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**2.Proposed Change**

Remove Junior Standing pre-requisite from DPEM 4533

**3.Effective Date**

1/8/2015

**4.Justification**

The course was originally cross listed with Nursing and was developed as an upper level nursing elective. Nursing no longer utilizes upper level electives so this junior standing pre-requisite is no longer needed.

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**DPEM 4523. Risk Identification and Prevention** Identifies actions communities, institutions and governments must take to identify the risk and prevent injury from man made and natural disas­ters, including acts of terrorism. Course topics include risk assessment, mitigation, surveillance, disaster epidemiology, emerging infections and socio political implications. Cross-listed as NRS 4523. Fall, odd.

**DPEM 4533. Disaster and Mental Health** Identifies evolving evidence related to the impact of disaster and mass violence on mental health. Considers natural and man-made disasters, short and long term effects and common treatment strategies. Registration restricted to Homeland Security and Disaster Preparedness minors or any major with permission of Instructor. Cross-listed as NRS 4533. ~~Prerequisite, Junior standing.~~ Spring, even.

**DPEM 4553. Capstone in Homeland Security & Disaster Preparedness** Application of skills and knowledge gained in the minor to the analysis of a specific need or problem and the design of solutions. Teamwork among various specialties with the field. Prerequisite, NRS 3503. Permission of instructor required. Cross listed as POSC 4553, NRS 4553. Spring.