

HEALTH EDUCATION

Degree: Bachelor of Science
 Minor: Health Services
 Certificate: Gerontology
 Division: Health, Leisure, and Exercise Science
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 College: Professional Studies
 Semester Hours Required for Degree: 120

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This degree program is designed for students who wish to pursue health careers in public and private health agencies. Students can develop a program emphasis in areas such as counseling, social work, nutrition, and community health.

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

In addition to general University requirements, students seeking the B.S. in Health Education must meet the requirements listed below.

Contact the department for information concerning the Certificate.

Course descriptions are listed alphabetically by prefix in the back of this *Catalog*.

General Studies (36 sh)

Students should take PSY 2012 to satisfy the social science/behavioral perspective component, MAC 1105 and STA 2023 to satisfy the mathematics component, and BSC 1085/L and BSC 1086/L to satisfy the natural science component of General Studies.

For additional information see the General Studies section of this *Catalog*.

Common Prerequisites (26 sh)

State mandated common prerequisites must be completed prior to graduation, but are not required for admission to the program. Courses in brackets indicate substitutes from Florida public community/junior colleges and universities.

+ BSC	1085/L	Anatomy & Physiology I/Lab	4
+ BSC	1086/L	Anatomy & Physiology II/Lab	4
HSC	2100	Personal Health	3
• HUN	1201	Human Nutrition	3
		[HUN x201]	
+ PSY	2012	General Psychology	3
		[PSY x012]	
• SPC	2600	Public Speaking	3
		[SPC x600]	
+ STA	2023	Elements of Statistics	3
		[STA xxxx]	
+ SYG	2000	Introduction to Sociology	3

+ Indicates common prerequisites which can be used to satisfy General Studies requirements.

• Course offered at Florida community/junior colleges

Lower Division Electives (0-14 sh)

Sufficient 1000/2000 level electives to complete at least 60 semester hours in the lower division. Current UWF students may use elective courses at any level (1000-4999) to meet this elective requirement. Recommend HSC 2100 be taken at the lower division.

Major (45 sh)

HSC	3032	Foundations in Health Education	3
HSC	3406C	Advanced First Aid & Emergency Care	3
HSC	4104	Health Aspects of Stress Management	3
HSC	4120	Consumer Health Education	3
HSC	4133	Health Aspects of Human Sexuality	3
HSC	4143	Drugs in Society	3
HSC	4211	Human Environmental Health	3
HSC	4300	Changing Health Behaviors	3
HSC	4500	Epidemiology	3
HSC	4551	Communicable & Degenerative Diseases	3
HSC	4572	Nutrition & Health	3
HSC	4581	Health Promotion & Planning	3
HSC	4633	Current Issues in School-Community Health	3
HSC	4940	Internship	6
		Course offered as 1-6 sh per semester	

Major-Related (9 sh)

PSY	4820	Health Psychology	3
		<i>Choose two:</i>	
STA	4173	Biostatistics	3
SOW	3620	Practice with Culturally Diverse Populations	3
SOW	4111	Adolescents at Risk	3
SOW	4700	Drug Abuse Prevention & Treatment: Special Issues	3

Upper Division Electives (6 sh)

Sufficient 3000/4000 level electives to meet UWF's requirement of 48 semester hours in the upper division or completion of all departmental requirements at the 3000/4000 level, whichever is greater.

MINOR

The Minor in Health Services is composed of 12-13 sh in approved courses in biology, management, psychology, social work, and health. For information regarding requirements, contact the Department of Health, Leisure, and Exercise Science. Health Education majors may not earn this minor.