APPLICATION FOR CHANGE IN EXISTING COURSE: MAJOR & MINOR

1. Submitted by the College of [Health Sciences] Date: 9/08/03
   Department/Division offering course: [Rehabilitation Sciences/Communication Disorders]

2. Changes proposed:
   a. Present prefix & number: CD 657 Proposed prefix & number: [no change]
   b. Present Title: Clinical Practicum in Speech-Language Pathology New Title: [no change]
   c. If course title is changed and exceeds 24 characters (including spaces), include a sensible title
      (not to exceed 24 characters) for use on transcripts: NA
   d. Present credits: 3 Proposed credits: 1-3 variable
   f. Effective Date of Change: (Semester & Year): Spring 2004

3. To be Cross-listed as: NA
   Prefix and Number: [Signature: Department Chair]

4. Bulletin description:
   a. Present description (including prerequisite(s)): Experience with children and adults in the
      assessment and management of communication and swallowing disorders. May be repeated to a
      maximum of twelve credits.
   b. New description: no change
   c. Prerequisite(s) for course: Prereq: Graduate status in CODI, CD 481 or equivalent, and CD 654

5. What has prompted this proposal?
The Division of Communication Disorders submitted proposals to revise its undergraduate and
   graduate programs in spring '03. This course change (from 3 credits to variable 1-3) should have
   been included with the original curriculum proposal but was not included because of an oversight.
The variable number allows for differing levels of assignment in this clinical course, and allows
   students not to overload if they choose their thesis option and elective in the same semester.
   Students in this course typically complete clinical rotations internally (at the UK Communication
   Disorders Clinic).

   Students will complete 4 hours of clinical work weekly for each credit hour of CD 657.
   Consequently, students who enroll for one credit hour of CD 657 will complete 4 hours of clinical
   work each week, two credit hours will require 8 hours of clinical work each week, and three credit
   hours will require 12 hours of clinical work each week.

   The ratio of 4 hours of clinical work to 1 credit hour is consistent with the ratio for CD 659 - the
   course used for rotations external to the UK Communication Disorders clinic.

6. If there are to be significant changes in the content or teaching objectives of this course,
   indicate changes: n/a

7. What other departments could be affected by the proposed change? None

8. Will changing this course change the degree requirements in one or more programs? No

9. Is this course currently included in the University Studies Program? No

10. If the course is a 100-200 level course, please submit evidence (e.g., correspondence) that the
    Community College System has been consulted. NA

11. Is this a minor change? No
12. Within the Department, who should be contacted for further information about the proposed course?

Name: Donna Morris or Jodelle Deem  Phone Extension: 257-6278 or 257-7923

*Note: Approval of this change will constitute approval of the program change unless other program modifications proposed.

Signatures of Approval:

[Signature]
Department Chair  9/16/03  Date

[Signature]
Dean of the College  9-16-03  Date

Date of Notice to the Faculty

**Undergraduate Council  Date

**Graduate Council  Date

**Academic Council for the Medical Center  Date

**Senate Council  Date of Notice to University Senate

**If applicable, as provided by the Rules of the University Senate.

ACTION OTHER THAN APPROVAL

The Minor Change route for courses is provided as a mechanism to make changes in existing courses and is limited to one or more of the following:

a. change in number within the same hundred series;
b. editorial change in description which does not imply change in content or emphasis;
c. editorial change in title which does not imply change in content or emphasis;
d. change in prerequisite which does not imply change in content or emphasis;
e. cross-listing of courses under conditions set forth in item 3.0;
f. correction of typographical errors. [University Senate Rules III - 3.1]

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CD 657: Clinical Practicum in Speech-Language Pathology  
(Draft version)

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PURPOSE: The general purpose of this course is for graduate students to gain experience in the management of speech, language, and swallowing disorders in children and adults. Prereq: Graduate status in CODI, CD481 or equivalent, and CD 654; speech-language pathology & audiology majors only. Students must observe 25 hours of evaluation and management prior to participation in this experience. Clinical activities, independent projects, discussions, and observations will focus on reflective decision making about the evaluation and treatment of patients needing speech-language services. This course helps meet the required ASHA coursework standard in the area of Professional Coursework and Clinical Practicum. This course addresses the new Standards for the Certificate of Clinical Competence in Speech-Language Pathology: III-C (Communication Disorders and Differences; Swallowing Disorders), III-D (Prevention, Assessment, Intervention), III-E (Ethical Conduct), III-F (Research Processes and Integration), III-G (Professional Issues), III-H (Professionals Credentials), and IV-B (Oral/Written Communication). This course also addresses the Kentucky's New Teacher Standards I (Designs and Plans Instruction), II (Creates and Maintains Learning Climates), III (Implements and Manages Instruction), IV (Assesses and Communicates Learning Results), V (Reflects and Evaluates Teaching and Learning), VI (Collaborates with Colleagues, Parents, and Others), VII (Engages in Professional Development, VIII (Content Knowledge), and IX (Demonstrates Implementation of Technology).

COURSE OBJECTIVES: Students in this course will be expected to demonstrate ability to:
1. Plan and execute therapy according to client needs.
2. Evaluate client performance and the therapeutic process accurately and objectively.
4. Write reports and progress notes conforming to professional standards.
5. Plan and conduct needed counseling.
6. Plan and conduct a home training program when appropriate.
7. Conduct themselves in a professional manner.
8. Provide an appropriate speech and language model for clients.

REQUIRED TEXTBOOKS:

COURSE REQUIREMENTS:

1. For each hour of credit, conduct 4 hours of therapy weekly under supervision. Clients include children and/or adults in the areas of articulation, voice, fluency, language, or related disorders. This clinical experience will occur at the University of Kentucky Communication Disorders Clinic. You will be expected to follow clinic procedures as outlined in clinic meetings and in the Clinic Manual. You are to follow the Clinic Calendar. If you must miss, contact your instructor and CD front office staff as soon as possible.

2. Complete client paperwork in the CD Communication Disorders Clinic. This course requirement is in compliance with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA). Client charts and all their contents must remain in the CD Communication Disorders Clinic.

3. Follow clinic procedures when completing paperwork. Your instructor will inform you as to the day and time all paperwork, including rewrites, is due. The following paperwork is required for each client.

A. First Set of Paperwork
   1. Complete session #1 plan, data collection sheets, word lists, etc.
   2. Submit paperwork in the brown envelope.
   3. Use NCR paper.
   4. Submit 2 copies of session #1 plan.
   5. Submit 2 copies of data sheets, word lists, etc.
   6. Your clinical instructor will return one copy of the plan, data sheets, word lists, etc. to you as approved or with instructions to revise and rewrite.

B. Conduct intervention session
   1. Collect data during the session using data collection sheets.
   2. Check your mailbox for observation record from your instructor immediately following the intervention session.
   3. Read the observation form, sign, and return the yellow copy to the instructor the same day that the record was received. (If two students are working with a client, then both students sign the observation form).
   4. Answer any questions that the instructor may ask on the observation record.
C. Second and Subsequent Sets of Paperwork
   1. Submit all paperwork in the brown envelope.
   2. Use NCR paper.
   3. Submit 2 copies of the session #1 progress note (SOAP note).
   4. Submit 2 copies of graphed data from session #1.
   5. Submit 2 copies of session #2 plans.
   6. Submit 2 copies of session #2 data collection sheets, word lists, instructions, etc.
   7. The instructor will return all the above listed paperwork as approved or with instructions to rewrite.
   8. Both the instructor and the student must sign-off the approved progress note. If two students are working with a client, then both students must sign the progress note.
   9. Student must file the signed progress note in the client’s chart on the day he/she signs the note.

4. Complete the Clinical Treatment Plan (CTP) and Clinical Treatment Report (CTR) according to the handouts.
   A. Rough drafts
      1. Double space all rough drafts
      2. With each rewrite, turn in all rough drafts to your instructor
      3. Do NOT use NCR paper. You MUST turn in all rough drafts with each rewrite.
      4. Your instructor will inform you as to when rewrites are due.

   B. Final draft
      1. Use University of Kentucky letterhead paper for the first page of the CTP and CTR final drafts.
      2. Review the CTP and CTR final drafts with the client or parent.
      3. Document in the progress note that the CTP and CTR were reviewed with client and/or family.
      4. The instructor’s signature line is written as shown on the front page of the syllabus.
      5. Final reports are single-spaced.
      6. File the Clinical Treatment Plan (CTP) in the client’s file.
      7. Give the Clinical Treatment Report (CTR) to front office staff to mail to the client.

5. Complete the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) Level I Training. Students will complete this requirement using Blackboard before the first session with a client. Students who do not successfully complete HIPAA training by the deadline will receive an "I" in the course and will not begin work with clients. Also, the Medical Center Corporate Compliance Office will have the authority to impose penalties in addition to those established by this course instructor.

6. Attend and participate in Clinic Meetings. Attendance at Clinic Meetings and treatment sessions is mandatory, and each unexcused absence will result in a letter
grade reduction in the course grade. Excessive lateness or leaving early will also result in a letter grade reduction in the course grade.

7. Attend and participate in conferences with instructors. There are at least three meetings between students and instructors - beginning of semester, mid-term, and end of semester. Students are expected to sign up for these meetings at least 24 hours in advance and to be fully prepared. Sign-up sheets will be posted in the clinical lab area. Other required meetings will be scheduled on a weekly basis. Each unexcused absence will result in a letter grade reduction in the course grade. Excessive lateness or leaving early will also result in a letter grade reduction in the course grade.

8. “Student Needs” List/Self-Evaluation. Each student must create a list that addresses three areas of need: 1. Skill, 2. Knowledge, 3. Attitude. This list must be presented at the first meeting with the instructor. This list must be updated and presented at both the mid and final term meetings.

9. Students may request an excused absence for the purpose of observing major religious holidays and must notify the instructor in writing.


11. Complete additional requirements as requested by your instructor. Your instructor may have requirements in addition to those noted in the course syllabus, such as weekly meetings, additional readings, observations, etc.

12. Provide current record of CPR certification.

13. Provide current record of immunizations as required by the University Medical Center.

14. Participate in a mentoring program that includes meetings with second year graduate students enrolled in CD 659.

GRADING:
The clinic instructors will work together as a team to complete mid-term and final-term practicum evaluations and to assign the mid and final term grades for each student. At the end of the semester, a single grade will be submitted. A grade will be submitted that reflects completion of all course requirements as listed in the course syllabus, manual, handouts, and packets. The Practicum Grading Guidelines will be used to determine the letter grade of A, B, C, or E in the areas listed below (professional behaviors, diagnostic/intervention skills, paperwork).

Overall Grading Scale

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1. Performance in areas of professional behaviors and diagnostic/intervention skills will determine 50% of the grade in this course. A letter grade of A, B, C, or E will be assigned at mid-term and final term. This grade will include the student's ability to follow policies and procedures of the practice settings, (i.e. evidence-based learning, staffing procedures, beginning semester checksheet, etc.).

   Mid-Term     25%
   Final Term   25%

2. Completion of paperwork will determine 50% of the grade in this course. A letter grade of A, B, C, or E will be assigned to the first drafts of each of the following per client. Each item will be graded according to content and form. Paperwork must follow the information presented in the course syllabus, handouts, manual, and instructor meetings/observation records.

   Mid-Term     25%
   • First Two Session Plans Per Client
   • First Two Progress Notes (soaps) Per Client
   • One Treatment Plan Per Client
   Total # documents for two clients =10

   Final Term    25%
   • Two Additional Session Plans Per Client- Selected by instructors
   • Two Additional Progress Notes Per Client- Selected by instructors
   • One Treatment Report Per Client
   Total # documents for two clients =10

3. Clinic Meetings/ Diagnostic and Intervention Sessions: Attendance is mandatory, and each unexcused absence will result in a letter grade reduction in the course grade. Excessive lateness or leaving early will also result in a letter grade reduction in the course grade.

4. Practicum Evaluations- Midterm/Final: The instructors will complete the Practicum Evaluation form at mid and final term and will review with each student in individual meetings. At least 1-2 items per category are designated as "flagged" items. A student will receive an immediate letter grade reduction for each "flagged" item marked as one of the following: disagree -D, strongly disagree- SD, needs extensive, specific support and guidance- AES, unacceptable performance-U.
MEMORANDUM

TO:     David Watt, Ph.D.
         Associate Provost for Academic Affairs

FR:     Lori S. Gonzalez, Ph.D.  Lori Gonzalez
         Associate Dean for Academic Affairs

RE:     Course Change for Division of Communication Disorders

The College of Health Sciences Academic Affairs Committee recommends approval of the following course change.

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CONTACT PERSON: Sharon R. Stewart, Ed.D., Division Director, Communication Disorders. 323-1100, ext. 8-560
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TO: Deans, Department Chairs, and Members of the University Senate

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November 3, 2003

TRANSMITTAL

TO:  Lissa Holland  
      Graduate Council

FROM:  Cathy Owen
      Medical Center Academic Council

At its meeting on October 28, 2003, the Academic Council for the Medical Center approved, and recommends approval by the Graduate Council, for the proposal from the College of Health Sciences to change CD 657, Clinical Practicum in Speech-Language Pathology. Materials to support the change in this course are enclosed.

Thank you for your attention to this request.

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c:  Thomas C. Robinson, Ph.D.
    Lori S. Gonzalez, Ph.D.
    Rebecca Scott
    Jacque Hager

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