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Office of the President June 22, 2018

Members, Board of Trustees:

ESTABLISHMENT OF THE CENTER FOR INNOVATION IN POPULATION HEALTH COLLEGE OF PUBLIC HEALTH

<u>Recommendation</u>: that the Board of Trustees approve the establishment of the Center for Innovation in Population Health (CIPH), a multidisciplinary research center, in the College of Public Health, effective July 1, 2018.

<u>Background</u>: CIPH's mission will be to build health in Kentucky (and beyond) through communityengaged research. The Center will bring an applied focus with the involvement of external collaborators (practitioners, providers, health systems, and communities) by creating population health solutions that serve as a model for other communities. The Center's planned output includes traditional academic research, grant funding, action-oriented research, and industry-based revenue generation, application, and policy. Potential components of CIPH will be units for research evaluation and cost analyses, with the aim of providing expertise regarding economic incentives on behavior change.

Partners of CIPH will include the College of Public Health's Center for Health Services Research, the Center for Public Health Systems and Services Research, and most colleges across campus.

The Proposal has been reviewed and recommended by the Senate Committee on Academic Organization and Structure and the Senate Council. The University Senate approved the Proposal based upon its academic merits and endorsed the resources and placement of the Center. The Executive Vice President for Health Affairs and Provost of the University support this recommendation.

| Action taken: | ☑ Approved | Disapproved | Other | |
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