

SECTION V: Proposed Changes to an Existing Program or Program Policies

Insert here a statement of the exact changes to be made: **Adding a curriculum vitae and a 500 word interest statement as an admission requirement. Changing the GRE score to the new scoring system.**

Check if either of these boxes apply and provide the necessary signature:

- Program change proposal adds courses offered by another academic college, and that college dean's office has been notified. The signature of the dean of that academic college is required here: _____
- Program change proposal deletes courses offered by another academic college, and that college dean's office has been notified. The signature of the dean of that academic college is required here: _____

Check all the boxes that apply and complete the required sections of the form:

- Change of Name and Code (Complete only sections I, II, V and VII.)
- Change Course Requirements: (Complete all sections of the form except "Proposed Name" in II, section III, and section IV.)
- Change Delivery Site/Method (Complete all sections of the form except "Proposed Name" in II, section III, and section IV.)
- Change Total Hours (Complete all sections of the form except "Proposed Name" in II, section III, and section IV.)
- Change in Program Policies

SECTION VI: Justification

Justify this change and state its likely effect on any other degree program (including those outside the school or college). Identify any program or program components (other than courses) to be eliminated if this program is implemented. (Program and course change forms must also be submitted for such related changes.)

CHLP faculty believe that it is necessary for students to provide more information prior to admission decisions being made for the CHLPMS program of study. Changing to the new GRE scoring system is necessary to conduct appropriate business and admission of students.

SECTION VII: Catalog Text and Format

In the box below, insert the current catalog text which is to be changed, with changes highlighted with the color yellow. Include all proposed changes identified in Section V. Only changes explicitly stated in Section V will be considered for approval by the University Course and Programs Committee, the Graduate Council and the Faculty Senate. If you are proposing a new program, give proposed text with all of the elements listed below. If you are proposing modified text, include these elements as appropriate.

Include the following elements, in order, in the catalog text for proposed undergraduate program(s) or program changes:

- State complete major/program name
- Briefly define or describe the major/program or discipline.
- Identify typical career goals or paths for graduates. (Optional)
- State admission requirements (if any) for entry or entry into upper/advanced level of major/program.
- Identify location in catalog of university, college/school, and department/program requirements which the student must meet in addition to hours in the major, but do not restate these requirements.
- State course requirements in the major and any allied areas, giving number of hours and specific courses; specify electives or elective areas and give numbers of hours and courses in elective pools or categories; identify any other course requirements.
- State any other requirements (required GPA, internship, exit exam, project, thesis, etc.).
- Identify name and requirements for each concentration (if any).
- Specify whether a minor or other program component is allowed or required and provide details.
- State eight-semester plan requirements

For minors, state requirements in terms of hours, required courses, electives, etc.

For graduate program/units, include elements (as needed) parallel to those listed for undergraduate programs above.

For Law School program/units, prepare text consistent with current catalog style.

For centers, prepare text consistent with current catalog style.

2013-2014 Catalog of Studies:

The Community Health Promotion program prepares students in the area of Community Health (M.S.). The Ph.D. program prepares students with the competencies necessary to perform teaching and research duties both

in private and public sectors including university settings. The minimum number of credit hours required to complete the master's degree is 33 and 60 hours are required to complete the Ph.D.

Prerequisites to M.S. Degree Program: For acceptance to the master's degree programs, the program area requires in addition to the general requirements for admission to the Graduate School, an undergraduate degree in health or in a related field and the following admission standards: an overall undergraduate GPA of 3.00 (or if the overall undergraduate GPA is between 2.70 and 2.99, the student must have a 3.00 GPA on the last 60 hours of undergraduate course work, excluding student teaching, or a GRE score of 1000 on the combined verbal and quantitative parts of the general test).

M.S. Community Health Promotion Degree Program (33 hours)

Required Research Component

ESRM 5393	Statistics in Education and Health Professions (Sp, Su, Fa)	3
or ESRM 6403	Educational Statistics and Data Processing (Sp, Su, Fa)	
HHPR 5353	Research in Health, Human Performance and Recreation (Sp, Su, Fa)	3

Required Courses

CHLP 4613	Principles of Epidemiology (Fa)	3
CHLP 5533	Models and Theories of Health Behavior (Fa)	3
CHLP 5563	Public Health: Practices and Planning (Sp)	3
CHLP 5573	Principles of Health Education (Fa)	3

Required Project or Master's Thesis

(3 hours for Independent Research Project; 6 hours for Master's Thesis) 3-6

[CHLP 589V](#) Independent Research (Sp, Su, Fa)

or [CHLP 600V](#) Master's Thesis (Sp, Su, Fa)

Approved Electives

9-12

Total Hours

33

Proposed 2014-2015 Catalog of Study:

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Prerequisites to M.S. Degree Program: For acceptance to the master's degree programs, the program area requires in addition to the general requirements for admission to the Graduate School, an undergraduate degree in health or in a related field and the following admission standards: an overall undergraduate GPA of 3.00 (or if the overall undergraduate GPA is between 2.70 and 2.99, the student must have a 3.00 GPA on the last 60 hours of undergraduate course work, excluding student teaching, or a GRE score of ~~1000~~ 297 on the combined verbal and quantitative parts of the general test). Further, a curriculum vitae and 500 word interest statement needs to be submitted for program admission consideration.

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or CHLP 600V Master's Thesis (Sp, Su, Fa)	
Approved Electives	9-12
Total Hours	33

SECTION VIII: Action Recorded by Registrar's Office

PROGRAM INVENTORY/DARS

PGRM _____ SUBJ _____ CIP _____ CRTS _____

DGRE _____ PGCT _____ OFFC&CRTY VALID _____

REPORTING CODES

PROG. DEF. _____ REQ. DEF. _____
Initials _____ Date _____

Distribution

Notification to:

- (1) College (2) Department (3) Admissions (4) Institutional Research (5) Continuing Education (6) Graduate School
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