

MED - 804 - Musculoskeletal and Skin Systems

2 Graduate Course Change 2022-23

I. General Information

The faculty member originating this proposal is to complete sections I and II.

Before starting this form, please review graduate curriculum website on policies and processes: <https://www.unlv.edu/graduatecollege/curriculum>

Click "**validate and launch proposal**" **button below.** Once the pop-up window comes up and displays an error message, click on the "show me" button (on the pop-up). This will highlight in red the required fields of this form. Fill in ONLY the red (required) fields.

With all red fields completed, click on the "**validate and launch proposal**" **button** again to launch the proposal. The pop-up this time should not display an error, and will display instead a "**launch proposal**" **button.** Click on the "**launch proposal**" **button** to launch.

After launch, please fill in all remaining fields in the form to reflect your intended changes.

Department:*

Kirk Kerkorian School of Medicine at UNLV

Current Prefix:*

MED

Current Number:* 804

Long Course Name:* Musculoskeletal and Skin Systems

New Long Course
Name (if name
change):

Short Course Name
25 chars. limit (leave
blank if not changing
course name):

Summary of Proposed Changes (please check boxes for each change):*

- Prefix
- Course Number
- Name
- Description
- Credits/Grading
- PreReqs/CoReqs
- Instructional Mode
- Cross-listing / Combination
- Other changes (e.g. Service Learning, Fees, ...)

Describe the changes and the rationale for each change:*

With the recent faculty and department consensus to create a separate MED 800: Anatomy and Histology course, the anatomical and pathophysiology content placed in this MED 804: Musculoskeletal & Skin will move into the new MED 800: Anatomy course. This change will enable more of a focus on pathology, pharmacology, and the clinical medicine of bones, joints, and connective tissues in the MED 804 course. The key concepts of anatomy, embryology, and histology will move to the new MED 800 course and placed in the medical students' first semester of study. This provides for a better instructional format and offers a true integrative and building block of learning when it comes to clinical medicine. The placement of anatomy, embryology, and histology into a new course (MED 800: Anatomy) from this MED 804 substantiates the credit change (decrease).

Effective Term and Year:*

Spring 2023

Changing the Catalog Description:

- avoid the use of the words *student*, *course*, and *covers*.
- incomplete sentences are ok.
- avoid repeating the course title.
- use of an active voice, e.g. *explores*, *investigates*,...
- 50 words limit.

Catalog Description 50 words limit (read guidelines above):*

An integrated study of the musculoskeletal and integumentary systems. Overview of pathophysiology, epidemiology, anatomy and embryology, biostatistics, diagnostic tests, as well as therapeutic principles associated with musculoskeletal disorders and dermatology.

Is this course a culminating experience?*

- Yes No

If Yes, to which programs?

IMPACT REPORT

Run an Impact Report by clicking on "run impact report" at the top of this form.

Copy & Paste the entire impact report into the box below.

Please comment on the results of the impact report in the comments box below.

Impact Report (copy and paste here):*

Impact Report for MED 804

Source: 2022-2023 - Working Graduate Catalog	
Prerequisites	MED 808 - Mind, Brain, and Behavior
	MED 809 - Multi-system Disease
Programs	Doctor of Medicine
	Dual Degree: Master of Business Administration & Doctor of Medicine

Comments on Impact Report (or add "no impact" if applicable):*

The only impact is a change in the credit hours for the MED 804 course. This will not impact the total number of credits required to earn the Doctor of Medicine (MD) degree due to the addition of the MED 800: Anatomy course.

Program Changes Needed?

If program changes are needed as a result of this course change, **a separate program change proposal must be submitted.**

Please describe below your plan for program changes related to this proposal.

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Please describe your plan for program changes, if any, as a result of this proposed course change:*

This credit change will not impact the total number of credits required to earn the MD degree due to the addition of the MED 800: Anatomy course. The 2022-2023 Graduate Catalog will need to update the credit change for this MED 804 course.

We have submitted a New Graduate Course form for the new MED 800 course. It makes up the credit removed from this MED 804 course, so it will not impact the total number of credits required to earn the Doctor of Medicine (MD) degree.

CROSS-LISTING OR COMBINING COURSES

300- or 400-level courses may be cross-listed with 500-level courses; 400-level courses may also be cross-listed to 600-level courses. Courses that are at the 700 level and above may not be cross-listed with undergraduate courses.

- Select one of the options:***
- Same As= e.g. Undergraduate: same content and same career (UG/UG). Graduate: Same/similar course content and same career (Grad/Grad)
 - Cross-listing= Cross-listed courses contain the same or similar content and may be in different programs (e.g. WMST 621 & SOC 621) or different careers (e.g. BIOL 467 & BIOL 667 or PSC 722 & PHIL 728)
 - Not Cross-Listed or Same As Not changing crosslisting

List cross-listing courses (or type "none" or "no changes"):* none

CROSS-LISTING RATIONALE

Please answer the following questions in the "rationale" field below:

What aspect of graduate preparation is met via this course that goes beyond the undergraduate program?

What common aspects are offered in the cross-listings and what grad level pieces are not?

What would be beneficial in offering the cross-listed courses from a graduate education perspective?

Cross-listing or Combining Rationale:

Service Learning Designation

Are you adding a Service-Learning designation to this course?* Yes No

If the Service-Learning designation or Crosslisting is being added to this course:

An accessible syllabus in Word or PDF format must accompany this form.

Graduate syllabi must meet the minimum criteria as required by the Provost's office (See Semester Memo under Executive Vice President and Provost Policies and Forms <https://www.unlv.edu/policies/current-policies>). Graduate courses that are linked to undergraduate courses (300/500 and 400/600 level joint courses) must clearly state in the syllabus how the class experience and expectations are different for graduate students, what additional requirements students enrolled in the graduate level course must fulfill, and how the grading scale will be applied to graduate students.

Please attach a current accessible syllabus by navigating to the “attach a file” icon at the right of this form.

Information about Service-Learning is available [here](#). Faculty can visit the [faculty Service-Learning page](#) as well as the [UNLV Guide for Service Learning](#) for additional information.

If adding Service-Learning designation and/or Crosslisting the course, an accessible syllabus is attached:*

Attached Not Applicable

II. Course Change Information

Prefix and Number Change

Current Prefix and/or Number: MED 804

New Prefix and/or Number:

Credit change

Fixed/Variable Credits: Fixed Variable

If fixed, enter number of credits. If variable, enter minimum and maximum credits (E.g., 1-3).

Number of Credits: 4

Course Repeatability

Can students repeat this course? Yes No

If yes, insert maximum credits students can earn (blank=unlimited):

Grading Change

- Grading System:** Letter Grade
 S/U
 S/F (will count towards GPA)
 S/X/F for Thesis/Dissertation

Does this course have any non-credit components? Yes No

- If yes, indicate component(s):**
- Clinical
 - Discussion
 - Field Studies
 - Independent Study
 - Internship
 - Laboratory
 - Lecture
 - Practicum
 - Research
 - Seminar
 - Supervision
 - Thesis Research
 - Dissertation Research

Requisite Change (if any)

Graduate standing is the default prerequisite for all graduate-level courses.

Prerequisites: School of Medicine student in good standing.

The passing grade for prerequisite courses is assumed as B- unless stated otherwise. Please indicate a different passing grade for this course prerequisites if applicable:

Corequisites - course(s) that must be taken concurrently:

Is this course change connected to differential fees?* Yes No

If yes, explain:

- Indicate the instructional modes that should be available for scheduling:**
- In Person Supplemental Web
 - Field Study
 - Hybrid
 - Independent Study
 - Web-based
 - Web-based w/ on/off campus meeting
 - Other

If other instructional mode, please describe and explain:

"Notes" information

Previous catalogs offered a field called "notes" with some course information. This "notes" section is being eliminated. Any information in that section will not be displayed in future catalogs.

Notes:

Acknowledgement:* I acknowledge that notes will not appear in the new catalog

III. Evaluation of Library Resources

Indicate library resources that will be needed as a result of changes to this course (if applicable).

Will this course change require changes to library resources?* Yes No

Core Journals:

Core Books:

Electronic Resources:



This section is completed by the librarian


Level of support the Library can provide:

Library Comments:

READY TO SUBMIT?

After making all your intended changes, please follow these steps:

1. Finish the launch of your proposal by clicking the decisions icon  located to the right of the form. This will display a new decision/approval field on the top right.
2. Click on "approve", add an optional comment if necessary, and then click on the "Make My Decision" button at the bottom to move the proposal forward to the next step. You will see a notification indicating that the proposal has moved forward. You will not be able to edit after moving the proposal forward.
3. Please note that it is your responsibility as the proposer to see that the proposal is reviewed and receives all necessary approvals. Please be encouraged to reach out to reviewers on each step, if necessary.
4. You can check the status of the proposal by clicking on the workflow status icon  to verify that the proposal has gone to the next step.


The workflow status icon  will also show you the current step of the proposal at any given time, and who are the reviewers at that step.


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IV. Department Vote Information

Note: This section is to be filled out by the Department Chair on behalf of the department committee.

(The role has been assigned to the corresponding person on this step. If incorrect, please notify gradcurriculum@unlv.edu)

1. Review the proposal. Discuss and make appropriate revisions.
2. Fill in vote information in the fields below, along with the approval.
3. Then approve/reject by clicking the decisions icon  located to the right of the form. This will display a new decision/approval field on the top right. Click on "approve", add an optional comment if necessary, and then click on the "Make My Decision" button at the bottom to move the proposal forward to the next step. You will see a notification indicating that the proposal has moved forward. You will not be able to edit after moving the proposal forward.

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If there were any modifications to the proposal, please enter them in the comments box below:

Comments:

Date faculty voted on proposal: 3/09/2022

Result of vote (Number of yes/no/abstention votes): 15/0/0

Manner of vote (online, in-person, etc.): online


V. College Vote Information

Note: This section is to be filled out by the Academic Associate Dean on behalf of the college/school committee.

(The role has been assigned to the corresponding person on this step. If incorrect, please notify gradcurriculum@unlv.edu)

1. Review the proposal. Discuss and make appropriate revisions.

2. Fill in vote information in the fields below, along with the approval.

3. Then approve/reject by clicking the decisions icon  located to the right of the form. This will display a new decision/approval field on the top right. Click on "approve", add an optional comment if necessary, and then click on the "Make My Decision" button at the bottom to move the proposal forward to the next step. You will see a notification indicating that the proposal has moved forward. You will not be able to edit after moving the proposal forward.

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Date faculty voted on proposal: 3/09/2022

Result of vote (Number of yes/no/abstention votes): 21/0/1

Manner of vote (online, in-person, etc.): online

VI. Graduate College and Registrar Use Only

PS Processing Notes:

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Curriculog	4/21/2022 1:09 pm Reply
Emily Lin has approved this proposal on Graduate College Dean.	
Curriculog	4/21/2022 10:26 am Reply
Graduate Curriculum has approved this proposal on Graduate Course Review Committee.	
Curriculog	4/20/2022 5:13 pm Reply
James Navalta has approved this proposal on behalf of Graduate Course Review Committee. See Graduate Course Review Committee 4-13-2022c for more information.	
Curriculog	3/14/2022 9:19 pm Reply
Med Chair has approved this proposal on School/College Associate Dean/ Dean.	
Curriculog	3/14/2022 9:19 pm Reply
Med Chair has approved this proposal on School/College Committee.	
Curriculog	3/14/2022 9:19 pm Reply
Med Chair has approved this proposal on Department Chair.	
Curriculog	3/14/2022 8:49 am Reply
Med Coordinator has approved this proposal on Graduate Coordinator.	
Curriculog	3/11/2022 11:06 am Reply
Graduate Curriculum has approved this proposal on Technical Review.	
Curriculog	3/10/2022 5:10 pm Reply
Corrin Sullivan has approved this proposal on Originator.	
Curriculog	3/10/2022 5:10 pm Reply
Corrin Sullivan has launched this proposal.	

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3/10/2022 4:20 pm [Reply](#)

Corrin Sullivan imported from the map 2022-2023 - Working Graduate Catalog into the following proposal fields: I.General Information: Department:, I.General Information: Current Prefix:, I.General Information: Current Number:, I.General Information: Long Course Name:, I.General Information: Catalog Description 50 words limit (read guidelines above); II. Course Change Information: Prerequisites;, II. Course Change Information: Corequisites - course(s) that must be taken concurrently;, II. Course Change Information: Notes:.