## **Equity Statement**

The Bryan College of Health Sciences' mission and core values compel us to create a community in which we collaborate with others to form mutually beneficial relationships. Our community is at its best when we all practice inclusion and adaptation. Community engagement begins when individuals explore unique identities and recognize the mix of strengths, biases, privileges, perspectives, and skills they and others bring to the community. Members of the community are also called to apply the concepts of *cultural humility, transparency,* and *social justice* in their interactions. We acknowledge that these concepts can be challenging to practice, but through consistent engagement with one another we will become a more equitable community.