



COLLEGE OF PHARMACY
PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES PROGRAM

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To Whom It May Concern:

The College of Pharmacy faculty has voted to approve these changes to the BS in Pharmaceutical Sciences degree.

1. Currently, the degree plan requires MATH 1330 (pre-calculus). The recommended change is MATH 1330 equivalent or higher.
 - a. Justification: Students who have taken Calculus I and II don't meet BSPS program degree requirements if MATH 1330 doesn't appear on their transcript (many times it is taken in HS and doesn't appear in PeopleSoft properly).

2. Currently, the degree plan requires one of the following Social Science Core course to be taken: PSYC 1300, SOC 1330 or ECON 2311. The recommended change is to allow any UH approved Social Science Core Course to be allowed.
 - a. Justification: UH has many core Social Science courses available, and if a student has met the UH core Social Science requirement, it is appropriate to consider them as having met the BSPS program Social Science pre-requisite as well.

Sincerely,



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