

Procedure for students with Pre-FA19 GE's who move to a Post FA19 degree program

Background: When uAchieve replaced DARS, encoding for GE's and Degree Programs from FA10 to FA18 was created with the goal of moving student information from DARS. Starting in FA19 forward, GE's and Degree Programs went through a stabilization process that did not rely on the base encoding of DARS. This stabilization uses best practices to allow uAchieve to work in the most efficient manner and to allow development of the system to its full potential, such as NCAA, transfer articulation, and the degree planner.

One result of the stabilization process is a mismatch for students who have Pre FA19 GE's and post FA19 degree programs. The previous practice of applying an MC (Change Catalog for a Major) exception will not work for students who choose newly created majors. New majors established in the 2019-2020 academic year are in a 'hybrid' state, so these new guidelines/business practices are really focused on new majors approved for FA20 and beyond.

In conjunction with the uAchieve Advisory Group, the following practices and messaging are in place:

1. Pre-FA19 Catalog, New Major FA20 and beyond:

Shows the below message with no degree program or GE information.

(PB31)PUBLIC HEALTH -CONCENTRATION OF MEDICINE SCIENCES BS

PLEASE NOTE: This major is not valid with your current catalog. Contact your college advising office so your audit can be updated to reflect requirements accurately.

The student is informed that they need to contact their College office, where [an XY \(primary degree program catalog change\) exception](#) will be added, and degree audit reviewed.

2. FA19 Catalog, New Major FA20 and beyond:

Shows the below message with no degree program but does show GE's.

(PB31)PUBLIC HEALTH -CONCENTRATION OF MEDICINE SCIENCES BS

PLEASE NOTE: The declared major is not valid with your current catalog. Contact your major advisor so your audit can be updated to reflect requirements accurately.

The student is referred to their department for an [MC exception](#).

3. FA20 Catalog, New Major FA20 and beyond:

The entire Audit is available, no action needed

(PB31)PUBLIC HEALTH -CONCENTRATION OF MEDICINE SCIENCES BS

Public Health-Concentration in Medicine Sciences
Lower Division Requirements
EARNED: 2 requirements
NEEDS: 4 requirements

The uAchieve team will be providing quarterly lists to the college offices of students who have declared new majors and are in older catalogs.

Thank you for your attention to this and please let us know if you have any questions uachieve@ucsd.edu.