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SUI REQUEST TO RENAME PhD IN HEALTH MANAGEMENT AND POLICY PROGRAM

Action Requested:

Consider SUI's Request to rename the PhD in Health Management and Policy to the PhD in Health Services and Policy.

Executive Summary:

The university reports that the program develops leaders for academic, research, and policy positions with an emphasis on strong research skills in the areas of health services and health policy. The university reports the requested name would better reflect the program's mission and focus. The name change would entail no changes to the curriculum or to degree requirements.

Background:

Board of Regents policy (§ 6.05c) requires universities' requests for academic program name changes to be presented to the Board for consideration and approval. The Council of Provosts and the Board Office recommend approval of this request.