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MEMORANDUM

TO: University Curriculum Committee

FROM: Elizabeth Layman, PhD
Professor and Chair
Department of Health Services and Information Management

DATE: February 16, 2010

RE: Proposed curriculum changes for the Department of Technology Systems

The Department of Health Services and Information Management (HSIM) does not foresee a budgetary or staffing impact from the proposed curricular initiative in the Department of Technology Systems.

Moreover, the Department of Health Services and Information Management (HSIM) fully supports the curricular initiative in the Department of Technology Systems proposed by Dr. David Batts. The HSIM Department understands that the Department of Technology is targeting ICT majors so they have the necessary networking skills. The courses that the Department of Technology Systems intends to use from the HSIM Department (listed below) will have available seats. The seats will be available because the HSIM Department is planning to phase-out its BS in health information management as it transitions the HIM program to a master's. However, these courses will continue to be offered because they are core courses in the HSIM Department's second BS degree in health services management. Thus, seats will be open in these courses that will continue to be offered. Therefore, the statement can be made that no additional funds nor staff will be needed as these seats exist and the courses will be offered.

HIMA 3000 Medical Terminology for Health Professionals (3) (F, S, SS)

HIMA 3120 Health Care Delivery Systems (3) (F) (P: HSMA 2000; P/C: HSMA 3030)

HIMA 4030 Quality Management in Health Care (3) (S) (P: HIMA 3113, 3120, or consent of instructor)

HSMA 2000 Professional Roles and Environments in Health Care (3) (F,S,SS)

HSMA 3020 Health Care Payment Systems (3) (3) (S) (P: HSMA 2000; P/C: HIMA 3120; HSMA 3030, 3035)

HSMA 3025 Professional Ethical Codes and Law in Health Care (3) (F) (P: HSMA 2000; P/C: HSMA 3030; or consent of instructor)

HSMA 3035 Interpersonal Team Skills for Health Care Supervisors and Practitioners (3) (S) (P: HSMA 2000; P/C: HSMA 3030)

HSMA 4010 Health Information Management (3) (F) (P: HIMA 3120; HSMA 3035)

Approved technical electives (3 s.h.)

Please feel free to contact me if additional information is needed.