# KINGSBOROUGH COMMUNITY COLLEGE 

The City University of New York

## CURRICULUM TRANSMITTAL COVER PAGE

Department: $\qquad$ Date: March 9, 2020

Title Of Course/Degree/Concentration/Certificate:
A.S. in Exercises Science

Change (s) Initiated: (Please check)
$\square$ Closing of Degree
$\square$ Closing of Certificate
$\square$ New Certificate Proposal
$\square$ New Degree Proposal
$\square$ New Course
$\square$ New 82 Course (Pilot Course)
$\square$ Deletion of Courses)

Change in Degree or Certificate
$\square$ Change in Degree: Adding Concentration
$\square$ Change in Degree: Deleting Concentration
$\square$ Change in Prerequisite, Corequisite, and/or Pre/Co-requisite
$\square$ Change in Course Designation
$\square$ Change in Course Description
$\square$ Change in Course Title, Number, Credits and/or Hours
$\square$ Change in Academic Policy
$\square$ Pathways Submission:
$\square$ Life and Physical Science
$\square$ Math and Quantitative Reasoning
$\square$ A. World Cultures and Global Issues
$\square$ B. U.S. Experience in its Diversity
$\square$ C. Creative Expression
$\square$ D. Individual and Society
$\square$ E. Scientific World
$\square$ Change in Program Learning Outcomes
$\square$ Other (please describe): $\qquad$

## PLEASE ATTACH MATERIAL TO ILLUSTRATE AND EXPLAIN ALL CHANGES

## DEPARTMENTAL ACTION

Action by Departmentand/pr Departmental Committee, if required:
Date Approved:
 Signature, Committee Chairperson:


If submitted Curriculum Action affects another Department, signature of the affected Department (s) is required:
Date Approved:
 Signature, Department Chairperson:


I have reviewed the attached material/proposal
Signature, Department Chairperson: $\qquad$

## TO: SPRING 2020 Curriculum Committee

FROM: Donald Hume, Chair, Department of Health, Physical Education, and Recreation
DATE: 03/27/2020

RE: $\quad$ Change in Degree Requirements for A.S. Exercise Science

The Department of Health, Physical Education and Recreation is proposing a change to the degree requirements for the A.S. in Exercise Science

## Changes:

1. Deletion of HE 500, Weight Management ( 2 credits) is replaced with New Course EXS 2000, Exercise, Energy Balance, and Weight Management (3 credits)
2. Addition of PEC 800, Body Weight Resistance Training (1 credit) to Group III selection of PEC courses.
3. Deletion of 1 credit Elective to $\mathbf{0}$ credits Electives

## Rationale for Change:

The current requirement of HE 5000, Weight Management, is insufficient in preparing Exercise Science majors for study at the four-year college level, as well as working in careers such as personal trainer, physical educator, athletic trainer, physical therapist, etc. Half of this course is devoted to physical activity, which upon review, we feel is already included else where in our curriculum - e.g. EXS 1500 and five PEC courses. Creation of the New Course - EXS 2000, Exercise, Energy Balance, and Weight Management, adds additional academic material while decreasing the activity portion covered elsewhere in the curriculum. This course is more comprehensive and better prepares students for academic success in their undergraduate work as well as to help students prepare for working with future clients and/or patients with body weight issues.

The addition of PEC 800, Body Weight Resistance Training, supplies students with an additional option in Group III to meet the five-credit PEC course requirement for the degree program.

To accommodate the addition of EXS 2000, a 3-credit course, Elective credits are no longer available within the degree program.

| Add/Delete/Change | A.S. in Exercise Science |  |
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|  | HEGIS code: 5299.30 |  |
|  | Program code: 22486 |  |
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|  | CUNY CORE | CREDITS |
|  |  |  |
|  | REQUIRED CORE (4 Courses, 13 Credits) | 13 |
|  | When Required Core Courses are specified for a category they are required for the major*: |  |
|  | ENG 1200 | 3 |
|  | ENG 2400 | 3 |
|  | Mathematical and Quantitative Reasoning | 3 |
|  | Life and Physical Sciences: | 4 |
|  | BIO 1100 - Anatomy and Physiology I |  |
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|  | FLEXIBLE CORE (6 Courses, 19 Credits) | 19 |
|  | When Flexible Core Courses are specified for a category they are required for the major*. One course from each Group A to D. (Group E is satisfied by courses shown.) |  |
|  | A. World Cultures \& Global Issues |  |
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|  | BIO 1200 - Anatomy and Physiology II |  |
|  | PSY 1100 - General Psychology |  |
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| CHANGE | DEPARTMENT REQUIREMENTS (8 Courses, 2728 Credits) | 2728 |
|  | EXS 500 - Introduction to Exercise Science | 3 |
|  | EXS 1300 - Fitness Assessment and Program Design | 3 |
|  | EXS 1500 - Lifetime Strength and Flexibility | 3 |
| ADD | EXS 2000 - Exercise, Energy Balance, and Weight Management | 3 |
|  | HE 3500 First Aid and Personal Safety | 2 |
|  | HE 4200 - Health and Nutrition | 3 |
| DELETE | HE 5000-Weight Management | 2 |
|  | HPE 1200 - Concepts of Wellness | 3 |
|  | BA 6000 - Introduction to Computer Concepts | 3 |
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|  | AND |  |
|  | Select five (5) courses form among the following three groups, with no more than two (2) courses from any group | 5 |
|  |  |  |
|  | Group I |  |
|  | PEC 1900 - Aerobic Dance | 1 |
|  | PEC 2000 - Walk, Jog, Run | 1 |
|  | PEC 7100 - High Intensity Fitness Training | 1 |
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|  | Group II |  |
|  | PEC 3000 - Swimming for Non-Swimmers | 1 |


|  | PEC 3300 - Advanced Swimming | 1 |
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|  | PEC 6500 - Aqua Exercise | 1 |
|  | Group III |  |
| ADD | PEC 800 - Body Weight Resistance Training | 1 |
|  | PEC 2500 - Tai Chi Chuan | 1 |
|  | PEC 2900 - Introduction to Hatha Yoga |  |
|  | PEC 5600 - Pilates System of Exercise | 1 |
|  | PEC 2700 - Beginner Karate and Self-Defense |  |
|  | PEW 2100 - Personal Self-Defense for Women | 1 |
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|  | ELECTIVES: | 40 |
| CHANGE | 70 credits sufficient to meet required total of 60 . Recommended: A Student Development course or Integrative Seminar course as part of a Learning Community |  |
|  | TOTAL CREDITS: 60 | 60 |
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|  | NOTE: *This program has a waiver to require particular courses in the Common Core; otherwise more than the minimum credits for the degree may be necessary |  |
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