

**DEGREE/PROGRAM CHANGE
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Form Number: C2869**

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Associated Forms exist? No ▼

Proposed effective term

Semester Fall ▼ Year 2022 ▼

Course Information

Select Appropriate Program Graduate Degree Program ▼
Name of New or Existing Program MSN in Nurse-Midwifery (HSC)
Select Category Concentration ▼ Degree Type MSN
Select Action Revision ▼

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)

[Nurse-Midwifery POS With Changes.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)

We are submitting a request to remove an unnecessary one credit elective course from the Nurse-Midwifery MSN program of studies. The elective was added over 5 years ago to offer additional learning opportunities and to increase credit hours so students could access financial aid. The elective course is not necessary to meet national ACME accreditation criteria or ACNM Core Competencies. Additionally, students have had challenges scheduling this class during clinical rotations, it is not required for graduation or to access adequate financial aid. We have obtained approval for this change from the nurse-midwifery faculty, the CON Graduate and Professional Program Committee and it was approved by a vote of the entire faculty on 9/20/21. The motion was introduced and passed: 42 total, 32 yes, 5 no, 5 abstain.

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)

[Midwifery Program Elective Memo 9.26.21.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)