

MS in Health Sciences (HSC)



Advance Your Health Care Career With the 33-Credit MS in Health Sciences

WilmU's 100% online, interdisciplinary degree program prepares graduates for the work of improving health outcomes across the continuum of care by using evidence-based practice and data-driven decision-making.



Choose a Health Sciences Program That Aligns With Your Career Goals

This program provides a broad perspective of health care and associated competencies for advanced roles within an interdisciplinary environment. The core curriculum provides foundational knowledge in aspects of health care delivery and project management as well as applied behavioral health, epidemiology and data analysis, health education, and global leadership. All students will participate in an experiential learning capstone with individualized experiences aligned with their career goals.

Three exciting concentrations provide targeted training. Each incorporates coursework from multiple programs of study within Wilmington University, including Environmental Science, Health Care Administration, Higher Education Leadership and Nursing Leadership. Choose from:

Population Health: Learn to use data-driven decision-making to improve health care for population segments with shared health conditions, demographics and social determinants of health.

Higher Education: Explore trends in community health, health disparities, health promotion strategies and key health education principles while gaining the skills to teach within health care organizations and community colleges.

Environmental Health: Learn how environmental hazards affect human health at the individual, population and systems levels by identifying illness- and injury-causing agents and assessing compliance with environmental and professional standards.



Industry Certification Options

The MS in Health Sciences program provides courses required to meet the National Commission for Health Education Credentialing (NCHEC) standards. Upon graduation, students will be eligible to pursue certification as a Certified Health Education Specialist or Master Certified Health Education Specialist (if they have five years of applicable work experience) via a competency-based exam. This designation demonstrates to employers a mastery of skill sets desired in multiple employment arenas: nonprofit, government and for-profit acute or community-based health care organizations. Graduates will be equipped to deliver education both formally and informally to individuals and populations from a higher education, environmental health and/or population health perspective.

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11 courses | 33 credits
Finish your degree in as little as 12 months.

\$1,611
per course

Cost of a typical 3-credit course



Classes start every 8 weeks.



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HEALTH PROFESSIONS & NATURAL SCIENCES

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General Education Requirements (21 credits)

- HSC 7730 Health Care Delivery
- HSC 7700 Applied Behavioral Health
- MSN 6616 Epidemiology Health Professions
- MGT 6400 Global Leadership
- MBA 6350 Survey of Data Analytics
- HSC 6600 Foundations of Community and Health Education
- HSC 8900 Health Sciences Capstone/Guided Practicum*

Environmental Health Concentration Requirements (12 credits)

- HSC 7250 Human Health and the Environment
- ENV 7200 Environmental Toxicology
- DTA 7300 Geographic Information Systems
- DTA 7400 Data Science

Higher Education Concentration Requirements (12 Credits)

- MHE 7400 Teaching and Learning Theories in Higher Education
- MHE 7401 Teaching Strategies and the Adult Learner
- MHE 7402 Assessment and Evaluation
- MHE 7403 Curriculum Development

Population Health Concentration Requirements (12 Credits)

- HSC 6651 Foundations of Population Health
- HSC 7740 Cultural Diversity in Health and Illness
- HCA 7720 Health Policy and Economics
- HSC 7250 Human Health and the Environment

* HSC 8900 is to be taken as a stand-alone course after all coursework is complete.



Dual-Credit ADVANTAGE™

SAVE TIME & TUITION

Through WilmU's unique Dual-Credit ADVANTAGE™ feature, students in the BS in Health Sciences degree program can incorporate two to three master's level courses from the MS in Health Sciences program into their undergraduate degree, accelerating into their master's program and saving tuition dollars.



Have questions? We're here to help!

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