

KENT STATE UNIVERSITY CERTIFICATION OF CURRICULUM PROPOSAL

Preparation Date _____ Curriculum Bulletin _____
Effective Date **Fall 2019** Approved by EPC _____

Department **Public Health**
College **PH - Public Health**
Degree **MPH - Master of Public Health**
Program Name **Public Health** Program Banner Code **PH**
Concentration(s) **Environmental Health Sciences** Concentration(s) Banner Code(s) **EHS**
Proposal **Temporarily suspend admissions**

Description of proposal:

This proposal seeks to suspend the admission of students to the Environmental Health Sciences concentration within the Master of Public Health (MPH) Degree program. The college needs to reevaluate the demand for this program and campus offering location.

Does proposed revision change program's total credit hours? Yes No

Current total credit hours: 46 Proposed total credit hours: 46

Describe impact on other programs, policies or procedures (e.g., duplication issues; enrollment and staffing considerations; need; audience; prerequisites; teacher education licensure):

None

Units consulted (other departments, programs or campuses affected by this proposal):

None

REQUIRED ENDORSEMENTS

Department Chair / School Director / /

Campus Dean (for Regional Campuses proposals) / /

Sonia Aleman
College Dean (or designee) / /

Dean of Graduate Studies (for graduate proposals) / /

Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost (or designee) / /

Proposal Summary

Suspension of MPH EHS Concentration in Public Health

Description of Action, Including Intended Effect

This proposal seeks to request a suspension of admission for the Environmental Health Sciences (EHS) Concentration due to low enrollment.

The EHS program has traditionally been a low enrollment program. Due to budgetary issues this program needs to be reevaluated to determine program viability.

Impact on Other Programs, Course Offerings, Students, Faculty, Staff (e.g., duplication issues)

The impact of this suspension will impact a limited number of graduate students in the College of Public Health. Graduate advising is aware of this proposal and has been working with students on the defined teach out plan.

Fiscal, Enrollment, Facilities and Staffing Considerations

None

Evidence of Need and Sustainability if Establishing

None

Provisions for Phase-Out if Inactivating

Graduate students who have been impacted by the suspension have received communication from their assigned advisor.

Timetable and Actions Required: *a chronology of actions required to approve the proposal with an anticipated implementation date for each action*

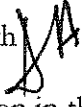
Fall 2019-Fall 2021 - Suspension of the concentration



Transmittal Memo

Date: November 9, 2018

To: Therese Tillett, Director Curriculum Services
Educational Policies Council (EPC)

From: Dr. Sonia Alemagno, Dean College of Public Health 

Re: Changes to the Environmental Health Concentration in the MPH

On behalf of the College of Public Health, please find the attached materials to request a suspension of admission to the Environmental Health Sciences concentration within the Master of Public Health (MPH) Degree program. The college needs to reevaluate the demand for this program and campus offering location.

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