

UMBC UGC Program Change Request: Health Administration and Policy Program, Department of Sociology & Anthropology -

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SPECIFICS:

- 1) In connection with our request to change HAPP 412's course number to HAPP 300 we are requesting that the course requirements for the major be revised to include HAPP 412 or HAPP 300. For the recently approved major plan that begins Spring 2017, the revised core requirements are as follows (table 1):

Table 1: Comparison Table of Proposed Changes to the HAPP major plan initiating Spring 2017:

CURRENT REQUIREMENTS; Students must earn a grade of a "C" or better in all core, track, and elective courses that count towards the major. <i>Core Credits: 28</i>	PROPOSED REQUIREMENTS; Students must earn a grade of a "C" or better in all core, track, and elective courses that count towards the major. <i>Core Credits:28</i>
HAPP 100: Survey of the US Health Care System	HAPP 100: Survey of the US Health Care System
HAPP 200: Human Development, Implications for Health and Disease	HAPP 200: Human Development, Implications for Health and Disease
HAPP 340: Health Communications OR ENGL 393 Technical Communications	HAPP 340: Health Communications OR ENGL 393 Technical Communications
HAPP 350 Public Health Ethics OR MGMT 385 Business Ethics & Society	HAPP 350 Public Health Ethics OR MGMT 385 Business Ethics & Society
HAPP 412: Research Methods in Health	HAPP 412: Research Methods in Health OR HAPP 300 Research Methods in Health
HAPP/SOCY 452: Health Care Org & Delivery	HAPP/SOCY 452: Health Care Org & Delivery
HAPP 470: Internship	HAPP 470: Internship
PRAC 098	PRAC 098
STAT 121 or STAT 350 or STAT 351 or SOCY 301	STAT 121 or STAT 350 or STAT 351 or SOCY 301

Current tracks & electives (starting Spring 17)

Proposed: no change for tracks & electives

<p>TRACK 1, HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION REQUIREMENTS <i>Credits: 12</i></p>	<p>TRACK 1, HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION REQUIREMENTS <i>Credits: 12</i></p>
<p>HAPP 497: Health Planning and Administration HAPP 498: Financial Management and Decision Support for Health Service Organizations ECON 121: Principles of Accounting 1 MGMT 210: The Practice of Management</p>	<p>HAPP 497: Health Planning and Administration HAPP 498: Financial Management and Decision Support for Health Service Organizations ECON 121: Principles of Accounting 1 MGMT 210: The Practice of Management</p>

<p>TRACK 2, HEALTH POLICY REQUIREMENTS <i>Credits: 12</i></p>	<p>TRACK 2, HEALTH POLICY REQUIREMENTS <i>Credits: 12</i></p>
<p>HAPP 411: Health Care Regulation and Quality Improvement ECON 101: Principles of Microeconomics POLI 250: Introduction to Public Administration POLI 353: Governmental Budgeting and Financial Management</p>	<p>HAPP 411: Health Care Regulation and Quality Improvement ECON 101: Principles of Microeconomics POLI 250: Introduction to Public Administration POLI 353: Governmental Budgeting and Financial Management</p>
<p>TRACK 3, PUBLIC HEALTH REQUIREMENTS <i>Credits: 12</i></p>	<p>TRACK 3, PUBLIC HEALTH REQUIREMENTS <i>Credits: 12</i></p>
<p>HAPP/SOCY 354: Social Basis of Community and Public Health HAPP 380: Global Issues in Health and Disease HAPP 411: Health Care Regulation and Quality Improvement HAPP 420: Epidemiology</p>	<p>HAPP/SOCY 354: Social Basis of Community and Public Health HAPP 380: Global Issues in Health and Disease HAPP 411: Health Care Regulation and Quality Improvement HAPP 420: Epidemiology</p>
<p>Elective Requirement <i>Credits: 9 credits (6 credits must be upper level courses)</i></p>	<p>Elective Requirement <i>Credits: 9 credits (6 credits must be upper level courses)</i></p>
<p>Students must choose 6 out of 9 elective credits from upper level courses (300 and above). Any HAPP upper level courses not used for track requirements may be taken as an elective. In addition to HAPP courses, students may take the following as electives if the course is not included in the track requirements:</p> <p>AFST/HAPP 390: American Health Care System and the Black Community AGNG 200: Aging, People, Policy, and Management BIOL 251 Human Anatomy and Physiology 1</p>	<p>Students must choose 6 out of 9 elective credits from upper level courses (300 and above). Any HAPP upper level courses not used for track requirements may be taken as an elective. Note: students who have taken HAPP 412 to fulfill the core requirement CANNOT take HAPP 300 as an elective (and vice versa).</p> <p>In addition to HAPP courses, students may take the following as electives if the course is not included in the track requirements:</p>

<p>ECON 101 Principles of Microeconomics ECON 121: Principles of Accounting I ECON 122 Principles of Accounting II ECON 467: Health Economics EHS 115: Medical Terminology EHS 200: Concepts of Emergency Health Services EHS 311: Stress, Burnout Emergency Protocol GES/HAPP 329: Geography of Disease and Health GES 429: Seminar in Geography of Disease and Health IS 300: Management Information Systems IS 460: Health Care Informatics I IS 461: Health Care Informatics II PHIL/HAPP 358: Bioethics PSYC 385: Health Psychology SOCY/ANTH courses: HAPP students may count up to 6 credits of upper level SOCY/ANTH courses as HAPP electives SOWK 372: Social Work and Health Care</p>	<p>AFST/HAPP 390: American Health Care System and the Black Community AGNG 200: Aging, People, Policy, and Management BIOL 251 Human Anatomy and Physiology 1 ECON 101 Principles of Microeconomics ECON 121: Principles of Accounting I ECON 122 Principles of Accounting II ECON 467: Health Economics EHS 115: Medical Terminology EHS 200: Concepts of Emergency Health Services EHS 311: Stress, Burnout Emergency Protocol GES/HAPP 329: Geography of Disease and Health GES 429: Seminar in Geography of Disease and Health IS 300: Management Information Systems IS 460: Health Care Informatics I IS 461: Health Care Informatics II PHIL/HAPP 358: Bioethics PSYC 385: Health Psychology SOCY/ANTH courses: HAPP students may count up to 6 credits of upper level SOCY/ANTH courses as HAPP electives SOWK 372: Social Work and Health Care</p>
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- 2) In addition, to accommodate students who are grandfathered into the existing plan, we request that these students be able to take either HAPP 412 or HAPP 300 to fulfill the HAPP 412 requirement for the Health Policy and Public Health tracks (Table 2: comparison table of proposed change to existing major is below the rationale section).

Rationale for Change:

With the approval of the HAPP program changes earlier this semester the UGC requested that HAPP consider rationalizing the course number for HAPP 412, as it is a pre-req for other 400 level courses. In connection with this change we also need to modify the core courses for HAPP such that students may fulfill the research methods requirement with HAPP 412 OR HAPP 300.

In order to accommodate students who have taken HAPP 412 in the new degree plan, we are seeking to change the new major requirements effective Spring 2017 to incorporate HAPP 412 OR HAPP 300.

In addition, to allow us to implement the new course number and accommodate students grandfathered in the existing plan, we are requesting that HAPP 300 also be included in the existing plan as an alternative for HAPP 412. HAPP 412 currently is required in the Health Policy and Public Health tracks. The requirement for these students would now be HAPP 412 OR HAPP 300. HAPP 412 is an elective for the Health Services Administration track. The elective option

would now be (HAPP 412 OR HAPP 300).

We will offer HAPP 412 this fall (two sections) and plan to begin offering the course as HAPP 300 in Spring 2017. No change to the number of credits is being requested.

Table 2: Comparison table of proposed change to current HAPP major

Proposed curriculum changes for *current* HAPP major (to allow existing majors to take the renumbered HAPP 412 as HAPP 300)

<p>CURRENT CORE REQUIREMENTS; Students must earn a grade of a “C” or better in all core, track, and elective courses that count towards the major. <i>Credits: 25</i></p>	<p>PROPOSED CORE REQUIREMENTS; Students must earn a grade of a “C” or better in all core, track, and elective courses that count towards the major. (no change) <i>Credits:25</i></p>
<p>HAPP 100: Survey of the US Health Care System HAPP/SOCY 452: Health Care Org & Deliv. [(HAPP 495: Internship & HAPP 496: Internship Seminar) OR (HAPP 470: Internship & PRAC 098)] ENGL393: Technical Communication STAT121 or STAT 350 or STAT 351 or SOCY 301 IS 101: Introduction to Computer Based System IS 295: Interm. Business Application</p>	<p>HAPP 100: Survey of the US Health Care System HAPP/SOCY 452: Health Care Org & Deliv. [(HAPP 495: Internship & HAPP 496: Internship Seminar) OR (HAPP 470: Internship & PRAC 098)] ENGL393: Technical Communication STAT121 or STAT 350 or STAT 351 or SOCY 301 IS 101: Introduction to Computer Based System IS 295: Interm. Business Application</p>
<p>CURRENT TRACK 1, HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION REQUIRMENTS <i>Credits: 24</i></p>	<p>PROPOSED TRACK 1, HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION REQUIRMENTS (no change) <i>Credits: 24</i></p>
<p>HAPP 200: Human Development, Implications for Health and Disease HAPP 497: Health Planning and Administration HAPP 498: Financial Management and Decision Support for Health Service Organizations ECON 101: Principles of Microeconomics ECON 121: Principles of Accounting 1 ECON 122: Principles of Accounting II MGMT 210: The Practice of Management ECON 467: Health Economics</p>	<p>HAPP 200: Human Development, Implications for Health and Disease HAPP 497: Health Planning and Administration HAPP 498: Financial Management and Decision Support for Health Service Organizations ECON 101: Principles of Microeconomics ECON 121: Principles of Accounting 1 ECON 122: Principles of Accounting II MGMT 210: The Practice of Management ECON 467: Health Economics</p>
<p>CURRENT TRACK 2, HEALTH POLICY REQUIRMENTS <i>Credits: 21</i></p>	<p>PROPOSED TRACK 2, HEALTH POLICY REQUIRMENTS <i>Credits: 21</i></p>

<p>HAPP 200: Human Development, Implications for Health and Disease HAPP 411: Health Care Regulation and Quality Improvement HAPP 412: Research Methods in Health HAPP 420: Epidemiology ECON 121: Principles of Accounting POLI 250: Introduction to Public Administration POLI 353: Governmental Budgeting and Financial Management</p>	<p>HAPP 200: Human Development, Implications for Health and Disease HAPP 411: Health Care Regulation and Quality Improvement (HAPP 412: Research Methods in Health OR HAPP 300 Research Methods in Health) HAPP 420: Epidemiology ECON 121: Principles of Accounting POLI 250: Introduction to Public Administration POLI 353: Governmental Budgeting and Financial Management</p>
<p>CURRENT TRACK 3, PUBLIC HEALTH REQUIRMENTS <i>Credits: 23</i></p>	<p>PROPOSED TRACK 3, PUBLIC HEALTH REQUIRMENTS <i>Credits: 23</i></p>
<p>HAPP/SOCY 354: Social Basis of Community and Public Health HAPP 380: Global Issues in Health and Disease HAPP 411: Health Care Regulation HAPP 412: Research Methods in Health HAPP 420: Epidemiology Natural Science (from list of approved courses- see list under electives)* Natural Science (from list of approved courses- see list under electives)*</p>	<p>HAPP/SOCY 354: Social Basis of Community and Public Health HAPP 380: Global Issues in Health and Disease HAPP 411: Health Care Regulation (HAPP 412: Research Methods in Health OR HAPP 300 Research Methods in Health) HAPP 420: Epidemiology Natural Science (from list of approved courses- see list under electives)* Natural Science (from list of approved courses- see list under electives)*</p>
<p>Current Elective Requirements <i>Credits:</i> Track 1 (Health Serv. Admn.): 9 credits (3 courses) Track 2 (Health Policy): 12 credits (4 courses) Track 3 (Public Health: 12-14 credits (4 courses)*</p>	<p>Proposed Elective Requirement <i>Credits:</i> Track 1 (Health Serv. Admn.): 9 credits (3 courses) Track 2 (Health Policy): 12 credits (4 courses) Track 3 (Public Health: 12-14 credits (4 courses)* Note: students who have taken HAPP 412 to fulfill a track requirement CANNOT take HAPP 300 as an elective (and vice versa)</p>
<p>HAPP 380: Global Issues in Health and Disease HAPP 398: Selected Topics in Health Administration and Policy HAPP 401: Occupational Health Policy and Practice HAPP 402: Environmental Health Policy and Practice</p>	<p>HAPP 380: Global Issues in Health and Disease HAPP 398: Selected Topics in Health Administration and Policy HAPP 401: Occupational Health Policy and Practice HAPP 402: Environmental Health Policy and Practice HAPP/SOCY 403: Introduction to International Field Research HAPP 405: Contemporary Issues in Long-term Care</p>

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Total credits: 58-62

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