

# HEALTH SCIENCES (HSCI)

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The health sciences major is designed for students who plan to pursue graduate study or post-baccalaureate study in the health professions, including medicine, dentistry, veterinary medicine, physician assistant, pharmacy, nursing, physical therapy, occupational therapy or athletic training. . The health sciences major provides a coherent, individualized course of study that allows students to complete the required science and social science courses to prepare for admission to a graduate or post-baccalaureate program in the health field of their choice. Advisors work with each student to design the most appropriate course of study for the health professions program to which the student plans to apply.

## Degree Offered

The Bachelor of Science degree is offered in health sciences.

- Health Sciences Major (<https://catalog.guilford.edu/catalog/academic-departments-majors/health-sciences/health-sciences/>)

### **HSCI 150. Special Topics. 1-8.**

May also be offered at 250, 350 and 450 levels.

### **HSCI 180. An Introduction to Health Humanities. 4.**

"Health" or "Medical Humanities" has become a field of growing importance. What is "health"? What are "humanities"? This course, through embodied practice and reading, allows us to consider these terms in a new, dynamic way, also in relation to one another. More importantly, studying the history of health humanities and practicing them provide us the opportunity to experience the integration of body, mind, and spirit.

### **HSCI 250. Special Topics. 1-8.**

### **HSCI 260. Independent Study. 1-8.**

May also be offered at 360 and 460 levels.

### **HSCI 290. Internship. 1-8.**

May also be offered at the 390 level.

### **HSCI 350. Special Topics. 1-8.**

1-4. May also be offered at 150 and 450 levels.

### **HSCI 360. Independent Study. 1-8.**

### **HSCI 390. Internship. 1-8.**

### **HSCI 400. Health Science Seminar. 1.**

Allows students majoring in the health sciences to reflect on their internship experience as well as learn from professionals in many health-related fields. Students will have an opportunity to discuss challenges in health care, such as managed care, care of diverse populations, medical ethics and other issues. In addition, the application process for graduate study in the health professions will be discussed. This seminar may not be taken before the junior year, and has a pre- or co-requisite of HSCI 390.

### **HSCI 450. Special Topics. 1-8.**

### **HSCI 460. Independent Study. 1-8.**

### **HSCI 470. Senior Thesis. 1-8.**

May also be offered at 250, 350 and 450 levels.

### **HSCI 490. Departmental Honors. 1-8.**

May also be offered at 250, 350 and 450 levels.