Chair: Tracy Christofero

GC#7: Course Change

## **Request for Graduate Course Change**

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- 2. E-mail one identical PDF copy to the Graduate Council Chair. If attachments included, please merge into a single file.
- 3. The Graduate Council cannot process this application until it has received both the PDF copy and the signed hard copy.

| College: COHP   | Dept/Division: Physical Therapy   | Current Alpha Designator/Number: PT 751  |
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| Contact Person: Penny   | Kroll, PT, PhD  | Phone: 304-606-5614  |
| CURRENT COURSE DA   | TA:   |  |
| Course Title: Profession  | nal Practice I  |  |
| Alpha Designator/Num  | ber: P T 7 5 1  |  |
| Title Abbreviation: P   | r o f P r a c t i c e   |  |
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| Signatures: if disapprove   | ed at any level, do not sign. Return to prev  | rious signer with recommendation attached.   |
| Dept. Chair/Division Hea  | ad Temil holl   | Date 3/23/15   |

College Curriculum Chair

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Date

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| 1. Complete this <b>five</b> page form in its entirety and route through the departments/committees course title, alpha designator, course number, course content, credit hours, or catalog descrip 2. If this change will affect other departments that require this course, please send a memo to this packet, as well as the response received from the affected department.  3. If the changes made to this course will make the course similar in title or content to another the affected department and include it with this packet as well as the response received from 4. List courses, if any, that will be deleted because of this change ( <i>must submit course deletion for</i> 5. If the faculty requirements and/or equipment need to be changed upon approval of this proneeds. | tion.  the affected department and include it with r department's courses, please send a memo to the affected department. rm). |
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| Dept. Chair/Division Head Ilm/ Llud   | Date 3/23/15   |
| Registrar Hohesta Jugusa  | Date 3/3/15  |
| College Curriculum Chair  | Date   |
| Graduate Council Chair  | Date   |

College: COHP

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| College: COHP Department/Division: School of Physical Therapy Alpha Designator/Number: PT 751   |
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| Provide complete information regarding the course change for each topic listed below.   |
| Change in CATALOG TITLE: YES NO   |
| From ProfPractice I (limited to 30 characters and spaces)   |
| To Legal & Ethical IIssues in PT  |
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| Change in COURSE ALPHA DESIGNATOR:  |
| From: To YES NO   |
| If Yes, Rationale   |
| Change in COURSE NUMBER: YES NO   |
| From: To:   |
| If Yes, Rationale   |
| Change in COURSE GRADING  |
| From Grade To Credit/No Credit  |
| Rationale NOT APPLICABLE  |
| Change in CATALOG DESCRIPTION: YES NO IF YES, fill in below:  |
| From  |
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| То  |
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| If Yes<br>Rationale   |
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| Change in COURSE CREDIT HOURS: XES NO If YES, fill in below:   |  |  |  |  |
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| NOTE: If credit hours increase/decrease, please provide documentation that specifies the adjusted work requirements. |  |  |  |  |
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| Change in COURSE CONTENT: YES NO (May attach separate page if needed)  |  |  |  |  |
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# **Request for Graduate Course Change-Page 4**

| College: COHP  | Department: Physical Therapy  | _   |
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| Course Number/Title PT 751 Prof  | essional Practice I   |     |
| 1. REQUIRED COURSE: If this co<br>notification you sent to them a<br>applicable. | ourse is required by another department(s), identify it/them by name and attach the written nouncing to them the proposed change and any response received. Enter NOT APPLICABLE if not   |     |
| NOT APPLICABLE   |   |     |
| 2. COURSE DELETION: List any c<br>NOT APPLICABLE if not applical                 | courses that will be deleted because of this change. A <i>Course Deletion</i> form is also required. Enter ble.   |     |
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| of this change, attach an estima   | UIREMENTS: If your department requires additional faculty, equipment, or specialized materials as a res<br>ate of the time and cost etc. required to secure these items. (NOTE: approval of this form does not imply<br>es. Enter NOT APPLICABLE if not applicable. | ult |
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### Request for Graduate Course Change - Page 5

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:

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New Course Number:

Rationale:

Catalog Description:

Credit hours:

**COURSE TITLE CHANGE** 

Department:

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Department: School of Physical Therapy

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| Days/Time              | Tuesdays 10-12 (unless otherwise indicated) (Contact Hrs: Lecture 28)   |
| Location               | SOPT SMEC Room 113  |
| Instructor             | Dr. Rania Karim, PT, DPT, GCS   |
| Office                 | SOPT Room 146   |
| Phone                  | 304-696-5604  |
| E-Mail                 | Karimr@marshall.edu   |
| Office/Hours           | Tuesdays/Thursdays 11-12  |
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| Lecture          | Exam question   |
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| Small group      |   |
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#### **Grading Policy**

| Individual Assignments (1 @ 10% each)      | 20%  | Grading Scale: |                 |
|--|------|----------------|-----------------|
| Group Projects (2 @ 10% each, 3 @ 5% each) | 35%  | 90.0% - 100.0% | A               |
| Mid-term Comprehensive Examination         | 2%   | 80.0% - 89.9%  | В               |
| Final Comprehensive Examination            | 25%  | 70.0% - 79.9%  | C               |
| Total                                      | 100% | Below 70.0%    | F (non-passing) |

#### **Attendance Policy**

[Please see the School of Physical Therapy Student Handbook for details].

#### **Computer Requirements**

Students must have access to internet for research of evidence, and Blackboard to access course documents, notes, and other materials and for examination.

Assignment 1: Due Thursday September 12<sup>th</sup>. Submit documentation based on a case provided in class (5%)

Group Project 1: Due TBD. Submit documentation based on the patient you saw in the clinic (5%)

**Group Project 2:** Due Tuesday September 24<sup>th</sup>. Work through an ethical scenario using the RIPS model. Submit your findings in the form of a formal paper. (10%)

**Group Projects 3 and 4:** Due Thursday November 14<sup>th</sup>. Assignment will be described in class. (10% and 5% respectively)

**Group Projects 5 and 6:** Due October 1<sup>st</sup> and November 26<sup>th</sup>. Assignment will be described in class (2.5% each)

Course Outline/Schedule: The following topics will be covered.

| Week | Content  | Required Prior to Class                                |
|------|--|--|
| 1    | Medical Record                                     | <b>K:</b> 187-191                                      |
|      | Documentation                                      | J of PT: Interviewing in PT                            |
| 2    | Documentation                                      | K:187-191  |
|      | Documentation: Legal Aspects                       | APTA:  |
| 3    | Professionalism and Ethics;                        | P: Ch 1 (Intro-Ethical Relativism)                     |
|      | Principles of Biomedical Ethics                    | Ch 1 (Principles of ethics –in search of               |
|      |  | economic justice –end of ch 1)                         |
|      |  | D: Ch. 4   |
| 4    | Identifying and Resolving Moral                    | APTA: Swisher LL, Arslanian LE, Davis CM.              |
|      | Dilemmas   | The realm-individual process-situation (RIPS)          |
|      | Case Discussion                                    | model of ethical decision-making                       |
|      |  | Assignment 1 Due                                       |
| 5    | Communicating with Cultural                        | <b>D:</b> Ch. 10                                       |
|      | Sensitivity  |  |
| 6    | Professional Portfolio Communicating with Cultural |  |
| O    | Sensitivity  |  |
|      |  |  |
| 7    | Mid-Term Exams                                     |  |
| 8    | Fa   | all Break  |
| 9    | Spirituality in Patient Care                       | D: Ch 12   |
|      | Health Behavior and Effective Patient              | <b>D:</b> Chs. 13 and 14                               |
|      | Education  |  |
|      | Communicating with Persons who                     |  |
| 10   | Have Disabilities                                  | D: Ch. 15  |
| 10   | Communicating with Persons who Have Disabilities   | Patient Care Skills: Ch.10                             |
|      | ADA Guidelines                                     | i diletti Care Skiiis. Cii.10                          |
|      | Sexuality and Disability: Effective                |  |
|      | Communication                                      |  |
|      | Patient Rights and Responsibilities                | Research, experimentation, and clinical trials-        |
|      |  | Nursing facilities)                                    |
|      |  | P: pp 441- 462 (Ch 14)                                 |
| 12   | Supervision and Delegation of Task                 | APTA: 1) Guide pg 42, 2) levels of supervision,        |
|      |  | 3) student PT provision of service, 4)                 |
|      |  | provision of PT interventions and related              |
|      |  | tasks, <b>5)</b> direction and supervision of the PTA, |
|      |  | 6) supervision of the student PTA 7)                   |
|      |  | Implementing MDS 3.0: Use of therapy                   |

|    | Patient Abuse/ Health Care Disparity Development of Law                   | students, 8) use of students under Medicare Part B, 9) supervision under Medicare chart, 10) use of PTA under Medicare, 11) use of PT aides under Medicare 12) WV Board of PT law 16-1-8 'supervision of PT  P: pp 423-438 (Ch 13) P: pp 179-190 (Ch 5) |
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| 13 | Introduction to Law/Risk Management<br>Supervision and Delegation of Task | <b>P</b> : pp 193-231 (Ch 6)  |
| 14 | Organizational Ethics and the Law:<br>Conflicts of Interest               | P: pp 267-272 (Ch 8 Accreditation of hospitals and conflicts of interest-Truthfulness in advertising), 288-306 (Ch 8 Avoiding conflict of interest-end of chapter)  |
| 15 | Promoting ethics/making a claim   |   |
| 16 | Exam Week   |   |

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| 15. | Identify the appropriate legislative body to make changes      | Lecture          | Exam question |
|-----|--|------------------|---------------|
|     | in various health care and physical therapy-related laws       | Small group      |               |
|     | and regulations.   | discussions      |               |
| 16. | Discuss the legal requirements and regulations for             | Lecture          | Exam question |
|     | delegating tasks of physical therapy practice and patient      | Small group      | Assignment    |
|     | care to other professional personnel in physical therapy       | discussions      |               |
|     | (ie. the Physical Therapist Assistant and technicians/aides).  | Experiential lab |               |
| 17. | Discuss all aspects that exist in the management of student    | Lecture          | Exam question |
|     | physical therapists in the clinical setting from the aspect of | Small group      | Assignment    |
|     | educating, supervising and evaluating.                         | discussions      |               |
|     |  | Experiential lab |               |
| 18. | Identify the components that place the physical therapist      | Lecture          | Exam question |
|     | at risk for a lawsuit or legal action as well as those that    | Small group      |               |
|     | increase risk of fraud and abuse in various practice           | discussions      |               |
|     | settings.  | Experiential lab |               |
| 19. | Define negligence and discuss the implications of              | Lecture          | Exam question |
|     | negligence and how it correlates with malpractice.             | Small group      | 2             |
|     |  | discussions      |               |
| 20. | Determine the factors to consider when purchasing              | Lecture          | Exam Question |
|     | professional liability insurance. as well as discuss a plan of | Small group      |               |
|     | action to resolve a potential breech of professional           | discussions      |               |
|     | standards.   |                  |               |
| 21. | Discuss the influence of medico-legal issues and               | Lecture          | Exam question |
|     | regulations on client outcomes.                                | Small group      |               |
|     |  | discussions      |               |
|     |  | Experiential lab |               |
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| Individual Assignments (1 @ 10% each)      | 20%  | Grading Scale: |                 |
|--|------|----------------|-----------------|
| Group Projects (2 @ 10% each, 3 @ 5% each) | 35%  | 90.0% - 100.0% | A               |
| Mid-term Comprehensive Examination         | 2%   | 80.0% - 89.9%  | В               |
| Final Comprehensive Examination            | 25%  | 70.0% - 79.9%  | C               |
| Total                                      | 100% | Below 70.0%    | F (non-passing) |

#### **Attendance Policy**

[Please see the School of Physical Therapy Student Handbook for details].

#### **Computer Requirements**

Students must have access to internet for research of evidence, and Blackboard to access course documents, notes, and other materials and for examination.

Assignment 1: Due Thursday September 12<sup>th</sup>. Submit documentation based on a case provided in class (5%)

Group Project 1: Due TBD. Submit documentation based on the patient you saw in the clinic (5%)

**Group Project 2:** Due Tuesday September 24<sup>th</sup>. Work through an ethical scenario using the RIPS model. Submit your findings in the form of a formal paper. (10%)

**Group Projects 3 and 4:** Due Thursday November 14<sup>th</sup>. Assignment will be described in class. (10% and 5% respectively)

**Group Projects 5 and 6:** Due October 1<sup>st</sup> and November 26<sup>th</sup>. Assignment will be described in class (2.5% each)

Course Outline/Schedule: The following topics will be covered.

| Week | Content   | Required Prior to Class                                |
|------|---|--|
| 1    | Medical Record  | K: 187-191   |
|      | Documentation   | J of PT: Interviewing in PT                            |
| 2    | Documentation   | K:187-191  |
|      | Documentation: Legal Aspects                          | APTA:  |
| 3    | Professionalism and Ethics;                           | P: Ch 1 (Intro-Ethical Relativism)                     |
|      | Principles of Biomedical Ethics                       | Ch 1 (Principles of ethics –in search of               |
|      |   | economic justice –end of ch 1)                         |
|      |   | D: Ch. 4   |
| 4    | Identifying and Resolving Moral                       | APTA: Swisher LL, Arslanian LE, Davis CM.              |
|      | Dilemmas  | The realm-individual process-situation (RIPS)          |
|      | Case Discussion                                       | model of ethical decision-making                       |
|      |   | Assignment 1 Due                                       |
| 5    | Communicating with Cultural                           | <b>D:</b> Ch. 10                                       |
|      | Sensitivity   |  |
|      | Professional Portfolio                                |  |
| 6    | Communicating with Cultural Sensitivity               |  |
|      |   |  |
| 7    | Mid-Term Exams  |  |
| 8    | Fall Break  |  |
| 9    | Spirituality in Patient Care                          | <b>D:</b> Ch 12  |
|      | Health Behavior and Effective Patient                 | <b>D:</b> Chs. 13 and 14                               |
|      | Education   |  |
|      | Communicating with Persons who                        |  |
|      | Have Disabilities                                     |  |
| 10   | Communicating with Persons who                        | D: Ch. 15  |
|      | Have Disabilities                                     | Patient Care Skills: Ch.10                             |
|      | ADA Guidelines<br>Sexuality and Disability: Effective |  |
|      | Communication   |  |
|      | Patient Rights and Responsibilities                   | Research, experimentation, and clinical trials-        |
|      |   | Nursing facilities)                                    |
|      |   | P: pp 441- 462 (Ch 14)                                 |
| 12   | Supervision and Delegation of Task                    | APTA: 1) Guide pg 42, 2) levels of supervision,        |
|      |   | 3) student PT provision of service, 4)                 |
|      |   | provision of PT interventions and related              |
|      |   | tasks, <b>5)</b> direction and supervision of the PTA, |
|      |   | 6) supervision of the student PTA 7)                   |
|      |   | Implementing MDS 3.0: Use of therapy                   |

|    | Patient Abuse/ Health Care Disparity Development of Law                   | students, 8) use of students under Medicare Part B, 9) supervision under Medicare chart, 10) use of PTA under Medicare, 11) use of PT aides under Medicare 12) WV Board of PT law 16-1-8 'supervision of PT  P: pp 423-438 (Ch 13) P: pp 179-190 (Ch 5) |
|----|---|---|
| 13 | Introduction to Law/Risk Management<br>Supervision and Delegation of Task | <b>P</b> : pp 193-231 (Ch 6)  |
| 14 | Organizational Ethics and the Law:<br>Conflicts of Interest               | P: pp 267-272 (Ch 8 Accreditation of hospitals and conflicts of interest-Truthfulness in advertising), 288-306 (Ch 8 Avoiding conflict of interest-end of chapter)  |
| 15 | Promoting ethics/making a claim   |   |
| 16 | Exam Week   |   |