

THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA ASHEVILLE
FACULTY SENATE

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Statement of Faculty Senate Action:

**APC Document 10 (HWP): Update listing of approved elective courses in the Health Sciences
(amended) and Public Health concentrations of Health and Wellness Promotion**

Effective Date: Fall 2021

1. **Add:** On page 156, in item II under **Concentration in Health Sciences, HWP 384:**
 - II. Required courses for the Health Sciences Concentration—at least 24 hours distributed as follows: BIOL 125 and 126, or BIOL 136; CHEM 111 and 132; BIOL 328 or HWP 235; and 12 additional hours chosen from BIOL 444; CHEM 323; HWP 315, **326**, 365, **384**, 401, 420, 425. Other courses with relevant content may be substituted with approval of the department chair.

2. **Add:** On pages 156-157, in item II under **Concentration in Public Health, HWP 326, 353, 381, and 384:**
 - II. Required courses for the Public Health Concentration—at least 19 hours distributed as follows: HWP 335, 342, 440; and at least 7 additional hours chosen from AIIS 200; ANTH 350; ECON 242; ENVR 334, 336; ESI 101; HWP 315, 316, 317, **326**, 333, **353**, 360, 365, **381**, **384**; SOC 352, 362; STAT 326; WGSS 100. Other courses with relevant content may be substituted with approval of the department chair.

Impact: These course additions to the concentration requirements for Health Sciences and Public Health will be beneficial for students in that they provide students more options. These courses (HWP 326, 353, 381, and 384) are already regularly taught, so there will not be an impact on our ability to deliver our curriculum.

Rationale: Our new concentrations allow students to specialize in health sciences or public health. As such, students are required to choose from a list of designated courses for each concentration. The courses we are adding to each concentration fit well within the subject area and are regularly offered by our HWP faculty.