UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON
COLLEGE OF PHARMACY
MEMORANDUM

TO: Undergraduate Council
FROM: Dr. Andrea Smesny
       Assistant Dean of Academics and Student Affairs
DATE: September 6, 2007
RE: Change in Math requirement

Action Requested: Change Math requirement from Math 1314 (3 hours) Calculus for Business and the Life Sciences to Math 1431 (3 hours) Calculus I

In 2005, PCAT (Pharmacy College Admission Test) revised its format to include an increased amount of Calculus. In addition, all Texas colleges of pharmacy had now required Calculus I for admission purposes.

There is a one semester hour credit increase.

The faculty reviewed and approved this change in 2006. Advisers began communication of the future change and preparation of students for the PCAT entrance exam beginning in 2005. The college admission office would like to implement this course change effective immediately.

I can be reached at 713-743-1298 or smesny@uh.edu if you have any questions.

Thank you.