Curriculum Change Form

Part I

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| *Provide only the information relevant to the proposal. |

Proposal Approved by:               Date       Date
Departmental Committee  8/18/08       Graduate Council*  12/01/08
College Curriculum Committee  9/17/08       Council on Academic Affairs
General Education Committee*  NA          Faculty Senate** pending
Teacher Education Committee*  NA          Board of Regents** pending
Council on Postsecondary Edu.***

*If Applicable (Type NA if not applicable.)
**Approval needed for new, revised, or suspended programs
***Approval/Posting needed for new degree program or certificate program
****If "yes", SACS must be notified before implementation. Please contact EKU's Office of Institutional Effectiveness.

Completion of A, B, and C is required: (Please be specific, but concise.)

A. 1. Specific action requested: (Example: To increase the number of credit hours for ABC 100 from 1 to 2.)

1. Under required courses:
   a) decrease hours from 15 to 9
   b) change EHS 877 and EHS 845 from required to elective courses
2. Increase elective hours from 0-3 to 3-6 credit hours
3. Decrease total credit hours from 46 to 43

A. 2. Effective date: Fall 2009

A. 3. Effective date of suspended programs for currently enrolled students: (if applicable)

B. The justification for this action: Information is delivered in several other courses.

To allow students more flexibility to take course work in area(s) of interest; and, to make all MPH options consistent in terms of the number of credit hours.

C. The projected cost (or savings) of this proposal is as follows:

Personnel Impact: NA

Operating Expenses Impact: NA

Equipment/Physical Facility Needs: NA

Library Resources: n/a
### Part III. Recording Data for New, Revised, or Suspended Program

1. For a new program, provide the catalog description as being proposed.
2. For a revised program, provide the current program requirements using **strike-through** for deletions and **underlines** for additions.
3. For a suspended program, provide the current program requirements as shown in catalog. List any options and/or minors affected by the program’s suspension.

**New or Revised* Program Text**

(*Use **strike-through** for deletions and **underlines** for additions.)

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<th>MPH Core Courses</th>
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**Environmental Health Option**

Required Courses | 9 hours  
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<td>EHS 845, 855, 865, 877, and 880</td>
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Electives | 3-6 hours
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| If thesis route, choose 3 approved credit hours;  
If non-thesis route, choose 6 approved credit hours;  
*Approved electives include: EHS 840, 845, 860, 870, 877, LPS 815, 822 |

Practicum | 3 hours
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Thesis or Non-Thesis | 3-6 hours
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OR  
EHS 890: Independent Study in Health Science  
*and 3 approved elective credit hours* |

*electives: EHS 840, 860, 870, LPS 815, 822 |

Capstone | 1 hour
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Total Hours | 43 46 hours