

B.S. in Health Sciences: General
STUDENT ADVISING SHEET (Effective Fall 2019)

Students **MUST** have completed an associate degree/license/certificate in health-related area to be eligible for degree program

GENERAL EDUCATION – ACADEMIC FOUNDATION REQUIREMENTS (12 CREDITS)				
Course	Credits	Semester	Year	Grade
WRT 120 – Effective Writing I	3			
WRT 2xx	3			
MAT 103, 121 or 125 (MPH; Grad Schools)	3			

GENERAL EDUCATION – DISTRIBUTIVE REQUIREMENTS (45 CREDITS)

Humanities Requirement: Two courses in two different disciplines: literature, history or philosophy PHI 100, LAN 100, LIN 130, LIN 140, LNC 100, LNC 105, LNC 110, HIS 100, HIS 101, HIS 102, HIS 150, HIS 151, HIS 152, HIS 215, HIS 444				
(1)	3			
(2)	3			
Behavioral and Social Sciences Requirement: Two courses in two different disciplines: anthropology, economics, geography, political science, psychology, or sociology. (Please check DPR for APPROVED courses).				
(1)	3			
(2)	3			
Science Requirement: Two courses in two different disciplines: biology, nutrition, chemistry, geology/astronomy, computer science, physics. (Please check DPR for APPROVED courses).				
(1)	3			
(2)	3			
Art Requirement: One Course. (Please check DPR for APPROVED courses)				
(1)				
Speaking Emphasis Requirement: SPK 199, 208, 230 At least 3 credits must be in 300 or 400 level courses.				
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
Diverse Communities Requirement: HEA 110, HEA 109				
(1)				
Interdisciplinary Requirement: ENV 102 No interdisciplinary (I) course may be used to fulfill any other General Ed. Requirements.				
(1)				
Writing Emphasis Requirement: HEA 310, HEA 315, HEA 345. Up to 9 credits of Writing Emphasis must be taken depending upon the # of transfer credits. At least 3 credits must be in 300 or 400 level courses.				
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				

- **Academic Passport** waives the following requirements: English Composition, Speaking Emphasis, Mathematics, Interdisciplinary, Science, Behavioral & Social Science, Humanities, Arts, First Year Experience, and Ethics Requirement.

Health Sciences – CORE COURSES (9 Credits)						
Course	Semester Offered	Credits	Semester	Year	Required Minimum Grade	Grade
HEA 242 Intro Public/Comm. Health	Fall	3			C	
HEA 341 Chronic and Commun Diseases	Fall/Spring	3			C	
HEA 419 Research Methods in Health*	Spring	3			C	

Health Sciences ELECTIVES (15 Credits)						
Course	Five health electives selected under advisement (HEA, ENV only):	Credits	Semester	Year	Required Minimum Grade	Grade
(1)HEA 109/110					C	
(2)ENV 102					C	
(3)HEA 310/315/345					C	
(4)HEA					C	
(5)HEA					C	

****No more than six health elective credits of HEA 435**

Total of 120 credits for the Health Sciences: General Degree

~ at least 30 credits must be earned at WCU

IMPORTANT ADVISING INFORMATION : Advisors are assigned to all students. Advising appointments are needed to help students make appropriate elective choices and plan for core course sequencing. Advisors meet with students during scheduled office hours or through appointments. It is important to note that advisors are not always available during the summer months and advising issues may not be resolved immediately, therefore it is important for students to schedule advising appointments during fall/spring semesters.

Writing Emphasis Courses. Three writing emphasis courses (W) are required if a student transfers less than 40 credits; two courses are required if 40-70 credits are transferred; and one is required if more than 70 credits are transferred. W courses do not transfer in. At least one W course must be at the 300 or 400 level. HEA310 (Love & Marriage), HEA315 (Mind, Body Health), OR HEA345 (Public Health & the Apocalypse) is recommended.

Speaking Emphasis Courses. Transfer students with fewer than 40-college level credits must complete 9 credits of Speaking Emphasis. Students with 40-70 credits must complete 6 credits of Speaking Emphasis. Students with more than 70 credits must take 3 credits of Speaking Emphasis at the 300-400 level. SPK199, SPK208, or SPK230 is recommended.

Ethics Course. Students are required to complete a 3 credits 'ethics designated' (E) course. HEA300 is recommended.

Interdisciplinary Course. One interdisciplinary course (I) is required. ENV102 (Humans and the Environment) is recommended.

Diverse Communities Course. One diverse communities course (J) is required. Either HEA110 (Transcultural Health); or HEA109 (Health Issues of Women) is recommended.

credits transferred to WCU = _____

credits to complete program = _____

TOTAL =

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