SUMMARY - UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM - MAJOR MODIFICATION PROPOSAL

Name of Existing Program:	Bachelor of Health Sciences (Honours and General)
Academic Unit(s):	Faculty of Health Sciences
Proposed Implementation Date:	September 2019

✓ Significant changes to the existing mode(s) of delivery (e.g. different campus, on-line, blended learning, inter-institutional collaborations, etc.)**

Major Modifications: Description of Existing Program, Nature of the Major Modification, and Rationale for Proposed Change

- This proposal requests approval for a direct-entry, on-campus version.
- The online Bachelor of Health Sciences (BHSc) degree program is approved for both honours and general.
- Demand for both an online and an on-campus BHSc program is high environmental scans (Queen's Business Consulting (2015), Academica Group (2017)).
- BHSc programs are currently extremely high yield programs across Canada, attracting high quality students interested in advancing their career opportunities in the health care sector.
- Vice-Provost and Dean of Student Affairs has stated that recruitment data fully supports that an on campus BHSc program would be highly sought after by highly qualified students.
- The curriculum, degree level expectations, and learning outcomes will remain the same as the existing approved program.
- The discussions regarding this proposal for an on-campus BHSc program have included: the Provost, Vice-Provost (Teaching and Learning), the Dean, Vice-Dean (Education) and Associate Dean of Life Sciences and Biochemistry from the Faculty of Health Sciences, the Dean and the Assistant Dean (Studies) from Arts and Science, and the Vice-Provost and Dean of Student Affairs.
- FHS has committed the required resources, including teaching faculty, teaching assistants, and classroom space.

Mode of Delivery

- The delivery of course content will include face-to-face, blended and fully online components.
- The on-campus versions of the core courses will normally be delivered in a flipped classroom format.
- Option courses can either be taken on campus or online.
- As the BHSc degree program has a competency-based curriculum, all course assessments have been designed to align with the program's core competencies as well as the course and program learning outcomes (core competencies: advocate, collaborator, communicator, leader, professional, and scholar).

Anticipated Enrolment

Each year of entry: 75/25 Domestic/International or 50/50 Domestic/International (Provost's decision)