

SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF REGENTS

Academic and Student Affairs
Consent

AGENDA ITEM: 5 – F
DATE: May 21, 2020

SUBJECT

Memorandum of Understanding – Transfer of Respiratory Care Program from DSU to SDSU

CONTROLLING STATUTE, RULE, OR POLICY

[BOR Policy 5:3](#) – Agreements and Contracts

BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION

Dakota State University (DSU) is requesting to enter into an agreement with South Dakota State University (SDSU) to transfer their Respiratory Care (RC) program to SDSU in the interests of better serving the students and needs of the state. The DSU Respiratory Care program is the only program in the state preparing students to meet this critical need. DSU and SDSU are committed to placing the program in a position to continue to thrive and believe that moving the program from DSU to SDSU is more consistent with the missions of the institutions and will provide more opportunity for the program to be successful.

IMPACT AND RECOMMENDATION

Board staff recommends approval.

ATTACHMENTS

Attachment I – MOU Transfer of Respiratory Care Program from DSU to SDSU

DRAFT MOTION 20200521_5-F:

I move to approve the memorandum of understanding between Dakota State University and South Dakota State University, as presented.