

**DEGREE/PROGRAM CHANGE
FORM C
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Proposed effective term

Semester Spring Year 2016

Course Information

Select Appropriate Program Undergraduate Degree Program
Name of New or Existing Program BS Health Education - Community Health Concentration
Select Category Concentration Degree Type BS
Select Action Deletion

Exact Title and Requirements as they should appear in the catalog. If there is a change, upload current and proposed requirements.

See current catalog for format within the respective college (upload a doc/pdf file)

[Form C 1593 current and proposed.docx](#)

Does this change affect other departmental program/branch campuses? If yes, indicate below.

Reason(s) for Request (enter text below or upload a doc/pdf file)

[REGISTRAR'S NOTE: THIS FORM REQUESTS THE DELETION OF THE COMMUNITY HEALTH CONCENTRATION, AND A NAME CHANGE FOR THE MAJOR FROM HEALTH EDUCATION TO COMMUNITY HEALTH EDUCATION.] Historically, the health education program offered two concentrations, one in School Health and one in Community Health. The School Health concentration is no longer offered. The program of studies for the Community Health concentration is the same for the BS in Health Education. The concentration and degree program are one in the same program. There is no need for a concentration.

Upload a document that includes justification for the program, impact on long-range planning, detailed budget analysis and faculty workload implications.(upload a doc/pdf file)

[Form C Justification, Budget and Workload.docx](#)

Are you proposing a new undergraduate degree or new undergraduate certificate? If yes, upload the following documents.

Upload a two-page Executive Summary authorized by Associate Provost. (upload a doc/pdf file)

Upload memo from Associate Provost authorizing go-ahead to full proposal. (upload a doc/pdf file)

Current Catalog

Degree Offered

- **Bachelor of Science in Education in Health Education (B.S.Ed.)**

Twenty-six credit hours of course work are required with a 2.5 grade point average.

A concentration in Community Health Education is available to students in the Bachelor of Science in Education (B.S.Ed.) in Health Education degree program. The program prepares students to meet the competencies of the roles and responsibilities of the entry-level Health Specialist. The Community Health Education concentration is a non-teaching concentration which provides students with a broad-based introduction to community and public health and prepares them for professional practice in community health agencies, clinical settings and the work place. The concentration prepares students for graduate studies in Health Education at the University of New Mexico or any of the many schools of public health in the United States. Screening by Health Education faculty is a prerequisite to entering into the program. Applications for B.S.Ed. in the Health Education program are on the department Web site or see an advisor in Travelstead Hall.

NOTE: Student's course work must include the University of New Mexico core requirements and at least 40 credit hours of upper-division (300-level and above).

Concentration in Community Health Education

Proposed Catalog

Degree Offered

- **Bachelor of Science in ~~Education in~~ Community Health Education (B.S.in HED ~~Ed.~~)**

Twenty-six credit hours of course work are required with a 2.5 grade point average.

~~A concentration in Community Health Education is available to students in the Bachelor of Science in Education (B.S.Ed.) in Health Education degree program. The curriculum in Community Health Education prepares students to meet the competencies of the roles and responsibilities of the entry-level Health Education Specialist. The Community Health Education concentration is~~ The degree is a non-teaching degree and provides students with a broad-based introduction to community ~~and public-health~~ and prepares them for professional practice in ~~community and tribal health agencies, public health related organizations, and clinical and workplace settings.~~ The ~~concentration~~ degree also prepares students for graduate studies in community health education at the University of New Mexico or any of the many schools of public health in the United States. Screening by Health Education faculty is a prerequisite to entering into the program. Information about program requirements and the application process for the B.S.~~Ed.~~ in Community Health Education can be found on the department Web site or by contacting the program coordinator at 505-277-5151.

NOTE: Student's course work must include the University of New Mexico core requirements and at least 40 credit hours of upper-division (300-level and above).

~~Concentration in~~ Community Health Education

Justification, Budget, Workload

Since the degree program and the concentration are one in the same, there will be no budget implications or impact on faculty work load by removing the concentration.