

Advising Worksheet

Allied Health Sciences

Health Professional Degree Completion (HPD)

Suggested Full-Time Curriculum.			
There is no time limit to these courses; they do not expire and can be done on a part-time or full-time basis.			
Semester One – Fall		Semester Two - Winter	
BIO 120 General Biology I	4	AHS 321 Ethical & Legal Responsibilities in Health Care ^{SWS}	3
STA 215 Intro to Applied Statistics ^{prereq MTH 110}	3	AHS 340 Health Care Management ^{Issues}	3
General Education: Art	3	AHS 301 Introduction to Health Care Research	3
WRT 150 Strategies in Writing	4	General Education: Social Sciences	3
		General Education: Philosophy & Literature	3
Total	14	Total	15
Semester Three – Spring (6 weeks)		Semester Four - Fall	
General Education: Physical Science	3-4	AHS 495 Issues in Health Care Professions ^{SWS}	3
		General Education: US Diversity	3
Semester Three – Summer (6 weeks)		General Education: Historical Perspective	3
General Education: Social & Behavioral Science	3	General Education: World Perspectives	3
		Issues Course	3
Total	6-7	Total	15

Admission & Application Information

The AHS major with Health Professional Degree Completion emphasis requires that 40 of the 120 credits be taken at GVSU. During the GVSU application process students will submit official transcripts from all colleges and universities attended. Upon acceptance to GVSU, the admissions office will provide a formal evaluation of credits for transfer. The academic advisor and student will use this information to build an academic plan outlining courses required for completion of the Allied Health Sciences – HPD emphasis, and General Education courses. The remaining credits applied toward the Bachelor’s of Science degree in Allied Health Sciences – HPD (up to 80 total) can come from the professional coursework successfully completed in the respective associate or associate of applied science health profession. Since each student’s transcript will be different, depending on the school attended and the health profession pursued, the planning of required courses to earn the baccalaureate degree will be individually determined.

There is no admission deadline for the HPD emphasis. Enrollment will occur on a rolling basis over the academic year at the start of the next semester. The procedure for application requires the following:

- Application for admission and acceptance to GVSU with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5.
- Demonstrate transcript and professional documentation fulfilling the three criteria (see above).
 - Possess an earned Associate of Science or Associate of Applied Science from a school accredited by the Higher Learning Commission.
 - The Associate of Science or Associate of Applied Science must be in a health profession program requiring external accreditation by the professional body regulating that particular profession.
 - The health profession offers national voluntary credentialing or requires state licensing and the student either possesses or is eligible for earning that credential or license.
- Complete the AHS Health Professional Degree completion application form found at the Allied Health Sciences web site www.gvsu.edu/ahs
 Up to **80 associate or associate of applied science credits** can apply toward earning the AHS bachelor’s degree. If the associate or associate of applied science degree being used in this transfer is less than 80 credits, the additional credits needed to meet 120 credits for the bachelor’s degree can be done at any university or community college knowing that 40 credits must be completed at GVSU.

The Allied Health Sciences (AHS) undergraduate major resides in the College of Health Professions (CHP)
For more information or to meet with a CHP Student Services Academic Advisor please call 616-331-5900.

Visit our website at www.gvsu.edu/chpss and the AHS website at www.gvsu.edu/ahs.