

**MEMORANDUM**

Date: June 14, 2022

To: Dr. Michael M. I. Abecassis, Dean, College of Medicine - Tucson  
Dr. Kevin Moynahan, Vice Dean, Education, College of Medicine - Tucson  
Dr. Kevin Loherty, Director, Physician Assistant Program, College of Medicine - Tucson

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

Re: Notification of new academic program approval

This memorandum serves as formal notification and official record for approval to create a new graduate degree of *Master of Physician Assistant Program* owned by the College of Medicine-Tucson. The first term valid is Fall 2024.

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

cc: Liesl Folks, Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost  
Greg Heileman, Vice Provost, Undergraduate Education, Academic Administration  
Craig Wilson, Vice Provost, Online and Distance Education  
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Academic Programs & Organizations Notifications Distribution List



**New Degree:**

Degree Code: MPAP  
Description: Master of Physician Assistant Practice  
Short Description: MPAP  
Formal Description: Master of Physician Assistant Practice  
Education Level: Master's Degree

**New Plan:**

Effective Date: 06/27/2022  
Academic Plan Code: PAMPAP  
Description: Physician Assistant  
Academic Career: blank  
Academic Program: GDEG (Graduate Degree Seeking)  
Academic Plan Type: Major  
First Term Valid: 2244 (Fall 2024)  
Degree Offered: MPAP (Master of Physician Assistant Practice)  
Req Term Default: Program's Requirement Term  
Transcript Description: Physician Assistant (this is the same for Diplomatic)  
CIP Code: 51.0912 (Physician Assistant.)  
NSC Classification: Master's Degree  
Report as NSC Program: Checked  
Program Length Type: Years  
Program Length Value: 2.000  
SULA Special Program: Not Applicable  
Ownership, Academic Organization: 0713 (Medicine) – Percent Owned: 100.000  
Campus & Locations  
    Campus: Main (MAIN) – Location: Tucson (TUCSON)  
Budget Office Owner: 0713 (Medicine) – Percent Owned: 100.000  
Total Units: 107

**New Subject Code**

Subject Area: PAP  
Description: Physician Assistant Program  
Short Description: PAP  
Formal Description: Physician Assistant Program  
Academic Organization: 0713 (Medicine)  
Effective Date: 01/01/1901