Memo

To: Patricia Prelock, Dean, CNHS
From: Elizabeth Adams, Chair, CNHS Curriculum and Planning Committee
CC:
Date: 5/17/2018
Re: End of Year Report

2016-2017 CNHS Curriculum and Planning Committee

The membership of the CNHS Curriculum and Planning committee included Chris Griffin (MLRS), Stuart Whitney (Nursing), Jeremy Sibold (RMS), Sarah Abrams (ex-officio), and Elizabeth Adams (CSD & Chair).

The Committee was very active this year with a large number of courses reviewed from each department. This included revisions to existing courses, adding new courses for new program proposals, and deleting courses that were deemed no longer needed. Along with reviewing and approving CAFs, the committee spent substantial time reviewing several program proposals and requests. They are as follows and all originated from the Department of Rehabilitation and Movement Sciences:

1. Physical Activity & Wellness Science (PAWS) Master of Science program
2. Minor in Emergency Medical Services
3. Minor in Integrative Health Care
4. Name change request from Exercise and Movement Science (EXMS) to Exercise Science (EXSC): program, BS degree, major
5. Certificate in Physical Activity Promotion in Children and Youth (collaborative effort led by Betsy Hoza in Psychological Science/CAS; Connie Tomkins & David Brock CNHS collaborators)

The name change request for EXMS was approved at the Faculty Senate meeting on 5/18/2017. Pending president approval shortly, we anticipate beginning to process CAFs with updated syllabi to change prefixes and pre-requisites in the system. The PAWS MS program and the minor in Emergency Medical Services is currently with the Curricular Affairs Committee of the Faculty Senate. Each was recently assigned to subcommittees and it is likely they will be reviewed by the CAC in September or October. If approved, they will be in the 2018-2019 catalog. The proposal for the minor in Integrative Health Care was returned to the proposers. The CAC recommended that it be re-submitted as a certificate rather than a minor given several concerns as it was proposed. Cara Feldman-Hunt attended the last CNHS CPC meeting of the year on 5/18/2017 to provide updates and get support on the resubmission. The plan is that it will be resubmitted to the CPC in the fall semester as an undergraduate
certificate proposal. Lastly, the Certificate in Physical Activity Promotion in Children and Youth has just been approved by the Board of Trustees and will be available to students in the fall semester of this year.

In the spring semester, the Committee was tasked with a review of all CNHS graduate research courses to identify similarities and content overlap. This review was completed and the information was provided to you in a memo dated 4/13/2017.

As we look ahead to 2017-2018, we anticipate a Master’s proposal in Athletic Training to be submitted from RMS for review along with the associated CAFs. A certificate in Paramedicine is also expected to be submitted from RMS. We also will be providing input to Erica Caloiero on NH 50 as the University moves forward on the plan for a formal First Year Experience.

Please contact us if there are any questions.