

Request for Graduate Course Change - Page 3

Change in COURSE CREDIT HOURS: YES NO If YES, fill in below:

NOTE: If credit hours increase/decrease, please provide documentation that specifies the adjusted work requirements.

From 1-3 Credit Hours

To 3 Credit Hours. This change to 3 credit hours more accurately reflects the amount of work expected for the practicum proposal and the hours spent completing the practicum.

Change in COURSE CONTENT: YES NO

From The Syllabus for PH 694 states in the Student learning Outcomes:
"Upon completion of the course, students will:
1. Complete a minimum of 160 hours of practical experience in which they demonstrate CEPH / ASPPH MPH competencies."

To "Upon completion of the course, students will:
1. Complete a minimum of 120 hours of practical experience in which they demonstrate CEPH / ASPPH MPH competencies."

Rationale A minimum of 120 hours for the practicum is in alignment with other MPH programs and is a more feasible amount of practicum hours to complete within 1 semester, than the current 160 hours.

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College: Health Professions

Department: Public Health (MPH)

Course Number/Title PH 694/Practicum

1. REQUIRED COURSE: If this course is required by another department(s), identify it/them by name and attach the written notification you sent to them announcing to them the proposed change and any response received. Enter NOT APPLICABLE if not applicable.

Not Applicable

2. COURSE DELETION: List any courses that will be deleted because of this change. A *Course Deletion* form is also required. Enter NOT APPLICABLE if not applicable.

Not Applicable

3. ADDITIONAL RESOURCE REQUIREMENTS: If your department requires additional faculty, equipment, or specialized materials as a result of this change, attach an estimate of the time and cost etc. required to secure these items. (NOTE: approval of this form does not imply approval for additional resources. Enter NOT APPLICABLE if not applicable.

Not Applicable

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Please insert in the text box below your course change summary information for the Graduate Council agenda. Please enter the information exactly in this way (including headings) based on the appropriate change:

COURSE DESCRIPTION CHANGE

Department:

Course Number and Title:

Rationale:

Course Description (old)

Course Description: (new)

Catalog Description:

COURSE NUMBER CHANGE

Department:

Current Course Number/Title:

New Course Number:

Rationale:

Catalog Description:

Credit hours:

COURSE TITLE CHANGE

Department:

Current Course Number/Title:

New Course Title:

Rationale:

Catalog Description:

COURSE DESCRIPTION CHANGE

Department: Public Health

Course Number and Title: PH 694 Practicum

Rationale: for Change in practicum hours

A minimum of 120 hours for the practicum is in alignment with other MPH programs and is a more feasible amount of practicum hours to complete within 1 semester, than the current 160 hours.

Rationale: for Change in credit hours

This change to 3 credit hours more accurately reflects the amount of work expected for the practicum proposal and the hours spent completing the practicum.

Course Description (old) 1-3 credit hours and in syllabus: "Upon completion of the course, students will:

1. Complete a minimum of 160 hours of practical experience in which they demonstrate CEPH / ASPPH MPH competencies."

Description: (new) 3 credit hours and in syllabus: "Upon completion of the course, students will:

1. Complete a minimum of 160 hours of practical experience in which they demonstrate CEPH / ASPPH MPH competencies."

Catalog Description: 694 Practicum. 3 hrs.

Applied public health experience conducted under guidance of a faculty advisor and site preceptor, including a specific set of proposed project and learning objectives, and utilizing a community partner. (PR: PH 611, 621, 641, 686, and 693)