Nevada System of Higher Education
Health Sciences System

Fiscal Year 2011/12
Proposed Programmatic Focus
NSHE HEALTH SCIENCES SYSTEM (HSS)

HSS ADMINISTRATION

- Manage General HSS Administration & Program Support
- Support Regents’ HSS Committee
- Facilitate HSS Council

NSHE/UMC ACADEMIC HEALTH CENTER (AHC)

- Represent NSHE in AHC Planning and Development Efforts
- Participate in AHC Technical and Strategic Planning Efforts
- Facilitate AHC Partnership Development and Related Community & Government Relations

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HSS ADMINISTRATION

Manage General HSS Administration & Program Support
- Manage HSS General Administration (Human Resources, Budget/Funding, Purchasing, Support General NSHE Initiatives, etc.)
- Manage HSS Program Support, (Meeting Planning & Facilitation, Travel, Consultants, Manage Projects, etc.)
- Manage HSS Communications, Government & Community Relations (Internal & External)

Support Regents’ HSS Committee
- Support Regents’ Health Sciences System Committee
- Support Regents on General HSS Issues

Facilitate HSS Council
- Promote Ability to Meet State & Student Needs
- Promote Internal Collaboration
- Promote External Collaboration

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Represent NSHE with Clark County UMC Board of Trustees and Commissioners

Represent NSHE on UMC Hospital Advisory Board

Represent NSHE on UMC/NSHE Technical Advisory Committee

Participate in NSHE/UMC Management Committee and Support Technical and Strategic Planning

Manage NSHE AHC Internal Stakeholder Planning Group (Medical, Dental, Nursing, etc.)

Facilitate Planning and Development of Facilities

Facilitate Government Relations (Local, State, Federal)

Facilitate Community Relations

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Review and make recommendations to the HSS Committee and the Chancellor regarding existing health sciences programs and consider new programs and structures that may be necessary to meet state needs.

Review existing health sciences programs for unnecessary duplication and make recommendations to address or justify such redundant programs.

Promote the Ability to Meet State and Student Needs

Provide for opportunities for communication among NSHE institutions and faculty to identify and promote best practices for ensuring quality health sciences programs.

Establish collaborative protocols whereby the various health sciences programs across the System work together toward goals established by the Board of Regents and the Council.

Promote Internal Collaboration

Review partnerships between NSHE health sciences programs and health care providers in Nevada and recommend strategies and procedures to strengthen such partnerships, especially internships and residencies.

Review partnerships between NSHE health sciences programs and State of Nevada health programs, including both physical and mental health services provided by the State in both rural and urban areas, and recommend strategies and procedures to strengthen such partnerships.

Promote External Collaboration

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Section 24. Health Sciences System Council

1. The NSHE Health Sciences System Council is hereby established as a statewide collaboration of NSHE health science program administrators and faculty to promote and advance health education, health research, health care, and community outreach through maximizing and enhancing resources among all NSHE institutions efficiently and effectively within a framework of access, quality, value and the needs of the citizens of the State of Nevada. The Health Sciences System Council shall report to the Chancellor.

2. [Membership of the Health Sciences System Council to be determined.]

3. The Health Sciences System Council shall meet at least quarterly and provide regular reports and recommendations to the Health Sciences System Committee of the Board of Regents.

4. The charge of the Council shall be set by the Chancellor to include, but not be limited to, the following:
   a. Review and make recommendations to the Health Sciences System Committee and the Chancellor regarding existing health science programs and consider new programs and structures that may be necessary to meet both student and state needs;
   b. Review existing health science programs for unnecessary redundancies and make recommendations to address or justify such redundant programs;
   c. Provide for opportunities for communication among NSHE institutions and faculty to identify and promote best practices for ensuring quality health science programs;
   d. Establish collaborative protocols whereby the various health sciences programs across the System work together toward goals established by the Board of Regents and the Council;
   e. Review partnerships between NSHE health sciences programs and health care providers in Nevada and recommend strategies and procedures to strengthen such partnerships, especially internships and residencies; and
   f. Review partnerships between NSHE health sciences programs and State of Nevada health programs, including both physical and mental health services provided by the State in both rural and urban areas, and recommend strategies and procedures to strengthen such partnerships.