July 11, 2002

Douglass S. Kalika, Ph.D., Chair
Graduate Council
359 Patterson Office Tower
CAMPUS 0027

Dear Dr. Kalika:

At its meeting on May 28, 2002, the Academic Council for the Medical Center approved, and recommends approval by the Graduate Council, for the proposal from the College of Medicine to revise their Masters in Public Health Program.

Thank you for your attention to this request.

Sincerely,

Phyllis P. Nash, Ed.D.
Associate Vice President for Academic and Student Affairs

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attachments

c: Emery A. Wilson, M.D.
   Lois Nora, M.D.
   Jacque Hager
   Cindy Todd
April 18, 2002

MEMORANDUM

TO: James W. Holsinger, Jr., M.D.
   Chair, Academic Council for the Medical Center

FROM: Emery A. Wilson, M.D.
       Dean and Associate Vice President for Clinical Services

RE: Request for Change in Masters Degree Program Application(s)

The Faculty Council of the College of Medicine has approved and submits for your consideration and approval the following Request for Change in Masters Degree Program application(s):

**Program: Masters in Public Health**

**Description:** Change in required courses to STA 580 or STA 570

**Justification:** All MPH students will take this 3 credit hour core course in Biostatistics instead of the 4 credit hour course STA570. This change helps make the MPH core credit hour requirements more uniform among different core areas. It also offers flexibility in scheduling since the new 3-hour course can now be offered once per week. This will help meet the needs of our students, many of whom are part-time.
April 18, 2002

MEMORANDUM

TO: Deans, Department Chairs and Members of the University Senate

FROM: Emery A. Wilson, M.D.,
Dean and Associate Vice President for Clinical Services

RE: Request for Change in Masters Degree Program Application(s)

The Faculty Council of the College of Medicine has approved and submits for your consideration and approval the following Request for Change in Masters Degree Program application(s):

Program: Masters in Public Health
Description: Change in required courses to STA 580 or STA 570
Justification: All MPH students will take this 3 credit hour core course in Biostatistics instead of the 4 credit hour course STA570. This change helps make the MPH core credit hour requirements more uniform among different core areas. It also offers flexibility in scheduling since the new 3-hour course can now be offered once per week. This will help meet the needs of our students, many of whom are part-time.
REQUEST FOR CHANGE IN MASTERS DEGREE PROGRAM

Program:  Masters of Public Health
Department/Division:  KY School of Public Health
College:  Medicine
Degree Title (Old):  Masters of Public Health (MPH)
CIP Code:  51.2201
Accrediting Agency (if applicable):  Council on Education in Public Health

1. CHANGE(S) IN PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

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1. Number of transfer credits allowed  
   (Graduate School limit: 9 hours or 25% of coursework)
2. Residence requirement (if applicable)
3. Language(s) and/or skill(s) required
4. Termination criteria
5. Plan A requirements*  
6. Plan B requirements*  
7. Distribution of course levels required  
   (At least one half must be at 600+ level & two thirds must be in organized courses)
8. Required courses (if applicable)  
   STA 570
9. Required distribution of courses within program  
   (if applicable)
10. Final examination requirements

* If there is only one plan for the degree, plans involving a thesis (or the equivalent in studio work, etc.) should be discussed under Plan A and those not involving a thesis should be discussed under Plan B.

NOTE:  To the extent that proposed changes in 5, 6 or 8 above involve the addition of courses in other programs, please submit correspondence from the other program(s) pertaining to the availability of such courses to your students.
REQUEST FOR CHANGE IN MASTERS DEGREE PROGRAM

11. Any other requirements not covered above

II. RATIONALE FOR CHANGE(S)
If the rationale involves accreditation requirements, please include specific references to those requirements.

All MPH students will take this 3 credit hour core course in Biostatistics (STA 580) instead of the 4 credit hour course STA 570. This change helps make the MPH core credit hour requirements more uniform among different core areas (3 credit hours each). It also offers flexibility in scheduling since the new 3 hour course can now be offered once per week. This will help meet the needs of our students, many of whom are part-time.

Signatures of Approval:

[Signatures]

Date of Notice to the Faculty

Date: 4/10/22

Date of Notice to University Senate

Date: 5/26/22

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

ACTION OTHER THAN APPROVAL

Rev 11/98
Memorandum:

To:       Members, Medical Center Academic Council

From:    Constance L. Wood, Chair, Department of Statistics

Date:    June 11, 2002

Re:       Letter of Support

This is to inform you STA 580 was approved by the A&S Council in April and forwarded to the Undergraduate Council and the Graduate Council for consideration. This course will replace STA 570 as the required core course for all MPH students and I anticipate approval sometime in the fall semester of 2002. We are offering this course in the fall term as a special section of A&S 500.

In addition, we have signed-off on cross listing the new course SPH 630 (Biostatistics II) as STA 681 since we feel the six hour sequence STA 580 / 681 will appeal to graduate students on the Medical Center campus other than students enrolled in the MPH program.

Lastly, I support the efforts of SPH to increase the course offerings in biostatistics and in particular, the creation of three elective courses in the Biostatistics track of the MPH program: SPH 631, SPH 632, and SPH 535.