursing. This handbook is intended to be one resource to help the SoN faculty and staff gain a better understanding of the policies and processes. The policies and procedures contained within this handbook align with the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio tenets, the Handbook of Operating Procedures, and the UT System level Board of Regents’ Rules and Regulation. To avoid duplication, the content of the handbook references links to University and UT system-level documents. Additionally, please be aware the University and UT System policies supersede the SoN policies when discrepancies occur.

The reputation of the SoN has been established by the long legacy of the nurse leaders striving to “make lives better by promoting health as an act of social justice.” We are committed to fostering a culture of inclusion and supporting your career growth and development. With an over 50-year history, faculty and staff work together to ensure student success, community engagement, improve health, and design research with a high impact. Your perspective is valued, and I look forward to working with you.

Respectfully,

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