# **BS IN RECREATION THERAPY**



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- 3. Wed, 14 Sep 2022 22:25:10 GMT Heather Thompson (heather.thompson): Rollback to Initiator
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# History

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**Viewing: BS in Recreation Therapy** 

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Academic Group: (College) Health & Human Services

**Academic Organization: (Department)** 

Recreation, Parks, and Tourism Administration

Catalog Year Effective: 2022-2023 Catalog

### Individual(s) primarily responsible for drafting the proposed degree major program:

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#### Type of Program Proposal:

Major

**Program Change Type:** 

Non-Substantive

Is this a pilot program?

No

Pilot program as of:

NA

Is this a Fast Track program?

Yes

Title of the Program:

BS in Recreation Therapy

Designation: (degree terminology)

**Bachelor of Science** 

### Briefly describe the program proposal (new or change) and provide a justification:

We are requesting to remove this requirement from the Catalogue: That students have to complete a portfolio requirement. We are removing this requirement because the university does not financially support portfolio platforms. Thus, students in the Recreation Therapy degree will not be required to complete a portfolio requirement.

### **University Learning Goals**

### **Undergraduate Learning Goals:**

Competence in the disciplines Personal and social responsibility

Will this program be required as part of a teaching credential program, a single subject, or multiple subject waiver program (e.g., Liberal Studies, Biology) or other school personnel preparation program (e.g., School of Nursing)?

No

Do these changes impact the Smart Planner roadmap?

No

**Catalog Description:** 

Units required for Major: 70-71 Total units required for BS: 120

# **Program Description**

The BS in Recreation Therapy focuses on recreation services for individuals who are ill, disabled, elderly, or incarcerated. It can be applied in clinical, transitional, and community based settings. Emphasis is on therapeutic recreation as it applies to children and adults who are physically, mentally, socially, and/or emotionally challenged.

#### Note:

- Students graduating with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Recreation Therapy will not be subject to the University's Foreign Language Graduation Requirement. Students who change major may be subject to the University's Foreign Language Graduation Requirement.
- No more than 6 units of RPTA 198 and RPTA 199 in combination may be used to meet program requirements. No more than 3 units of RPTA 198 may be used to meet major requirements.
- RPTA 21, RPTA 100 and RPTA 122 may not be used to meet program requirements.

Admission Requirements: Course prerequisites and other criteria for admission of students to the degree major program, and for their continuation in it.

# **Minimum Grade Requirement**

Grade of "C-" or better is required in all courses applied to the major.

As defined by policy http://www.csus.edu/umanual/acadaff/fsm00010.htm, a change in units constitutes a substantive change to the program. If your changes constitute a substantive change, please refer back to the "Program Change Type" field above to ensure that "Substantive" is selected.

Program Requirements: (If new courses are being created as part of a new program, it will be useful to propose courses first.)

# **Program Requirements**

Code	Title	Units
Required Lower Division Course	es (10 Units)	
RPTA 1	Orientation to Recreation, Parks and Tourism Administration	1
RPTA 30	Recreation, Parks and Tourism in Contemporary Society	3
RPTA 32	Leadership and Group Development	3
RPTA 42	Recreation and Parks: Natural, Cultural, and Heritage Resources	3
<b>Required Upper Division Course</b>	s (42-43 Units)	
RPTA 102	Recreation Therapy Professional Practice	1
RPTA 105	Management in Recreation, Parks and Tourism	3
RPTA 106	Introduction to Inclusive Recreation and Recreation Therapy	3
RPTA 110	Research and Evaluation in Recreation, Parks and Tourism	3
RPTA 115	Recreation Therapy Assessment and Documentation	3
RPTA 116	Recreation Therapy Principles and Practices and the Recreation Therapy Process	3
RPTA 117	Recreation Therapy and Contemporary Aspects of Disability	3
RPTA 118	Recreation Therapy Facilitation Techniques	3
RPTA 119	Recreation Therapy Management and Advancement of the Profession	3
RPTA 136	Program and Event Planning in Recreation, Parks and Tourism	3
RPTA 195D	Recreation Therapy Internship	14 -
		15
	Supportive Coursework (18 Units)	
Select 18 units		18
Total Units		70-71

Supportive coursework units selected in consultation with a major advisor, including at least 3 units each in 1. Abnormal Psychology, Life span Human Development, and Human Anatomy/Human Physiology;

Advisor approval required to assure compliance with certification requirements.

### **General Education Requirements**

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Code	Title	Units
Area A: Basic Subjects (9 Units)		
A1 - Oral Communication		3
A2 - Written Communication		3
A3 - Critical Thinking		3
Area B: Physical Universe and It	s Life Forms (13 Units)	
B1 - Physical Science		3
B2 - Life Forms		3
B3 - Lab (Note: Lab experience t	o be taken with one of the following: B1, B2 or B5)	1
B4 - Math Concepts		3
B5 - Additional Course (Any B to	reach 12 units) - Take upper-division course to complete Area & upper division requirements.	3
Area C: Arts and Humanities (12	! Units)	
C1 - Arts		3
C2 - Humanities		3
C1/C2 - Area C Course		3
C1/C2 - Area C Course - Take up	per-division course to complete Area & upper division requirements.	3
Area D: The Individual and Socie	ety (9 Units)	
Area D Course		3

<sup>2. 9</sup> units of Human Service Classes, as defined by NCTRC.

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Total Units	
Area F Course	3
Area F: Ethnic Studies (3 Units)	
Area E Course	0
Area E: Understanding Personal Development	
Area D Course - Take upper-division course to complete Area & upper division requirements.	
Area D Course	3

### **Fiscal Impact to Change an Existing Program**

Indicate programmatic or fiscal impact which this change will have on other academic units' programs, and describe the consultation that has occurred with affected units:

There is no fiscal impact since the university no longer supports portfolio platforms – thus, we are no longer requiring our students to complete them.

#### Provide a fiscal analysis of the proposed changes:

There is no fiscal impact since the university no longer supports portfolio platforms – thus, we are no longer requiring our students to complete them.

How will the above changes be accommodated within the department/College existing fiscal resources?

N/A

Will the proposed changes require additional resources?

No

What additional space, equipment, operating expenses, library, computer, or media resources, clerical/technical support, or other resources will be needed?

N/A

#### **Reviewer Comments:**

Heather Thompson (heather.thompson) (Wed, 14 Sep 2022 22:25:10 GMT): Rollback: Rolled back following department request.

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