

UMBC UGC Program Changes & Other Request: Health Administration and Policy Program and Social Work Double Major

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Specifics (see instructions):

CURRENT HAPP/SOWK DOUBLE MAJOR CORE COURSE REQUIREMENTS: Students must earn a grade of "C" or better in all HAPP, SOWK and elective courses that count towards the double major.	PROPOSED HAPP/SOWK DOUBLE MAJOR CORE COURSE REQUIREMENTS: Students must earn a grade of "C" or better in all HAPP, SOWK and elective courses that count towards the double major.
<p>HAPP 100: Survey of the US Healthcare System HAPP 200: Human Dev., Implications for Health and Disease HAPP/SOCY 452: Healthcare Organization & Delivery HAPP 495: Internship (REMOVE) HAPP 496: Internship Seminar (REMOVE) HAPP 497: Health Planning and Administration (REMOVE) STAT 121 OR SOCY 301 ENGL 391 OR 393 (REMOVE ENGL391) IS 101: Intr. to Computer-Based Systems (REMOVE) IS 295 :Intermediate Business Applications (REMOVE) ECAD 210: The Practice of Management (REMOVE) SOCY 300: Social Research Methods (REMOVE) SOCY 354: Social Basis of Community & Public Health (REMOVE)</p>	<p>HAPP 100: Survey of the US Healthcare System HAPP 200: Human Dev., Implications for Health and Disease HAPP 340: Health Communication (ADD) OR ENGL 393: Technical Communications HAPP 350: Public Health Ethics (ADD) OR MGMT 385: Business Ethics & Society (ADD) HAPP 412 Research Methods in Health (ADD) OR HAPP 300: Research Methods in Health (ADD) HAPP/SOCY 452: Healthcare Organization & Delivery STAT 121 OR STAT 350 (ADD) OR STAT 351 (ADD) OR SOCY 301</p>

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<p>SOWK 240 Information Technology in Social Work (REMOVE) SOWK 260 Introduction to Social Welfare, Social Policy & Social Work I SOWK 360 Social Welfare, Social Policy & Social Work II SOWK 388 Human Behavior and Social Environment SOWK 389 Human Behavior II SOWK 397 Social Work Methods: Introduction to Practice SOWK 470 Social Work Research* (REMOVE) SOWK 480 Field Instruction I SOWK 481 Social Work Methods: A Generalist Approach to Practice SOWK 482 Field Instruction II SOWK 483 Social Work Methods III: Selected Intervention Strategies, Research & Evaluation SOWK three credit elective (300-400 level) PSYC 100 - Introduction to Psychology ECON or POLI (3 credits) SOCY 101 - Basic Concepts in Sociology Human Biology *</p> <p>* A list of approved equivalent courses is available in the program office.</p>	<p>SOWK 250 Introduction to Social Work (ADD) SOWK 260 Introduction to Social Welfare, Social Policy & Social Work I SOWK 360 Social Welfare, Social Policy & Social Work II SOWK 388 Human Behavior and Social Environment SOWK 389 Human Behavior II SOWK 397 Social Work Methods: Introduction to Practice SOWK 480 Field Instruction I SOWK 481 Social Work Methods: A Generalist Approach to Practice SOWK 482 Field Instruction II SOWK 483 Social Work Methods III: Selected Intervention Strategies, Research & Evaluation SOWK three credit elective (300-400 level) PSYC 100 - Introduction to Psychology ECON or POLI (3 credits) SOCY 101 - Basic Concepts in Sociology Human Biology *</p> <p>* A list of approved equivalent courses is available in the program office.</p>

CURRENT HAPP/SOWK DOUBLE MAJOR Track courses: 21-24 credits	PROPOSED HAPP/SOWK DOUBLE MAJOR Track courses: 12 credits
<p>Track I. Health Services Administration HAPP 200: Human Dev., Implications for Health and Disease (REMOVE) ECON 101: Principles of Microeconomics (REMOVE) ECON 121: Principles of Accounting I ECON 122: Principles of Accounting II (REMOVE) MGMT 210: The Practice of Management ECON 467: Health Economics (REMOVE) HAPP 497: Health Planning and Administration HAPP 498: Financial Management and Decision Support for Health Services Organizations</p> <p>Track II. Health Policy HAPP 200: Human Dev., Implications for Health and Disease (REMOVE) ECON 121: Principles of Accounting I (REMOVE) POLI 250: Introduction to Public Administration POLI 353: Govern. Bud. & Fin. Management HAPP 411: Health Regulation & Quality Improvement HAPP 412: Research Methods in Health (REMOVE) HAPP 420: Epidemiology (REMOVE)</p> <p>Track III. Public Health Natural Science (REMOVE) Natural Science (REMOVE) HAPP 380: Global Issues in Health & Disease HAPP/SOCY 354: Social Basis of Public & Community Health HAPP 411: Health Regulation & Quality Improvement HAPP 412: Research Methods in Health (REMOVE) HAPP 420: Epidemiology</p>	<p>Track I. Health Services Administration ECON 121: Principles of Accounting I MGMT 210: The Practice of Management HAPP 497: Health Planning and Administration HAPP 498: Financial Management and Decision Support for Health Services Organizations</p> <p>Track II. Health Policy ECON 101: Principles of Microeconomics (ADD) POLI 250: Introduction to Public Administration POLI 353: Govern. Bud. & Fin. Management HAPP 411: Health Regulation & Quality Improvement</p> <p>Track III. Public Health HAPP/SOCY 354: Social Basis of Public & Community Health HAPP 380: Global Issues in Health & Disease HAPP 411: Health Regulation & Quality Improvement HAPP 420: Epidemiology</p>

CURRENT HAPP/SOWK DOUBLE MAJOR ELECTIVES: Students select three courses from list below of approved electives. If a course is part of the required courses in your track, you may not use it as an elective.	PROPOSED HAPP/SOWK DOUBLE MAJOR ELECTIVES: Students select three courses from list below. In addition to the list below, any HAPP upper level courses not used for track requirements may be taken as an elective (NEW LANGUAGE).
HAPP/GES 329 Geography of Disease & Health HAPP/GES 429 Seminar in Geography of Disease & Health HAPP/PHIL 358 Bioethics HAPP 380 Global Health HAPP/AFST 390 American Healthcare System & the Black Community HAPP 401 Occupational Health Policy & Practice HAPP 402 Environmental Health Policy & Practice HAPP/SOCY 403 International Field Research HAPP 405 Contemporary Issues in Long-Term Care HAPP 411 Health Regulation & Quality Improvement HAPP 412 Research Methods in Health ECON 467 Health Economics EHS 200 Concepts in Emergency Health Services POLI 436 Health Law POLI 452 Politics of Health SOCY 352 Healthcare Issues HAPP/SOCY 354 Social Basis of Community & Public Health SOCY 420 Social Epidemiology SOCY 455 Disability and Rehabilitation SOWK 372 Social Work and Health Care	AFST/HAPP 390 American Healthcare System & the Black Community AGNG 200: Aging, People, Policy and Management(ADD) BIOL 251: Human Anatomy and Physiology 1 (ADD) ECON 101: Principles of Microeconomics (ADD) ECON 121: Principles of Accounting I (ADD) ECON 122: Principles of Accounting II (ADD) ECON 467 Health Economics (ADD) EHS 115: Medical Terminology (ADD) EHS 200 Concepts in Emergency Health Services (ADD) EHS 311: Stress, Burnout Emergency Protocol (ADD) GES/HAPP 329: Geography of Disease and Health IS300: Management Information Systems (ADD) IS 460: Health Care Informatics I (ADD) IS 461: Health Care Informatics II (ADD) PHIL/HAPP 358: Bioethics PSYC 385: Health Psychology (ADD) SOWK 372 Social Work and Health Care SOCY/ANTH courses: HAPP students may count up to 6 credits of upper level SOCY/ANTH courses as (ADD) HAPP upper level courses (see new language above)

Rationale (see instructions):

Need for Proposal:

- 1) In connection with our most recent Academic Program Review, SAHAP conducted an extensive review of the HAPP curriculum. The changes to the HAPP curriculum were approved by UGC and implemented spring 2017 semester. The changes significantly streamlined the core, track and elective coursework to ensure consistency across the major. We are now requesting that HAPP/SOWK double major reflect the current HAPP requirements.
- 2) In addition to reflecting the new curriculum, we also seek to reduce duplication of coursework for double majors:
 - a) Double majors will complete SOWK 480 and 482 Field Instruction (the required SOWK internship); they will not need to complete HAPP 470 (HAPP Internship). The SOWK internship requirements exceed those of HAPP and are therefore sufficient to satisfy the HAPP internship requirements.
 - b) Students will complete HAPP 300 (Research Methods in Health) instead of SOWK 470 (Social Work Research). Both courses offer foundational knowledge in research methods, but this will allow students to specialize in health-related research methods. This is consistent with the approach taken with the SOCY-SOWK double-major which has students complete research methods training as SOCY 300.
- 3) Finally, we have included here SOWK's recent change of their intro course requirement for majors to SOWK 250 and the removal of SOWK 240 (UGC minutes 10/20/16).

In sum: the changes requested here ensure that the coursework required of double majors is consistent with the current requirements for the HAPP and Social Work majors.

Please see the email from Carolyn Tice, Chair of Social Work, confirming their support of these changes