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**Revised Course Request: Unique Course
(Substantive Modification)**

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Section 1. Existing Course Title and Description

Prefix & No.	Course Title	Credits
NUTR 322	Assessment & Counseling Skills in Nutrition	4
NUTR 322L	Assessment & Counseling Skills in Nutrition Lab	0

NUTR 322 Course Description
 Study of the nutritional assessment, cultural and therapeutic dietary modifications, interviewing and counseling, documentation in the medical record, and quality assurance. Review of principles of dietetics and the role of the professional dietitian.

NUTR 322L Course Description
 Laboratory to accompany NUTR 322.

Section 2. Modification(s) Requested

2.1. This modification will include:

- A change in description/subject matter content**
 Study of nutritional screening and assessment, including nutrition-focused physical exam. Review of principles of dietetics and the role of the professional dietitian.
- Deletion of a lab component**
 NUTR 322 currently has an associated lab. With the removal of the counseling portion of the class and a full three credits to dedicate to nutrition screening and assessment, a lab component is no longer needed.

Change to existing unique course:

Prefix & No.	Course Title	Credits
NUTR 322	Assessment & Counseling Skills in Nutrition	4

- Credit hours** 4 to 3
- Course co-requisites** NUTR 322L to none
- Course title change** Nutrition Assessment

Effective term of the change: Fall 2019

Explain any additional minor changes proposed at this time below (if needed): As noted above, course name will be changed to 'Nutrition Assessment' and credits will be reduced to 3.

2.2. Add justification for all changes noted above:

With changes to the dietetics profession that include a greater emphasis on nutrition assessment and nutrition-focused physical exams, a course dedicated exclusively to this material is needed. Having a separate course for nutrition assessment and another course for counseling allows the program to better meet the standards for accreditation which requires competencies in both assessment and counseling. The counseling content from the former course will be met through CHRD 475 Wellness Counseling. With the focus solely on nutrition assessment, there is no longer a need for a lab, thus the deletion of NUTR 322L and dropping the credits from 4 to 3.

Section 3. Other Course Information

3.1. Will this course equate (i.e., be considered the same course for degree completion) with any other unique or common courses in the common course database (Colleague and the Course Inventory Report)?

Yes No

Section 4. Department and Course Codes (Completed by University Academic Affairs)

	Current		New
<input type="checkbox"/> Change in University Department Code	SHNS	to	No Change
<input type="checkbox"/> Change in CIP Code	51.3102	to	No Change