

Health - Allied Health/Community Health

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Department of Health Behavior

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2023-2024 Transfer Course Sheet

Minimum GPA | 2.75, 3.0 preferred Minimum Transferable Hours | 24 Maximum Transferable Hours | 60 preferred Second-Choice Major Eligible | NO

Required Coursework for Admission

Course Name	Hrs.	TCCNS	TAMU
Mathematics	3	core.tamu.edu	<u>core.tamu.edu</u>
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Zoology	4	BIOL 1413 or 1313/1113	+BIOL 107
General Chemistry I	4	CHEM 1411 (1311/1111)	CHEM 119
Anatomy & Physiology I	4	BIOL 2401	^BIOL 319
Anatomy & Physiology II	4	BIOL 2402	^BIOL 320

- Students must complete both math classes and <u>TWO</u> of the four science classes with a B average and no grade less than a C as a requirement for admission. All other coursework should be completed with a grade of C or better.
- College Algebra and MATH 150 are transferable courses but will not satisfy the mathematics requirements for these degree plans.
- + BIOL 111 (BIOL 1406) may substitute for BIOL 107, but this would require the student to complete BIOL 112 (BIOL 1407) as well.
- ^ BIOL 2401 and 2402 are not direct equivalents for BIOL 319 and 320 but may be used for these degrees.

Starting fall 2024 Allied Health will no longer be an option. Students admitted for fall 2024 will be moved into Public Health.

The recommendations below represent what a typical TAMU student's schedule looks like during the first four semesters. If working to complete an Associate's Degree before transferring, please align your degree plan to satisfy TAMU degree requirements. You may not have to complete the coursework in the sequence below but this major requires or recommends specific coursework to be completed.

First Year

FALL SEMESTER

TCCNS	TAMU	Course Name	Hrs.
BIOL 1413	BIOL 107	Zoology	4
	core.tamu.edu	Mathematics	3
	core.tamu.edu	American History	3
ENGL 1301 or 1302	ENGL 103 or 104	Composition & Rhetoric	3
		Total	13

SPRING SEMESTER

TCCNS	TAMU	Course Name		Hrs.
CHEM 1411 (1311/1111)	CHEM 119	General Chemistry I		4
	core.tamu.edu	Mathematics		3
	core.tamu.edu	American History		3
	core.tamu.edu	Creative Arts		3
			Total	13

Second Year

FALL SEMESTER

TCCNS	TAMU	Course Name	Hrs.
^ BIOL 2401	BIOL 319	Anatomy & Physiology I	4
GOVT 2305	POLS 206	American National Government	3
	core.tamu.edu	Language, Philosophy & Culture	3
SPCH 1315	COMM 203	Public Speaking	3
		Total	13

SPRING SEMESTER

TCCNS	TAMU	Course Name	Hrs.
^ BIOL 2402	BIOL 320	Anatomy & Physiology II	4
GOVT 2306	POLS 207	State & Local Government	3
PSYC 2301	PBSI 107	Intro to Psychology	3
PHED 1304	HLTH 231	Healthy Lifestyles	3
		Total	13

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- Consider taking courses that fulfill the 3 hours of <u>International and Cultural Diversity and/or the 3 hours of Cultural Discourse requirement</u> when completing the Social and Behavioral Sciences, free electives and Creative Arts requirements.



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Coursework Timeline

- Competitive applicants will have the Required coursework completed by the application deadline.
- Applicants to the summer/fall term may be asked to submit spring final grades, this is not a guarantee.
- Summer coursework will not be considered for summer/fall applicants.
- Fall coursework will not be considered for spring applicants.
- Applicants to the spring term should have the Required coursework completed by the end of Summer II semester before applying.

Additional Transfer Requirements

- Transfer applicants should have completed 24 hours of coursework, which include two math and two science courses from the list above, at time of application. Courses in progress at time of application are not considered in our review for transfer admission.
- Students interested in pursuing Allied Health should strive to complete two math and two science courses from the list above with grades of 'B' or better. Students interested in pursuing Community Health should strive to complete two math and two science courses from the list above with a B average and no grade less than a C.
- Students should strive to maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.75 or greater on all college courses that transfer to TAMU.
- The Health and Kinesiology Department is looking for students who are interested in pursuing our degree as a focus. Students should indicate our department as the primary major they are interested in if they wish to be admitted. The essay and supporting materials should reflect that the student is interested in pursuing our degree.
- Meeting minimum requirements does not guarantee admission. The entire record is reviewed for consistency in coursework and grades.

Additional Information

- Applicants should be serious about earning a degree in Allied Health or Community Health as indicated by their first-choice major preference on the Apply Texas Transfer Application.
- Transfer applicants are instructed NOT to accept transfer admission to any major with the expectation of later applying for an on-campus change of major.

Career & Educational Opportunities

The goals of the curriculum leading to a Bachelor of Science in Health are to more effectively develop literate, informed professionals capable of making the world healthier and more humane. Students receive a general education through a broad exposure to information. They also receive a specialized education through coursework designed to help them develop as a professional, expand their knowledge and skills related to health education and prepare them for professional practice.

The **Community Health** degree prepares and educates students to serve as community health educators and promoters in a variety of government and private health agencies, clinical settings, nonprofit organizations, volunteer agencies and other community organizations. This program is unique in that it offers a wide range of approved electives permitting the student to develop a program according to his or her needs and interests. Each graduate will have knowledge enabling them to communicate health and health education needs, concerns, and resources.

The **Allied Health** option gives students a strong background in health that serves them well if they choose to pursue additional schooling in an allied health area. This concentration provides an opportunity for students to take prerequisite courses for professional allied health schools as electives while receiving a background in the health education field. Students select electives from a list of prerequisites for specific professional schools such as nursing, physical therapy, occupational therapy, physician assistant, etc.

Transfer Course Sheet Notes

- 1. Admission preference is given to applicants with the highest GPA and the most appropriate courses completed.
- 2. Transfer applicants are encouraged to complete <u>University Core Curriculum</u> coursework found in the <u>Undergraduate Catalog</u> unless specified above.
- 3. This Transfer Course Sheet was supported in a partnership between the Office of Admissions and the School of Public Health at Texas A&M University with the Undergraduate Catalog having the most extant and definitive information.