



Part II. Description of Curriculum Change

1. Current Course Description and Number

SOC 342/542 Medical Sociology

3c-01-3cr

Prerequisite: SOC 151

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2. Proposed Course Description and Number Change

SOC 442/542 Medical Sociology

3c-01-3cr

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