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DATE: 2/24/16
RE: PRTM – Recreational Therapy Curriculum Adjustment

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The recreational therapy faculty put forward a request to add cognitive psychology to our curricular requirements for inclusion in the 2016-17 catalog due to new accreditation standards. It passed through the curriculum committees and was approved in late Fall 2015. However, upon further discussion with Dr. Cynthia Pury in Psychology (program coordinator), it was determined that the course content of cognitive psychology is far beyond what our students need for accreditation purposes, and it will be more difficult than originally anticipated to accommodate our students in the course.

As a result, we would like to remove PSYC 3330 and change the Concentration Requirement² (See advisor) from 3 credits to 6 credits in the second semester of the senior year.

The cognitive psychology content necessary to satisfy the new accreditation standards will be covered in other concentration area courses.

We apologize for the oversight and thank you for accommodating this request. Please let us know if you need any additional information.

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