



**NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM**  
*H. Martin Lancaster, President*

January 14, 2008

**RESPONSE DEADLINE:** February 4, 2008

**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Select Chief Academic Officers  
Colleges Approved to Offer SUR 122

**FROM:** Delores A. Parker, Vice President  
Academic and Student Services

**SUBJECT:** Requested Revision in *Combined Course Library* Course

The System Office has received a request to revise the following course contained in the *Combined Course Library*:

SUR 122 Surgical Procedures I

Attached is a form requesting your approval or disapproval of the proposed change.

***Please complete and return the form to Renee Batts by February 4, 2008.***

You may fax your response to (919) 807-7164. Once the responses have been received at the System Office, the request will be presented to the Curriculum Review Committee for action at their March meeting.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. If you have questions, please contact Renee Batts at (919) 807-7118 or [battsr@nccommunitycolleges.edu](mailto:battsr@nccommunitycolleges.edu).

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Attachment

c: Select Presidents  
Judith C. Mann  
Renee Batts

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**College Recommendation**  
Course Revision Request  
**SUR 122 Surgical Procedures I**

**Current Course Information:**

<b>SUR 122</b>	<b>Surgical Procedures I</b>	5	3	0	6
Prerequisites:	SUR 110 and SUR 111				
Corequisites:	SUR 123 or STP 101				

This course provides an introduction to selected basic and intermediate surgical specialties that students are exposed to the first clinical rotation. Emphasis is placed on related surgical anatomy, pathology, and procedures that enhance theoretical knowledge of patient care, instrumentation, supplies, and equipment. Upon completion, students should be able to correlate, integrate, and apply theoretical knowledge of the course topics to the clinical operative environment.

**Proposed Corequisites:** None

**Proposed Implementation Date:** College requests early implementation of Fall 2008.

**Rationale of Requesting College:** Removing SUR 123 (Surgical Clinical Practice I) and STP 101 (Introduction Sterile Processing) as corequisites will allow the student to complete SUR 122 (Surgical Procedures I) prior to taking SUR 123. The competencies mastered in Sur 122 will provide the student with the knowledge needed for the successful completion of SUR 123.

\_\_\_\_\_ We have reviewed the proposed title and **recommend** the adoption of this change for **SUR 122** for the following reason(s):

We concur with the rationale of the requesting college

Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_ We have reviewed the proposed title and **do not recommend** the adoption of this change for **SUR 122** for the following reason(s):

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\_\_\_\_\_ We do not offer **SUR 122** and wish to decline from making a recommendation.

**College:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of President:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this form by **February 4, 2008** to:

Renee Batts, Program Coordinator  
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