

BS PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS – PUBLIC HEALTH
2022–2023 Catalog (120 hours)

State-Wide Articulation and UA Core

I. Written Composition (6 hrs required)

_____ (3) EN 101 English
_____ (3) EN 102 English

II. Humanities and Fine Arts (12 hrs required)*

_____ (3) Fine Arts _____
_____ (3) Literature _____
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* Must complete either two semesters of literature or history.

III. Natural Sciences (N) and Mathematics (11 hrs required)

_____ (3) Math _____
_____ (4) N _____
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IV. History, Social and Behavioral Sciences (12 hrs required)*

_____ (3) History _____
_____ (3) SB _____
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*Must complete either two semesters of literature or history.

Computer / Foreign Language (6 hrs “C” or 1 yr same Foreign Language required)

_____ (3) C or FL _____
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Writing Courses (6 hrs “W” required)

_____ (3) HHE 378 Drugs, Society, & Human Behavior (W)
_____ (3) W _____

NOTE: Verify that core designations are still in effect by checking the University Registrar’s webpage (<https://registrar.ua.edu/academics-policies/core-curriculum/>) the semester the course is taken.

HES Core Course (3 hrs required)

_____ (3) HES 100 (MA) or HES 103 (DL) Freshman Compass

Major Required Courses (33 hrs required)

_____ (3) HHE 270 Personal Health
_____ (3) HHE 273 Introduction to Public Health
_____ (3) HHE 370 Principles & Foundations of Health Promotion
_____ (3) HHE 375 Health Behavior Theory
_____ (3) HHE 378 Drugs, Society, & Human Behavior (W)
_____ (3) HHE 380 Pub Hlth Sys Policy
_____ (3) HHE 445 Environmental Health
_____ (3) HHE 446 Health Disparities
_____ (3) HHE 450 Intro Epi Health Ed/Promo
_____ (3) HHE 468 Pract Appl Health Comm and Promo
_____ (3) PY 211 Elementary Statistical Methods OR
BER 345 Educational Stats OR
ST 260 Statistical Data Analysis

Choose one of the following concentrations:

Health Education & Promotion Concentration (18 hrs required)

_____ (3) HHE 470 Needs Assess and Program Plan
_____ (3) HHE 475 Program Evaluation
_____ (12) HHE 488 Internship Community Hlth

OR

Health Professions Concentration (18 hrs required)

_____ (3) HHE 385 Intro Patient Educ
_____ (3) 15 hours of health elective courses

NOTE: The Health Professions Concentration can be used by students who identify an interest in applying to allied health graduate programs (i.e., medicine, dentistry, physical therapy, pharmacy, etc.). ***The Health Professions Advising Office in the College of Arts and Sciences is available to assist public health majors wishing to apply to allied health graduate programs. See: <http://prehealth.ua.edu/>***

Prerequisite courses for allied health programs can also be used for the Health Professions Support Courses. Specific admissions requirements vary; therefore, students preparing to enter allied health graduate programs should consult the catalogs of the graduate schools of their interest early in their undergraduate enrollment in order to be informed of the exact requirements for entrance.

Total Hours for Degree Must = 120

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