

## **Weather**

### **Policy**

This policy provides a guideline to nurse anesthesia students on severe weather days.

### **Procedure**

#### **Didactic Phase**

During the didactic phase, the Nurse Anesthesia Program follows the Clarkson College weather related closings. Classes may be rescheduled during the exam blocks built into the didactic schedule.

#### **Clinical Phase**

During the clinical phase, students have patient care responsibilities. Students should follow the clinical site severe weather policies and procedures. Students should never place themselves in danger traveling to or from a clinical site so advanced planning, keeping a close eye on weather predictions, and communication with Clinical Coordinators are essential. All clinical sites provide overnight accommodations to avoid traveling on hazardous roads. Any missed clinical day due to severe weather must be made up or student may use a personal/vacation day.

See Clarkson College Weather-Related School Closing OG-4

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