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GENERAL ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Minimum Graduation Requirements

- 120 credit hours
- 45 upper-division credit hours (3000-4999 level)
- 2.0 CU cumulative GPA
- Residency: 30 credit hours of degree must be completed while registered in the Helen and Arthur E. Johnson Beth-EI College of Nursing and Health Sciences

Student Responsibilities

Students are required to know and follow:

- All academic policies set forth by the University, College, and academic department in the UCCS Catalog: catalog.uccs.edu
- All course prerequisites designated by the University. Failure to meet course prerequisites may result in an administrative drop of the course from a student's schedule. See the degree audit or course catalog for course prerequisites.

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Explore Medical Laboratory Science: [Bachelor of Science in Health Care Science - Medical Laboratory Science Option](http://www.uccs.edu/bachelor-of-science-in-health-care-science-medical-laboratory-science-option) | Helen and Arthur E. Johnson Beth-EI ([uccs.edu](http://www.uccs.edu))

Major Requirements				
Med Lab Science Option Required Courses (41 hours)	Course/Area	Course Title	Credit Hours	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Requires a minimum of 41 credit hours of HPNU and HSCI course work, and an additional 41 hours of auxiliary coursework. • Requires a minimum of 29 credit hours of upper-division (3000+ level) HPNU and HSCI course work. • All major and auxiliary courses must have a grade of "C-" or better. 	HPNU 2050	Nutrition for Health Professionals	3	
	HPNU 2100	Statistics & Research Methods	3	
	HPNU 3050	Human Anatomy	4	
	HPNU 3060	Human Physiology	4	
	HPNU 4080	Pathophysiology	3	
	HSCI 1020	Personal Fitness & Wellness	3	
	HSCI 2470	Spanish for Health Professionals	3	
	HSCI 3201	Health Behavior Change	3	
	HSCI 3520	Health Communication	3	
	HSCI 3630	Culture and Health	3	
	HSCI 4620	Health Science Internship - MLS	2	
	HSCI 4621	Health and Wellness Promotion Internship Orientation	1	
	Medical Lab Science Electives	<i>Complete 6 hours of upper-division (3000+ level) HSCI or HPNU courses.</i>		6
	Auxiliary Requirements			
		BIOL 1300/1310	General Biology: Organismic Biology and Lab	4
		BIOL 1350/1360	General Biology: Introduction to the Cell and Lab	4
		BIOL 2030/2130 or BIOL 3100/3110	Microbiology & Lab Bacteriology & Lab (<i>fall only</i>)	4
	BIOL 3020	Cell Biology	3	
	BIOL 3140	Microbiology: Virology (<i>fall only</i>)	3	
	BIOL 3830	Genetics	3	
	BIOL 3910	Immunology (<i>spring only</i>)	3	
	CHEM 1401/1402	General Chemistry I and lab	5	
	CHEM 1411/1412	General Chemistry II and lab	5	
	CHEM 3001/3002	Organic Chemistry and lab (<i>fall only</i>)	4	
	CHEM 4211	Biochemistry Principles	3	

General Education and Elective Requirements																					
Core Writing Requirement (6 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ENGL 1310, 1308, or 1305 (<i>Students choosing ENGL 1305 must complete ENGL 1300 first.</i>) ENGL 1410 or TCID 2090 Writing Portfolio – PORT 3000 (0 credits) or PORT 4000 (1 credit) or alternative – See Degree Audit 																				
Mathematics (4 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MATH 1040 OR MATH 1350 																				
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General Electives (19 hours)	Complete additional courses to meet total and upper-division requirements for your degree program.																				

FOUR-YEAR DEGREE PLAN

Please note that this is an *example* degree program and your program may vary. **Students are responsible for completing all course prerequisites.**

Year One	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	SPRING	Hours
			GPS 1010	3		MATH 1040 or MATH 1350
		ENGL 1310	3		ENGL 1410 or TCID 2090	3
		BIOL 1300/1310	4		BIOL 1350/1360	4
		CHEM 1401/1402	5		CHEM 1411/1412	5
		HSCI 1020	3			
		TOTAL	18		TOTAL	16

Year Two	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	SPRING	Hours
			BIOL 3830	3		BIOL 3020
		CHEM 3001/3002 (<i>fall only</i>)	4		HSCI 2470	3
		HPNU 2050	3		HSCI 3201	3
		Explore – Society, Behavior, and Health	3		Explore – Arts, Humanities & Cultures	3
		General Elective (<i>Writing Intensive</i>)	3		General Elective	3
		TOTAL	16		TOTAL	15

Year Three	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	SPRING	Hours
			BIOL 2030/2130 (<i>fall or spring</i>) or BIOL 3100/3110 (<i>fall only</i>)	4		BIOL 3910 (<i>spring only</i>)
		BIOL 3140 (<i>fall only</i>)	3		HPNU 2100	3
		HPNU 3050	4		HPNU 3060	4
		HSCI 3520	3		HSCI 3630	3
					General Elective	3
		TOTAL	14		TOTAL	16

Year Four	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	SPRING	Hours
			CHEM 4211	3		HSCI 4620
		HSCI 4621	1		UD HSCI or HPNU Elective	3
		HPNU 4080	3		General Elective	3
		Upper-Division (UD) HSCI or HPNU Elective	3		General Elective	4
		General Elective (<i>Sustainability</i>)	3			
		TOTAL	13		TOTAL	12