



**SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF REGENTS**  
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**New Course Request**

<u>USD</u>	<u>UHS/UHSDN</u>	
<b>Institution</b>	<b>Division/Department</b>	
<u>Elizabeth M. Freeburg</u>		<u>3/26/18</u>
<b>Institutional Approval Signature</b>		<b>Date</b>

**Section 1. Course Title and Description**

Prefix & No.	Course Title	Credits
OCTH 783	Applying Evidence Based Practice in Occupational Therapy	1

<b>Course Description</b>	<p>Students will demonstrate an understanding of evidence-based practice as the application of evidence from three sources 1) research, 2) clinical knowledge, experience, and judgment, and 3) patient preference. Students will demonstrate proficiency in searching, interpreting, and appraising research evidence and integrate that knowledge with other sources of evidence to guide clinical practice decisions.</p>
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**Pre-requisites or Co-requisites** N/A

**Registration Restrictions**

Enrolled in online Post-Professional Doctor of Occupational Therapy program or PhD in Health Sciences
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**Section 2. Review of Course**

**2.1. Was the course first offered as an experimental course?**

- Yes (if yes, provide the course information below)                       No

**2.2. Will this be a unique or common course (place an "X" in the appropriate box)?**

*If the request is for a unique course, verify that you have reviewed the common course catalog via Colleague and the system [Course Inventory Report](#) to determine if a comparable common course already exists. List the two closest course matches in the common course catalog and provide a brief narrative explaining why the proposed course differs from those listed. If a search of the common course catalog determines an existing common course exists, complete the Authority to Offer an Existing Course Form.*

**Unique Course**

Prefix & No.	Course Title	Credits
OCTH 781	Evidence Based Practice	1
PHTH 781	Evidence Based Practice	1

*Provide explanation of differences between proposed course and existing system catalog courses below:*

<p>The proposed course is intended for occupational therapy practitioners who are master's prepared and enrolled in the post-professional doctor of occupational therapy program. The course will be specific to OT and will be provided 100% online. Master's prepared students have completed an entry-level EBP course given that it is an accreditation standard for all occupational therapy programs.</p>
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### **Section 3. Other Course Information**

**3.1. Are there instructional staffing impacts?**

- No.** Schedule Management, explain below: Course will be taught in-load for the designated faculty person or funded through self-support.

**3.2. Existing program(s) in which course will be offered:** Post-professional Doctor of Occupational Therapy (OTD)

**3.3. Proposed instructional method by university:** E-Seminar

**3.4. Proposed delivery method by university:** 015 – Internet asynchronous – term based instruction

**3.5. Term change will be effective:** Fall 2018

**3.6. Can students repeat the course for additional credit?**

- Yes, total credit limit: \_\_\_\_\_  No

**3.7. Will grade for this course be limited to S/U (pass/fail)?**

- Yes  No

**3.8. Will section enrollment be capped?**

- Yes, max per section: 30  No

**3.9. Will this course equate (i.e., be considered the same course for degree completion) with any other unique or common courses in the common course system database in Colleague and the [Course Inventory Report](#)?**

- Yes  No

**3.10. Is this prefix approved for your university?**

- Yes  No

### **Section 4. Department and Course Codes (Completed by University Academic Affairs)**

**4.1. University Department Code:** UOCTH

**4.2. Proposed [CIP Code](#):** 51.2306

*Is this a new CIP code for the university?*  Yes  No