

**UNDERGRADUATE COUNCIL
Request for Change(s)**

Originating unit requesting change Harris College of Nursing & Health Sciences

Type of Change requested:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Course number(s) | <input type="checkbox"/> Course prerequisite(s) | <input type="checkbox"/> Program title |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Course title | <input type="checkbox"/> Drop course(s) | <input type="checkbox"/> Program description |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Course description | <input type="checkbox"/> Drop program(s) | x <input type="checkbox"/> Program requirements |

Semester and year change(s) take effect: Fall, 2021

Appropriate computer abbreviation if course title is more than 30 spaces: _____

Briefly summarize the change requested:

Interdisciplinary Healthy Aging Minor has been in the catalog, but no longer reflects courses offered on a regular basis. We are proposing three additional Harris College interdisciplinary courses with the prefix HCHS and other courses across the university that meet the aging minor outcomes to be used as electives for this minor.

Catalog copy

Present catalog copy (paste-up from catalog is acceptable).

Proposed change(s). (Include exact catalog copy as desired. Underline changes)

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<u>SOWO</u> <u>30853</u>	<u>Human Behavior and Social Environment II</u>	<u>3</u>
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<u>HCHS</u> <u>30783</u>	<u>Families, Caregivers, and People Living with Dementia</u> OR	<u>3</u>
<u>NURS</u> <u>30433</u>	<u>Families, Caregivers, and People Living with Dementia</u>	<u>3</u>

Elective Courses (select 9 hours from the courses below)

<u>HCHS 40950</u>	<u>Current Topics in Aging</u>	<u>1-12</u>
<u>NURS 10303</u>	<u>Human Development OR Psych 30313</u>	<u>3</u>
<u>PSYC 30313</u>	<u>Developmental Psychology OR NURS 10303</u>	<u>3</u>
SOCI 30223	Contemporary Topics in Sociology	3
SOCI 30483	Death and Dying: Sociological Viewpoints OR SOWO 40563	3
SOWO40563	Death and Dying OR SOCI 30483	3
SOCI 40523	Health, Illness, & Medicine	3
PSYC 50463	Functional Neuroanatomy	3
PSYC 30483	Neuropsychology	3
BIOL 50401	Neurobiology of Aging	1

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BIOL 50401	Neurobiology of Aging	1
KINE 51413	Psychology of Aging and Physical Activity	3
For Nursing Only		
NURS 30241	Geriatric Nursing Resources I	1
NURS 30251	Geriatric Nursing Resources II	1

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1. **What is the justification for the change(s) requested?**
 Courses do not exist, the faculty who created the minor and taught the required courses have retired, and the minor needed to be updated
2. **If applicable, explain how the change(s) will affect the current program outcomes and assessment mechanisms.**
 No changes will be made to the program outcomes and assessments
3. **Faculty Resources:** How will the unit provide faculty support for this change and any other impact this change may have on other current departmental listings.
 Since the three courses will be offered at the HCNHS level, the faculty can alternate from across HCNHS departments. The two new HCHS required courses will be taught by a nursing faculty member or an interdisciplinary team. The third course will be taught by someone different each time depending on the current topic offered in aging. Written associate dean of nursing and associate dean of health sciences permission have been granted for this faculty member or these faculty members to be dedicated to the two courses.
4. **Educational Resources:** Will this change require additional resources not currently available (e.g. space, equipment, library, other)? YES
 If yes, list additional resources needed. NO
5. **If this change affects other units of the University, include a statement signed by the chairperson(s)**

of the affected unit(s).

All affected areas have signed statements from the chairperson

6. If cross-listed, provide evidence of approval by all curriculum committees appropriate to both the originating and cross-listed units.



Approval signature of chairperson of originating unit