## Cover/Signature Page - Abbreviated Template

Institution Submitting Request: University of Utah

Proposed Title: NA

Currently Approved Title: Clinical Nurse Leader (Emphasis)

School or Division or Location: College of Nursing

Department(s) or Area(s) Location: MS in Nursing Degree Program

Recommended Classification of Instructional Programs (CIP) Code<sup>1</sup> (for new programs): 00.0000 Current Classification of Instructional Programs (CIP) Code (for existing programs): 51.3820

Proposed Beginning Date (for new programs): Institutional Board of Trustees' Approval Date:

## Proposal Type (check all that apply):

R401-5  Items submitted will be reviewed by OCHE. If there are any issues, the proposal will be returned for clarification/correction. If no issues, the proposal will be returned with a note of approval and the request will be placed on the General Consent Calendar of the next Regents' agenda.			R401-6  Items submitted will be reviewed by OCHE. If there are any issues, the proposal will be returned for clarification/correction. If no issues, the proposal will be returned with a note of approval and the request will be placed on the General Consent Calendar of the next Regents' agenda.		
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5.1.2		Certificate of Proficiency Not Eligible for Financial Aid			
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5.1.5		Program Transfer	]		
		Program Restructure	1		
		Program Consolidation	1		
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		Program Suspension	1		
5.1.7		Administrative Unit Creation	1		
		Administrative Unit Transfer	1		
		Administrative Unit Consolidation	1		
5.1.8		New Center	1		
		New Institute	1		
		New Bureau	1		
5.1.9		Graduate Certificate	1		

<sup>\*</sup>Requires "Section VI: Program Curriculum" of Abbreviated Template

Chief Academic Officer (or Designee) Signature:

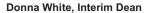
I certify that all required institutional approvals have been obtained prior to submitting this request to the Office of the Commissioner.

Signature

Date: 2/5/13

Printed Name: Vivian Lee

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> CIP codes must be recommended by the submitting institution. For CIP code classifications, please see http://nces.ed.gov/ipeds/cipcode/Default.aspx?y=55.





February 13, 2013

Vivian Lee Senior Vice President, Health Sciences Park 203 Campus

Dear Senior Vice President,

Enclosed is proposal to discontinue the Clinical Nurse Leader Emphasis; which was approved by the Graduate Council on January 28, 2013. Included in this proposal packet are the signature page and proposal.

Please forward this proposal to the Academic Senate to be placed on the information calendar for the next meeting of the Senate.

Sincerely,

Donna White

Interim Dean of the Graduate School

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## Program Emphasis Request University of Utah Nursing MS Program – Discontinuation of Clinical Nurse Leader Emphasis November 13, 2012

Section I: Request

The College of Nursing (CoN) at the University of Utah requests permission to discontinue the Clinical Nurse Leader (CNL) emphasis within our Nursing Master's (MS) Program.

On November 9, 2012 the CoN voted and approved the discontinuation of this CNL emphasis at the College Council (the governing body) meeting. This action was based on the recommendation of the MS and DNP Program Committee and the vote was unanimous in favor of discontinuation.

Section II: Need

The last cohort of students in the CNL program graduated in May 2012. No new students have enrolled in the program in the past three years. Although this emphasis has been a successful program in other parts of the country, the CNL emphasis has not resonated with the health care market in the Intermountain west. At the same time, related to new models of health care delivery, preparation of Care Managers has been identified as a critical need. The College of Nursing has developed and requested approval for a new emphasis in Care Management. The Care Management emphasis utilizes much of the core courses and elements of our CNL curriculum while adding new courses in Care Management specifically, thus rendering the CNL emphasis area obsolete.

Section III: Institutional Impact

The impact of discontinuing the CNL emphasis will be negligible as this option has been essentially closed for two years and all students have graduated. We anticipate increased interest in the Care Management emphasis which we are well positioned to offer.

Section IV: Finances

No financial impact is anticipated as a result of this emphasis area discontinuation.