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Course Change Request

Indiana University

Bloomington Campus

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- 1. School/Division Optometry
2. Academic Subject Code Opt
3. Current Course Number V748
4. Current Credit Hours 3.0
5. Current Title Principles & Methods of Physical Assessment and Medicine
6. Effective Semester/Year for changes listed below: FALL '08
7. Instructor: Meetz, Richard

Type of Change Requested (Check appropriate boxes and indicate changes)

- 8. Change course number to: (must be cleared with University Enrollment Services)
9. Current course title: Change to: Recommended abbreviation (optional) (Limited to 32 Characters including spaces)
10. Current credit hours fixed at: 3 or variable from: to Change to credit hours fixed at: 3.5 or variable from: to
11. Current lecture contact hours fixed at: or variable from: to Change to lecture contact hours fixed at: or variable from: to
12. Current non-lecture contact hours fixed at: or variable from: to Change to non-lecture contact hours fixed at: or variable from: to
13. Is this course currently graded with S-F (only) grades? Yes No Change to S-F (only) grading? Yes No
14. Does this course presently have variable title approval? Yes No Is variable title approval being requested? Yes No
15. Is this course being discontinued? For all campuses or for this campus only
16. Current course description

Change course description to (not to exceed 50 words)

17. Justification for change (Use additional paper if necessary)

18. Are the necessary reading materials currently available in the appropriate library?

19. A copy of every new course proposal must be submitted to departments, schools, or divisions in which there may be overlap of this course with existing courses or areas of strong concern, with instructions that they send comments directly to the originating Curriculum Committee. Please append a list of departments, schools, or divisions thus consulted.

Submitted by: [Signature] Date 12/3/07 Approved by: [Signature] Date 12/3/07
Department Chairman/Division Director Dean

Dean of Graduate School (when required) Date Chancellor/Vice-President Date

University Enrollment Services Date

After School/Division approval, forward the last copy (without attachments) to University Enrollment Services for initial processing, and the remaining four copies and attachments to the Campus Chancellor or Vice-President.

V-748  
PRINCIPLES & METHODS OF PHYSICAL ASSESSMENT & MEDICINE  
FALL 2008

**Course Objectives:**

- To understand the expanded role of the optometrist as a primary health care provider.
- To broaden the scope of examination skills and to introduce techniques traditionally used in medicine into the optometric setting.
- To learn to use of laboratory tests in the care and management of patients.
- To integrate these expanded assessment skills with knowledge gained from past courses and apply them to achieve a more holistic approach to patient care.

**TEXTS:** Bates' Guide to Physical Examination and History Taking, Bickley, L.S., 9<sup>th</sup> Ed.\*\*  
Lippincott Williams & Wilkins, 2007

Highly recommended: Andreoli, T.E. et al. Cecil's Essentials of Medicine, 6th Ed. W.B. Saunders Co., 2004.  
A list of required readings and recommended references is attached.

**INSTRUCTORS:** Course Director: R.E. Meetz, O.D., M.S.  
Optometry #513 855-7063

Course Coordinator: Lois Kaufmann, B.S.N., R.N.  
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Other Course Lecturers and Lab Assistants: Family Practice Physicians, Internal Medicine Specialists (Infectious Disease, Cardiology), Registered Nurses, Advanced Practice Nurses, Physicians' Assistants, Fourth Year Optometry Interns and Optometry Residents.

**MEETING TIMES & LOCATIONS:** See schedule of lectures.

Lecture times are subject to change to accommodate guest lecturers.

Labs for head/neck exams and neuro exams are evening sessions and will be specifically assigned. The list will be posted on the door of Dr. Meetz's office (513). Because of limitations of equipment and space, the size of each section must be controlled. If you wish to change sections, you will be responsible for finding someone who will trade with you and posting that change on the list. Other conflicts must be discussed with Dr. Meetz.

**COURSE GRADE:** Determined by the Z-scaled accumulated scores of the section tests, quizzes, a comprehensive final examination and a neurological/stroke screening with documentation.

*You must pass the Final Exam in order to receive a passing grade for the course.*  
Standard deviations equal to or greater than 2.5 below the mean will constitute a failing grade.

**ATTENDANCE:** Attendance at all sessions is required. Unexcused absences in excess of 10% of class time will result in a grade adjustment and may result in an incomplete for the course.

Note: As part of this requirement you are expected to review your exams after the grades are posted. Failure to meet this requirement will result in an adjustment of your course grade. During this review you may request in writing a reevaluation of the answers to any questions you missed. These requests for additional credit must be made before the next exam.

**Lecture Schedule:** V748 is a blended course with V745 Ocular Disease. The attached lecture schedule will be used for both courses with some topics matched.