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New Course Request

USD	School of Health Sciences
Institution	Division/Department
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Institutional Approval Signature	Date

Section 1. Course Title and Description

Prefix & No.	Course Title	Credits
HSC 604	Behavior Assessment	4

Course Description
This course examines a variety of behavioral assessment methods for (a) identifying the variables that contribute to behavioral problems and (b) guiding the design of effective behavioral interventions. Functional behavioral assessment techniques covered in this course include interviews, observations, descriptive assessments, and functional analyses.

Pre-requisites or Co-requisites (add lines as needed)

Prefix & No.	Course Title	Pre-Req/Co-Req?
HSC 601	Principles and Concepts ABA I	Pre-requisite
HSC 602	Single Subject Research Design	Pre-requisite

Registration Restrictions N/A

Section 2. Review of Course

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

If the request is for a unique course, institutions must review the common course catalog in the system course database 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. Courses requested without an attempt to find comparable courses will not be reviewed.

Unique Course

Prefix & No.	Course Title	Credits
None		

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

This course is uniquely designed to meet the national credential requirements of the Association for Behavior Analyst International (ABAI) Verified Course Sequence (VCS) approval. There are no South Dakota universities currently providing courses which meet the ABAI VCS approval.
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Section 3. Other Course Information

3.1. Are there instructional staffing impacts?

No. Schedule Management, explain below: All BCBA certification courses will be taught by adjunct faculty with specialization in the field of Applied Behavior Analysis.

3.2. Existing program(s) in which course will be offered (i.e., any current or pending majors, minors, certificates, etc.): Available to all disciplines within Health Sciences and Pending Board Certified Behavior Analyst (BCBA) Grad Certificate

3.3. Proposed instructional method by university: R-Lecture

3.4. Proposed delivery method by university: U01 Face-to-Face Term Based, U30 Hybrid

3.5. Term change will be effective: Fall 2021

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: UHSC

4.2. Banner Department Code: UHSC

4.3. Proposed [CIP Code](#): 42.2814-Applied Behavior Analysis

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