



Health Sciences Curriculum Worksheet (2022-2023)

Health Services Administration Concentration

CLOSED MAJOR

This worksheet outlines the required courses for this major. Students are expected to be familiar with general education and major-specific requirements for their intended major as outlined in the Clemson Undergraduate Catalog. Additionally, students must satisfy any Tri-County prerequisites for the courses below. To complete Bridge program requirements, students must earn 30 credits at Tri-County and a 2.5 GPA during their Bridge year (fall, spring, and optional summer, if needed). Students should consult the backside of this worksheet, the Undergraduate Catalog, and the Bridge Academic Guide for Clemson course equivalencies and alternative courses if students wish to enroll in other classes or if any of the following requirements have been met through dual enrollment or AP/IB credit. Advising worksheets are supplemental planning aids and are for informational purposes only.

NOTE: Admission to closed majors is highly competitive and cannot be guaranteed. Students should identify a parallel plan and work toward the degree program they would pursue if admission to the limited enrollment major is denied. Students are highly encouraged to declare this as their major before crossing the bridge to Clemson.

SUGGESTED CORE COURSE SEQUENCE

Fall Semester

ECO 211

ENG 101 or ENG 103

MAT 120

Natural Science w/ Lab¹

HIS 201 or PSC 201²

Total Hours: 16

Advising Notes:

Spring Semester

ECO 210

Arts & Hum. (Non-Lit.) Req.¹

ENG 102 or Arts & Hum. (Lit.) Req.³

Math Requirement¹

SPC 200 or SPC 205

Total Hours: 15-16

Advising Notes:

Additional Course Options

ACC 101

MGT 101

Elective Courses (11 hrs)

Classes toward a parallel plan/alternative major

¹ See Health Sciences curriculum worksheet for suggested courses to fulfill this requirement.

² HIS 201 or PSC 201 satisfy the REACH requirement for graduation and one of the two Social Science requirements.

³ If ENG 101 + 102 is taken for English Composition requirement, ENG 102 should be taken instead of Arts & Hum. (Lit.) requirement.



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General Education Requirements	Tri-County Courses	Clemson Equivalent Courses
Communication (6 total credits): <i>Developing and expressing ideas.</i>		
A. English Composition: 3 –6 credits	ENG 103 or ENG 101 + ENG 102	ENGL 1030 or ENGL 1999 + ENGL 1030
B. Oral Communication: 3 credits	SPC 200 or SPC 205	COMM 1500 or COMM 2500
Ways of Knowing (19 total credits): <i>Employing intellectual inquiry.</i>		
C. Arts & Hum. (Lit.): 3 credits	Select one course from the following: ENG 201, ENG 202, ENG 205, ENG 206, ENG 208, ENG 209, or ENG 220	Select one course from the following: ENGL 2140, ENGL 2130, ENGL 2120, or ENGL 2150
D. Arts & Hum. (Non-Lit.): 3 credits	ART 101, ART 107, HSS 205, MUS 105, PHI 101, PHI 105, PHI 110, REL 101, REL 201, or THE 101	ART 2100, AAH 1010, STS 1010, MUSC 2100, PHIL 1010, PHIL 1020, PHIL 1030, REL 1010, REL 1020, or THEA 2100
E. Mathematics: 6 – 7 credits	MATH 120 Select one other of the following: MAT 103, MATH 130*, or MATH 140* *Strongly recommended by the department.	STAT 2300 Select one other of the following: MATH 1010, MATH 1020, or MATH 1060
F. Natural Science w/lab: 4 credits	Select one course from the following: BIO 101, BIO 113, CHM 106, CHM 110, or PHY 201	Select one course from the following: BIOL 1030/1050, BIOL 1100, CH 1050, CH 1010, or PHYS 2070/2090
G. Social Sciences: 6 credits *Other 3 credits must be in a different discipline than the first social science course (History or Political Science).	HIS 201 or PSC 201 Select one course from the following not chosen above: ANT 101, HIS 101, HIS 102, HIS 201*, HIS 202, PSC 201*, PSC 220, PSY 201, SOC 101, or SOC 205	HIS 1010 or PSC 1010 Select one course from the following not chosen above: ANTH 2010, HIST 1720, HIST 1730, HIST 1010, HIST 1020, POSC 1010, POSC 1020, PSYC 2010, SOC 2010, or SOC 2020
Global Challenges (6 total credits): <i>Exploring global, local, regional, national, international, virtual, or philosophical challenges.</i>		
H. Global Challenges: 6 credits	<i>Students will take a minimum of 6 credit hours, selected from two different fields (unless interdisciplinary), and at least three hours at the 3000-level or above.</i>	
Major Specific Requirements	Tri-County Courses	Clemson Equivalent Courses
I. Economics: 6 credits	ECO 210 ECO 211	ECON 2120 ECON 2110

Any student with dual enrollment or AP/IB credit for the courses mentioned above should consult the [Clemson Undergraduate Catalog](#) & [Bridge Student Academic and Advising Guide](#) for additional coursework that fulfills major and Bridge program requirements.



Public Health Science

Change of Major Process

Acceptance is not guaranteed.

Applications are reviewed annually. Bridge to Clemson students are eligible to apply in the fall of their sophomore year, pending successful completion of the Bridge program.

Applicants who do not meet the minimum requirements in the [Undergraduate Catalog](#) are NOT considered.

- Bridge students are often disqualified from the application process because they do not meet the minimum requirements.
- Ensure that you have completed sciences and math:
 - MATH 1020 or 1060 (MATH 1010 accepted only for Health Promotion & Behavior)
 - STAT 2300
 - BIOL 1030 + 1050 & BIOL 1040 + 1060
 - CH 1010, CH 1020

Note: Science requirements differ for Health Services Administration. Students should follow the Health Services Administration's first-year curriculum, including business courses.

Students are admitted based on the following criteria:

Space in the program by cohort (graduation year) and concentration. Students have the best chance of being accepted if they apply during the first semester of their first year at Clemson so they can plan accordingly for the next three years.

- Fall 2017 application: Min. Clemson GPAs approx. 3.4.
 - 27 freshmen & 9 sophomores accepted.
- Fall 2018 application: Min. GPA approx. 3.53.
 - 23 freshmen & 18 sophomores accepted.
- Fall 2019 application: Min. GPA approx. 3.31.
 - 37 applied: 15 students ineligible, 7 denied & 15 accepted.
- Fall 2020 application: Min. GPA approx. 3.9.
 - 43 applied: 37 students denied & 5 accepted.
- Fall 2021 application: Min. GPA approx. 3.8.
 - 25 students applied: 20 students denied & 5 accepted.

Applications are considered under the same criteria, with no difference in the concentration you apply. Once a student gains admission to the program, they can change concentrations freely.

Applicants are ALWAYS evaluated against other applicants, so the minimum Clemson GPA and space availability are subject to change each year. Students should use this information only as a guide to determine their chances of admission in this process, not a hard and fast minimum for admission to the program.

GPA

Once available space is determined, decisions are based on the Clemson cumulative earned GPA.

- Applicants must earn a Clemson GPA by the time of review to apply. The GPA earned in the system at the end of the Fall semester of sophomore year at Clemson will be used. The advising center will verify GPAs after this date.
- New Clemson students can apply- their Fall GPA will be verified after grades have been submitted.

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- Students with 50+ hours earned credits must also have passed MATH 1020 or 1060, STAT 2300; (STAT 2300 or 3090 for Health Services Administration), and the first-year science requirement(s) for their concentration.

Completed credit hours

Students who maintain full-time enrollment (12+ credit hours) until graduation typically are not accepted. The program cannot guarantee an accelerated graduation date due to the limited space in the pre-internship and internship capstone courses.

Other Information:

- If a student drops below minimum eligibility by the time their application is review, the newest academic information is used, resulting in the applicant being ineligible.
- If a student is ineligible at the time of review but raises their GPA above the minimum after re-view, they will not be considered as they were ineligible at the time of review.
- If a student does not gain admission and would like to apply again, they should expect to fill out another application during the next application period.
- Students are allowed to apply once a year up to two times. Suppose a student is denied a second time. In that case, they are advised to find another major path leading to on-time graduation. Coming into the program as a junior or senior diminishes the chances of graduating on time.

All Students:

- ALL students should identify a backup plan that can still lead to their career goals.
- Students should pursue requirements for their backup major and Health Science. If students run out of Health Science classes, they should take courses to stay on track with their backup major.
- Students interested in a graduate or professional school (medical, dental, OT, PT, PA, pharmacy, etc.) can meet the prereqs with **ANY undergraduate major if they take appropriate courses**, which differ depending on the type of professional program and school.
- For additional health advising information, click [here](#).

Other Recommended Majors

Biochemistry
Biological Sciences
Food Science with an emphasis in Nutrition and Dietetics
Microbiology
Pre-Business (especially for Health Services Administration concentration)
Psychology
Secondary Education Teaching in Science or Math
Sociology



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