

To: Members of the graduate program committee

From: Schmidt College of Medicine

Re: course change requests and new course proposals

As the result of comments and suggestions made during and following the site visit by the Liaison Committee on Medical Education of the American Association of Medical Colleges to the medical school, a number of minor modifications to the courses which your group approved last spring have been implemented.

I have developed a chart which shows the item number in the course syllabus vs. the name and number of each course so you can quickly see the modifications made to the syllabi which were previously approved.

Item 1 notes a request to change the number of credit hours.

Item 4 which indicates a change in the course director is also checked for a number of the courses.

Item 6 indicates that the course description has been modified from the previous syllabi.

Item 7 which deals with course objectives have been changed in all of these courses. These new objectives were developed during faculty developments sessions before the LCME site visit by the faculty in the college.

Item 8 outlines changes in the number of exams during the course.

Item 9 notes the new grading system for the college of medicine.

Item 14 includes the new honor code policy developed for the college of medicine in addition to the FAU policy.

Item 21 indicates that the students will fill out the SPOT evaluations.

Item 22 indicates the faculty in each course. Many new faculty members have been hired since these were approved last spring.

With respect to the three new course requests, we would like to note that 2 previous course series called integrated patient care and physicianship skills were combined into a new course series which is now termed fundamentals of medicine. This was also done following a suggestion from the LCME site visit. We used one of the previously assigned course numbers to the courses in this new series.

Courses with a Course Change Request

Syllabus item numbers	BMS 6002	BMS 6005	BMS 6009	BMS 6020	BMS 6634		BMS 6162	BMS 6639	BMS 6638	BMS 6305	BMS 6631	BMS 6632
	<i>FBS 1</i>	<i>FBS 2</i>	<i>FBS 3</i>	<i>NB</i>	<i>GIHN</i>		<i>CV</i>	<i>Resp</i>	<i>Renal</i>	<i>I & I</i>	<i>H/O</i>	<i>ER</i>
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