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 LSC: App 9/10/15  
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## Program Revision Template

Steps to the approval process:

1. Complete the applicable template(s) and email them to the departmental or program curriculum committee chair.
2. The curriculum chair emails the proposal to the curriculum committee, then to the department/program faculty for a vote and finally to the department/program chair.
3. The department/program chair emails the proposal to [curriculum-approval@iup.edu](mailto:curriculum-approval@iup.edu); this email will also serve as an electronic signature.
4. Curriculum committee staff will log the proposal, forward it to the appropriate dean's office(s) for review within 14 days and post it on the X Drive for review by all IUP faculty and administrators. Following the dean's review the proposal goes to the UWUCC/UWGC and the Senate.
5. Questions? Email [curriculum-approval@iup.edu](mailto:curriculum-approval@iup.edu).

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Program Revisions (Check all that apply):  Program Revision     Program Title Change     Catalog Description Change     Credit Hour Change

Liberal Studies Requirement Changes     Variability of Delivery     Other: [Click here to enter text.](#)

| Current Program Information           |  | Proposed Changes   |  |
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| Current Program Title                 | <b>Bachelor of Science – Nursing</b>   | Proposed Program Title<br><i>(if changing)</i>                 | <b>Bachelor of Science – Nursing (1)</b>   |
| Current Narrative Catalog Description |  | Proposed Narrative Catalog Description<br><i>(if changing)</i> |  |
| Current Program Requirements          | <b>Liberal Studies:</b> As outlined in Liberal Studies section 44 with the following specifications:<br><b>Mathematics:</b> MATH 217 (1)<br><b>Natural Science:</b> CHEM 101-102<br><b>Social Science:</b> PSYC 101, SOC 151<br><b>Liberal Studies Electives:</b> 3cr, PSYC 310, no courses with NURS prefix.<br><b>Major:</b> 52-55<br><b>Required Courses:</b><br>NURS 211 Fundamentals I Clinical 1cr<br>NURS 212 Fundamentals I Theory 2cr<br>NURS 213 Fundamentals II Clinical 1cr<br>NURS 214 Health Assessment 3cr<br>NURS 236 Fundamentals II Theory 2cr | Proposed Program Requirements<br><i>(if changing)</i>          | <b>Liberal Studies:</b> As outlined in Liberal Studies section 44 with the following specifications:<br><b>Mathematics:</b> MATH 217<br><b>Natural Science:</b> CHEM 101-102<br><b>Social Science:</b> PSYC 101, SOC 151<br><b>Liberal Studies Electives:</b> 3cr, PSYC 310, no courses with NURS prefix.<br><b>Major:</b> 52-55<br><b>Required Courses:</b><br>NURS 211 Fundamentals I Clinical 1cr<br>NURS 212 Fundamentals I Theory 2cr<br>NURS 213 Fundamentals II Clinical 1cr<br>NURS 214 Health Assessment 3cr<br>NURS 236 Fundamentals II Theory 2cr |

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| NURS 312 Professional Nursing I   | 2cr   | NURS 312 Professional Nursing   | 2cr   |
| NURS 316 Evidence-Based Practice in Nursing   | 3cr   | NURS 316 Evidence-Based Practice in Nursing   | 3cr   |
| NURS 330 Care of the Child and Family   | 2cr   | NURS 330 Care of the Child and Family   | 2cr   |
| NURS 331 Care of the Child and Family Clinical  | 2.5cr | NURS 331 Care of the Child and Family Clinical  | 2.5cr |
| NURS 332 Maternal-Neonatal Health   | 2cr   | NURS 332 Maternal-Neonatal Health   | 2cr   |
| NURS 333 Maternal-Neonatal Health Clinical  | 2.5cr | NURS 333 Maternal-Neonatal Health Clinical  | 2.5cr |
| NURS 336 Adult Health I   | 4cr   | NURS 336 Adult Health I   | 4cr   |
| NURS 337 Adult Health I Clinical  | 5cr   | NURS 337 Adult Health I Clinical  | 5cr   |
| NURS 412 Nursing Management   | 2cr   | NURS 412 Nursing Management   | 2cr   |
| NURS 431 Public/Community Nursing Clinical  | 2.5cr | NURS 431 Public/Community Nursing Clinical  | 2.5cr |
| NURS 432 Psychiatric/Mental Health  | 2cr   | NURS 432 Psychiatric/Mental Health  | 2cr   |
| NURS 433 Psychiatric/Mental Health Clinical   | 2.5cr | NURS 433 Psychiatric/Mental Health Clinical   | 2.5cr |
| NURS 434 Public/Community Nursing   | 2cr   | NURS 434 Public/Community Nursing   | 2cr   |
| NURS 436 Adult Health II  | 4cr   | NURS 436 Adult Health II  | 4cr   |
| NURS 437 Adult Health II Clinical   | 2.5cr | NURS 437 Adult Health II Clinical   | 2.5cr |
| NURS 440 Nursing Management Clinical  | 2.5cr | NURS 440 Nursing Management Clinical  | 2.5cr |
| NURS 450 A Cognitive Approach to Clinical Problem Solving (2)   | 3cr   | NURS 450 A Cognitive Approach to Clinical Problem Solving (2)   | 3cr   |
| <b>Other Requirements:</b>  | 16    | <b>Other Requirements:</b>  | 15    |
| <b>Science Sequence:</b>  |       | <b>Science Sequence:</b>  |       |
| BIOL 105 Cell Biology   | 3cr   | BIOL 150 Human Anatomy  | 4cr   |
| BIOL 150 Human Anatomy  | 3cr   | BIOL 240 Human Physiology   | 4cr   |
| BIOL 151 Human Physiology   | 4cr   | BIOL 241 Introductory Medical Microbiology  | 4cr   |
| BIOL 241 General Microbiology   | 3cr   | FDNT 212 Nutrition  | 3cr   |
| BIOL 241 General Microbiology   | 3cr   | <b>Free Electives:</b>  | 6-9   |
| FDNT 212 Nutrition  | 3cr   | <b>#Total Degree Requirements:</b>  | 120   |
| <b>Free Electives:</b>  | 5-8   | (1) The Pennsylvania State Board of Nursing requires two units of high school mathematics (one of which is algebra) for admission to the Nursing Major.   |       |
| <b>#Total Degree Requirements:</b>  | 120   | (2) Students who achieve a higher score than a specified minimum on a department-required standard test(s) are exempt from NURS 450. These students would need to take a total of 9 cr of Free Electives. |       |
| (1) The Pennsylvania State Board of Nursing requires two units of high school mathematics (one of which is algebra) for admission to the Nursing Major.                               |       | (3) See advisory paragraph "Timely Completion of Degree Requirements" in the section on Requirements for Graduation.  |       |
| (2) Students who achieve a higher score than a specified minimum on a department-required standard test(s) are exempt from NURS 450. These students would need 8cr of Free Electives. |       | # See advisory paragraph "Timely Completion of Degree Requirements" in the section on Requirements for Graduation.  |       |
| (3) See advisory paragraph "Timely Completion of Degree Requirements" in the section on Requirements for Graduation.  |       |   |       |

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| <b>Rationale for Proposed Changes</b>  |  |
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| <p>Why is the program being revised?</p>   | <p>Changes to the Bachelors of Science in Nursing curriculum are a result of changes in the Biology Department curriculum. These changes are supported by Nursing</p>  |
| <p>Identify the <b>Program</b> Student Learning Outcomes (SLO). Mark any SLOs that are changing as a part of the Program Revision.</p>                 | <p>None</p>  |
| <p>Implication of the Change on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Program</li> <li>- Other programs</li> <li>- Current Students</li> </ul> | <p>. Students will no longer be required to take BIOL 105 Cell Biology, a three credit course. Students instead will complete the following three 4-credit courses: BIOL 150, BIOL 240, and BIOL241. The total number of BIOL course hours that students currently take is equal to 13 credit hours. The proposed revisions will reduce this to 12 credit hours. Students may use the additional contact hour towards courses in our major</p> |