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## Special Topics in Emerging Contaminants PHP 579

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**LIBRARY IMPACT STATEMENT (New Course Proposal)**  
**LIBRARIAN'S ASSESSMENT**

Subject selectors will complete this form as requested, assessing library materials and collections as detailed below. Send one copy of the assessment to the faculty member who requested it. Send one copy of the assessment to the Collection Management Officer.

Course: PHC/CHE/OSG 579 Special Topics in Emerging Contaminants\_\_\_\_\_

Department, College: BPS, Pharmacy\_\_\_\_\_

Faculty Member: \_Bongsup Cho\_\_\_\_\_

Date returned to Faculty: \_10/09/18\_\_\_\_\_

Librarian Completing Assessment: \_Joanna M. Burkhardt\_\_\_\_\_

Collection Management Officer: Joanna M. Burkhardt\_\_\_\_\_

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Assessment of:

- Suitability of existing library resources;
- New library resources required to support the program;
- Information skills education required by the students; and
- Funds needed for library materials and services.

Please include:

1. What library holdings already exist in relevant subject categories. How much money is now allocated in the subject area?

The library holds substantial materials in relevant subject categories. We subscribe to hundreds of relevant journals. The acquisition costs for journals are not broken out by department. The monographic acquisitions allotment for 2018-19 is approximately \$2,000 for Chemistry, \$6500 for GSO and \$16,000 for Pharmacy.

2. Does URI have the essential journals as noted in the Faculty Questionnaire?

URI subscribes to the journals noted in the Faculty Questionnaire.

3. What new resources are required to support the course (including media, electronic, or other non-print materials)?

No new library resources are required to support this course.

4. What information mastery sessions will be required for the students?

Information mastery sessions are not required for this course. It is often useful for students to have instruction in the use of specialized library databases. I recommend that instructors let students know that classes or individuals can receive instruction from the Public Services Department at the Library.

5. What is the approximate cost to acquire the materials necessary? Which of these will be continuing costs?

There are no new ongoing costs for the library for the support of this course.

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