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Dear Colleagues:

The attached proposal from the School of Medicine for a new prefix, MEDI, Medicine, will be an agenda item for the March 14, 2025, Full University Curriculum Committee meeting.

Sincerely,

Susan Sanchez, Chair

cc: Provost S. Jack Hu

Dr. Marisa Pagnattaro



Date: February 14, 2025

School/College/Unit: School of Medicine

Department/Division: School of Medicine

New Prefix Requested: MEDI, Medicine

Justification: The Doctor of Medicine (M.D.) degree with a major in Medicine was approved by the Board of Regents in November 2024. The degree is offered by the School of Medicine. A new prefix, MEDI, is being requested as part of establishing the M.D. degree program. This prefix will apply to all M.D. degree courses. A single, unified course prefix establishes a clear identity for the medical school as it differentiates M.D. coursework from other health-related programs, provides administrative clarity, and facilitates course management. Furthermore, the M.D. curriculum is a longitudinal, integrated curriculum that spans over a four-year period. A unified prefix reinforces the structured and sequential nature of the M.D. program.

A sample of the courses to be offered under the MEDI prefix is as follows:

| Year 1 | New Prefix | Course |
|---------------|-------------------|--|
| | MEDI 5100 | Fundamentals |
| | MEDI 5110 | Musculoskeletal |
| | MEDI 5120 | Brain & Behavior |
| | MEDI 5130 | Renal/Cardiopulmonary I |
| | MEDI 5140 | G.I./Endocrine/Reproductive |
| Year 2 | | |
| | MEDI 5200 | Hematology/Oncology |
| | MEDI 5210 | Genitourinary System |
| | MEDI 5220 | Cardiopulmonary II |
| | MEDI 5230 | Digestive & Endocrine Systems |
| | MEDI 5240 | Behavior & Brain |
| | MEDI 5250 | Multi-System Disorders |
| Year 3 | | |
| | MEDI 6100 | Child & Adolescent Medicine Clerkship |
| | MEDI 6110 | Family Medicine Clerkship |
| | MEDI 6120 | Internal Medicine Clerkship |
| | MEDI 6130 | Neurology Clerkship |
| | MEDI 6140 | Palliative Care/Geriatrics Clerkship |
| | MEDI 6150 | Psychiatry Clerkship |
| | MEDI 6160 | Surgery Clerkship |
| | MEDI 6170 | Supplemental Patient Care Experience |
| | MEDI 6180 | Women's Health Clerkship |
| | MEDI 6190 | Longitudinal Radiology |
| | MEDI 6200 | Longitudinal Clinical Pharmacology |
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| Year 4 | | |
| | MEDI 6210 | Emergency Medicine Clerkship |
| | MEDI 7100 | Advanced Outpatient Experience |
| | MEDI 7110 | Advanced Inpatient Experience |
| | MEDI 7120 | Advanced Critical Care Medicine Experience |
| | MEDI 7130 – 7299* | Elective |
| | MEDI 7300 | Transition to Residency |

Documentation of Approval and Notification

Proposal: New prefix, MEDI, Medicine

College: School of Medicine

Departments: School of Medicine

Proposed Effective Term: Fall 2025

School/College:

- School of Medicine Senior Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, Dr. Erica Brownfield, 2/14/2025
- School of Medicine Dean, Dr. Shelley Nuss, 2/14/2025