## ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE

## **Transference of Records to the University Archives**

Related Policy: 10.10 – Records Management and Retention Related Policy: 17.3 – University Archives

These procedures have been established to implement UNT Policies 10.10, Records Management and Retention, and 17.3, University Archives. These procedures relate to all records of historical value within the University. All records must be maintained in accordance with University Policy and the appropriate Records Retention Schedule.

The Records Retention Schedule indicates records that have historical value to the university as well as records that should be reviewed by the University Archivist for possible inclusion in the University Archives Collection.

## I. <u>Procedure for Transferring Records to the University Archives</u>

A request to transfer records to the University Archives must be documented on the UNT/UNT System Final Disposition Log/Transfer to Archives Form. The form must be signed by the person requesting the transfer and the administrator responsible for the unit transferring the records.

<b>Responsible Party</b>	Action
Unit requesting transfer of records	<ol> <li>Obtain a copy of the Final Disposition Log/Transfer to Archives Form online at the Records Management Program website (records.unt.edu).</li> </ol>
	2. Complete the FDL form (in accordance with approved record series listed in the appropriate Records Retention Schedule). Submit for approval from the Records Management office.
	3. AFTER notification of approval, contact University Archives at 940-565-2769 to pick up records and FDL form and/or arrange for review.
University Archivist / University	1. Receive and review the <i>Final Disposition Log/Transfer to Archives Form</i> and the associated records for addition to the University Archives Collection.
Archives	2. Approve the addition of records into the University Archives Collection. If records <b>are not</b> added to the archives, University Archives will contact the requesting unit and the Institutional Records Management office to arrange the return of records to the requesting unit for regular records disposition (in accordance with the administrative procedure for final records disposition).
	3. Forwards the <i>Final Disposition Log/Transfer to Archives Form</i> to Institutional Records Management for retention in accordance with the Records Retention Schedule.

Institutional Records	1. Review Final Disposition Log/Transfer to Archives Form for accuracy.
Management / Institutional Compliance	2. Retain the official copy of the UNT/UNT System Final Disposition Log/Transfer to Archives Form in accordance with the Records Retention Schedule.

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