### Department of Nursing: Proposed Curricular Changes RN-BSN (MAP)

#### Curriculum Change Proposal Form

1. Unit proposing the change: **DEPARTMENT OF NURSING, RN-BSN (MAP)**
2. Please check all appropriate items:

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<th>New Course:</th>
<th>Course Change:</th>
<th>Course Deletion:</th>
<th>Program Changes:</th>
<th>New Programs:</th>
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<td>☐ New Course Creation ² (include title, credits, description, etc.)</td>
<td>☐ Number (within level), title, description, pre-req change ¹</td>
<td>☐ Remove a Course ²</td>
<td>☐ Change to Major ¹</td>
<td>☐ New Degree ³</td>
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<td>☐ Course to be Cross Listed ²</td>
<td>☐ Add to LAE ⁴</td>
<td>☐ Remove a course that is currently in the LAE ¹</td>
<td>☐ Change to Minor ¹</td>
<td>☐ New Program in principle ⁴</td>
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<td>☐ Course to be included in LAE ⁵, ⁶</td>
<td>☐ Remove from LAE ⁵</td>
<td>☐ Change to LAE (change to the LAE itself) ⁵</td>
<td>☐ New Program with curriculum ⁴</td>
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<td>☐ Course Included in Major/Minor Requirements ¹</td>
<td>☐ Change in Cross-List Status ⁷</td>
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<td>☐ Special Course or non-credit workshop ⁸</td>
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¹ Curriculum Committee receive & report to faculty  
² 30 day faculty review required  
³ LAE assessment plan with assessment committee review required prior to CC consideration  
⁴ Full faculty approval required  
⁵ Curriculum Committee for action, approval published to faculty

#### Additional Information:

3. Proposed term of initial offering or implementation date: **Spring I session 2012**

4. Please provide the following information here or attached:
   a. recommended level: FR SO JR SR RN-BSN (MAP) only
   b. credit hours: **4 credits**
   c. title: **NURS 450 Critical Care and the Family**
   d. requirements it will satisfy: (major, minor, LAE, licensure): ________
   e. prerequisites or other special conditions: ________
   f. description of change: **Eliminate NURS 450 Critical Care and the Family as a required course in the RN-BSN curriculum plan. (We are not asking to delete the course because it continues to be required in the Pre-licensure BSN program.)**
   g. proposed catalog description:
   h. justification for change: **Please see the attached executive summary. The allocation of credit hours to this course in the RN-BSN curriculum is better allocated to new courses to better address the BSN Essentials, IOM recommendations, professional community needs, and marketability of the program.**
   i. staffing considerations:
      (1) can be taught by present staff __
      (2) will require additional staff __
   j. anticipated frequency of offering:
      (1) every semester ___

Approved by DON Faculty Organization, June 2011
(2) once a year
(3) alternate years

k. resources (facilities, equipment, supplies, library materials, etc.):

5. Signatures:
Department Chair: [Signature]
Department Vote: in favor 4 opposed 0 abstentions 0

Vice President of Graduate and Continuing Studies (MAP): (if applicable) [Signature]

Teacher Preparation Programs [Initial Licensure]: (if applicable) not applicable
Teacher Vote: in favor or opposed or abstain (circle one)

Division Coordinator: [Signature]
Division Vote: in favor 29 opposed 0 abstentions 0

Committee Chair (VPAA): [Signature]
Curriculum Committee vote: in favor 9 opposed 0 abstentions 0

6. Date of Resolution:
(a) 30-day approval period ends 
(b) date of faculty meeting for consideration

NOTE: See APAP section 110 for more information regarding changes to curriculum.