MEMORANDUM

Date: June 27, 2025

To: Michael M.I. Abecassis, Humberto and Czarina Lopez Endowed Dean, College of Medicine – Tucson
Geoffrey Gurtner, Chair, Department of Surgery, College of Medicine – Tucson
Tejal Parikh, Director, Comprehensive Education Center, College of Medicine – Tucson

From: Greg L. Heileman, Vice Provost, Undergraduate Education

Re: Notification of New Program Approval

This memorandum serves as formal notification and official record for approval to create an undergraduate major in *Bachelor of Science in Medical Device Development and Application* with emphases in *Medical Technology - Device; Medical Technology - Biotech /Pharma; Medical Technology - Business and Marketing/Media;* and *Medical Technology – Regulatory-Law-Government* on Main campus in the Department of Surgery (0702) within the College of Medicine – Tucson. The first term valid is Spring 2026.

By copy of this memo, I am requesting that appropriate changes be made to systems, records, and publications to reflect the creation of the program.

cc: Patricia Prelock, Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs
Gary Packard, Interim Senior Vice Provost, Online Initiatives
Caleb Simmons, Executive Director, Online Education
Marilyn Taylor, Associate Vice President, Finance and Administration
Amanda Gluski, Associate Registrar, Office of the Registrar
Academic Programs & Organizations Notifications Distribution List

The following has been created in UAccess.

Effective Date: 01/01/2026
Academic Plan Code: MDDABS / MDDABS2
Description: Med Device Development & App
Academic Program: UMDTC (College of Medicine)
Academic Career: *blank*
Academic Plan Type: Major / Secondary Major
First Term Valid: Spring 2026 (2261)
Degree Offered: BS
Req Term Default: Program's Requirement Term
Print on Diploma & Transcript: Checked
Diploma Description: Medical Device Development and Application
Transcript Description: Major in Medical Device Development and Application
CIP Code: 51.1199 (Health/Medical Preparatory Pro)
NSC Classification: Bachelor's Degree
Report as NSC Program: Checked
Program Length Type: Years
Program Length Value: 4.000
SULA Special Program: Not Applicable
Ownership, Academic Organization: 0702 (Surgery)
Campus & Locations:
     Campus: University of Arizona-Main (MAIN) – Location: Tucson (TUCSON)
     First Admit Term: Spring 2026
Budget Office Owner: 0702 (Surgery) – Percent Owned: 100.000
Total Units: 120
Effective Term: Spring 2026

     Effective Date: 01/01/2026
     Academic Subplan Code: BMM / BMM2
     Description: Business and Marketing/Media
          Associated to Plan Code: MDDABS / MDDABS2
          Description: Med Device Development & App
     Subplan Type: Emphasis
     First Term Valid: Spring 2026 (2261)
     Req. Term Default: Plan's Requirement Term
     Print on Diploma & Transcript: Checked

Diploma & Transcript Description: Business and Marketing/Media Emphasis

Campus & Locations:

 Campus: University of Arizona-Main (MAIN) – Location: Tucson (TUCSON)

 First Admit Term: Spring 2026 (2261)

Effective Term: Spring 2026 (2261)

Effective Date: 01/01/2026

Academic Subplan Code: BP / BP2

Description: Biotech/Pharma

 Associated to Plan Code: MDDABS / MDDABS2

 Description: Med Device Development & App

Subplan Type: Emphasis

First Term Valid: Spring 2026 (2261)

Req. Term Default: Plan's Requirement Term

Print on Diploma & Transcript: Checked

Diploma & Transcript Description: Biotech/Pharma Emphasis

Campus & Locations:

 Campus: University of Arizona-Main (MAIN) – Location: Tucson (TUCSON)

 First Admit Term: Spring 2026 (2261)

Effective Term: Spring 2026 (2261)

Effective Date: 01/01/2026

Academic Subplan Code: DEV / DEV2

Description: Device

 Associated to Plan Code: MDDABS / MDDABS2

 Description: Med Device Development & App

Subplan Type: Emphasis

First Term Valid: Spring 2026 (2261)

Req. Term Default: Plan's Requirement Term

Print on Diploma & Transcript: Checked

Diploma & Transcript Description: Device Emphasis

Campus & Locations:

 Campus: University of Arizona-Main (MAIN) – Location: Tucson (TUCSON)

 First Admit Term: Spring 2026 (2261)

Effective Term: Spring 2026 (2261)

Effective Date: 01/01/2026

Academic Subplan Code: RLG /RLG2

Description: Regulatory-Law-Government

       Associated to Plan Code: MDDABS / MDDABS2

       Description: Med Device Development & App

Subplan Type: Emphasis

First Term Valid: Spring 2026 (2261)

Req. Term Default: Plan's Requirement Term

Print on Diploma & Transcript: Checked

Diploma & Transcript Description: Regulatory-Law-Government Emphasis

Campus & Locations:

       Campus: University of Arizona-Main (MAIN) – Location: Tucson (TUCSON)

       First Admit Term: Spring 2026 (2261)

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