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Proposal

REQUEST: Rename the “Department of Public Health” to “Department of Public Health & Nutrition”

EFFECTIVE: Fall 2022

FROM: Dr. Ryan C. Hendrickson, Acting Dean, CHHS
Dr. Julie Dietz, Chair, Public Health Department
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RATIONALE: The department name change will reflect the merger of the Nutrition & Dietetics program and the Department of Public Health. The merger will begin at the onset of the spring semester, January 3, 2022, per a memorandum of understanding. The merger of the two academic units is supported by faculty in both departments/programs.

Date approved by the college curriculum committee: 10/14/2021

Date approved by CAA: 10/29/2021

Date approved by CGS: