The College of Health Sciences includes the Departments of Health, Nutrition, and Exercise Sciences, Medical Technology, and Nursing. Undergraduate major degree programs are offered in Applied Nutrition, Athletic Training, Dietetics, Exercise Science, Health and Physical Education, Health Behavior Science, Health Studies, Medical Technology, Nursing, Nutritional Sciences, and Sport Management.

Students in the college are encouraged to engage in undergraduate research projects, internships, study abroad, seminars, and the college's numerous student organizations. Students interested in such opportunities should consult with their faculty advisor. For more information, contact Dean Betty Paulanka, 345 McDowell Hall, or send email to udchns@udel.edu or visit www.udel.edu/health.

Students are assigned a faculty advisor in their major department to provide advice on course selection, degree requirements, career opportunities, and graduate study. Faculty advisors can also assist with setting up special opportunities such as internships and research experience. It is recommended that students meet with their faculty advisors at least once each semester. The Office of the Assistant Dean for Student Services, 343 McDowell Hall also provides advisement to students who experience academic difficulties or who require additional guidance or information.

Students in most of the college's majors are eligible to participate in the University's Honors Program, undergraduate research, and Degree with Distinction. Honors Degrees are available to students in programs offered by the Departments of Health, Nutrition, and Exercise Sciences, Medical Technology, and Nursing.

Courses taken pass/fail cannot be used to complete major requirements in the College of Health Sciences unless those courses only are offered on a pass/fail basis. Pass/fail courses can be counted only as free electives.

Contact the Assistant/Associate Dean in the college or go to www.udel.edu/deansscholar/ for more information and the application.

Telephone: (302) 831-2265
www.udel.edu/HESC

The Department of Health, Nutrition, and Exercise Sciences offers undergraduate majors in Applied Nutrition, Athletic Training, Dietetics, Exercise Science, Health and Physical Education, Health Behavior Science, Nutritional Sciences, and Sport Management, most with Honors Degree options, as well as minors in Coaching Science, Nutrition, Figure Skating Coaching, and Strength and Conditioning. The programs integrate background coursework in the natural and physical sciences, and, for some programs, courses in business, with the study of the major field. This broad spectrum of undergraduate programs prepares students for a variety of careers in the arenas of health care, education, recreation, and sport/fitness/nutrition management, as well as business, industry, and public, private, or government agencies.

Each student's academic advisor, a faculty member with expertise in the student's field of interest, will assist in selecting courses and experiences that focus on the student's interests and professional goals. Careful selection of liberal arts requirements and elective courses allows students to pursue a minor or an area of interest outside of the college, a double degree, double major, or...
The Sport Management major is for students interested in managerial or administrative positions in the sport industry or collegiate level athletics. Practicums, internships, and selected courses from the Lerner College of Business and Economics are required.

LIFETIME ACTIVITIES PROGRAM

A varied activity program is available to all students on a pass/fail credit basis. The objectives of the lifetime activities program are: (1) to provide knowledge and skills essential for leisure-time enjoyment, (2) to develop healthy exercise habits as well as a sound knowledge base in the scientific principles of physical activity, and (3) to provide an enjoyable atmosphere for learning skills that encourage lifetime participation.

HONORS DEGREES IN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, NUTRITION, AND EXERCISE SCIENCES

Students can earn an Honors Bachelor of Science Degree in Applied Nutrition, Athletic Training, Dietetics, Exercise Science, Health Behavior Science, Health and Physical Education, or Nutritional Sciences by completing the following requirements:

1. All requirements for the Bachelor of Science Degree in the respective major.
2. All of the University's generic requirements for the Honors Baccalaureate Degree (see page 45).

APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Entering freshmen and transfer students may be admitted directly into the majors in Applied Nutrition, Dietetics, and Nutritional Science. Freshmen seeking admission to the majors in Athletic Training, Exercise Science, Health and Physical Education, Health Behavior Science, and Sport Management are admitted to interest groups associated with each major. Freshmen participating in an interest group are eligible to apply for admission to one of these majors at the end of the freshman year.

The department reviews applications from University of Delaware students who wish to change majors twice a year, with applications due on December 15th and June 1st. Applications are available 30 days prior to each due date. Students are notified of admission decisions after semester grades are posted. Students not admitted to a major may apply again the following semester.

To be eligible for admission to a department major, students must have completed at least 12 credits at the University of Delaware with a minimum GPA of 2.50 and must have met the criteria for admission to each respective major. Some majors have more stringent GPA requirements and some majors are restricted due to enrollment limits.

Enrollment in HESC major courses is restricted to majors. Non-majors are allowed to register for 100- and 200-level courses through the drop/add process if space is available. Non-majors are not normally permitted in 300- and 400-level courses.

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR MAJORS WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, NUTRITION, AND EXERCISE SCIENCE

GENERAL STUDIES REQUIREMENTS

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

ENGL 110 Critical Reading and Writing (minimum grade C) 3

Multicultural course:
Three credits in an approved course or courses stressing multi-cultural, ethnic, and/or gender-related course content.

This course can be used in the Breadth Requirements, Major Requirements, or Electives.

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BREADTH REQUIREMENTS

HUMANITIES AND COMMUNICATION SKILLS
Students choose selected courses from the following departments: Art, Art History, Communication, Comparative Literature, English, Foreign Language (Including: CHIN, FREN, GREK, GRMN, HEBR, ITAL, JAPN, LATIN, PORT, RUSS, SPAN), Foreign Languages and literatures, Jewish Studies, Linguistics, Museum Studies, Music, Philosophy, Theatre, Women’s Studies (WOMS 203, 205, 210, 216, 222, 318, 320, 326, 328, 330, 353, 380, 382, 389, 465, 480), Science and Culture (CSCC 229, 241, 246, 250, 350, 365, 368, 369, 444).

SOCIAL SCIENCES

BIOLOGICAL AND NATURAL SCIENCES AND MATHEMATICS

DEGREE: BACHELOR OF SCIENCE
MAJOR: ATHLETIC TRAINING

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

ENGL 110 Critical Reading and Writing (minimum grade C) ........................................... 3

Multicultural course: Three credits in an approved course or courses stressing multi-cultural, ethnic, and/or gender-related course content 3

BREADTH REQUIREMENTS

Humanities and Communication Skills* ........................................................................ 9

Including: CSCC 241 (3 credits) *Must include courses from at least two different departments

Social Sciences Including: PSYC 100 (3 credits)

Natural/Biological Sciences and Mathematics MATH course at the 100-level or higher 3

BISC 202 Introductory Biology I .................................................................................. 3

NTDT 200 Nutrition Concepts ....................................................................................... 3

CHEM 103 General Chemistry ....................................................................................... 4

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (minimum grade C in each)

BISC 276 Human Physiology .................................................................................... 3

STAT 200 Basic Statistical Practice ............................................................................... 3

HESC 210 Emergency Management of Injuries and Illnesses .................................... 3

HESC 214 Wellness: A Way of Life ............................................................................... 3

HESC 220 Anatomy and Physiology ............................................................................. 3

HESC 240 Introduction to Athletic Training ................................................................ 3

HESC 257 Athletic Training Practicum I ..................................................................... 3

HESC 258 Advanced Taping and Bracing Methods .................................................... 3

HESC 320 Principles of Strength/Conditioning .............................................................. 3

HESC 350 Basic Concepts in Kinesiology .................................................................... 3

HESC 357 Athletic Training Practicum II ...................................................................... 3

HESC 358 Athletic Training Practicum III ................................................................. 3

HESC 395 Sports Medicine Pharmacology ................................................................. 3

HESC 400 Research Methods ...................................................................................... 3

HESC 405 Rehabilitation of Athletic Injuries .............................................................. 3

HESC 407 Prevention/Recognition/Athletic Injuries .................................................... 3

HESC 409 Therapeutic Modalities .............................................................................. 4

HESC 420 Functional Human Anatomy ....................................................................... 4

HESC 425 Biomechanics of Human Movement .......................................................... 3

HESC 430 Physiology of Activity ................................................................................ 3

HESC 431 Physiology of Activity Lab .......................................................................... 1

HESC 448 Organization & Administration/Athletic Training ..................................... 3

HESC 449 Advanced Topics in Sports Medicine .......................................................... 3

HESC 457 Athletic Training Practicum IV .................................................................... 3

HESC 458 Athletic Training Practicum V ..................................................................... 3

HESC 459 Athletic Training Practicum VI .................................................................... 3

HESC 480 Upper Extremity and Spine Evaluation ....................................................... 3

HESC 481 Lower Extremity and Spine Evaluation ....................................................... 3

ELECTIVES

After required courses are completed, sufficient elective credits must be taken to meet the minimum credits required for the degree.

CREDITS TO TOTAL A MINIMUM OF ................................................. 120

ATHLETIC TRAINING:

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Incoming freshmen and transfer students interested in the athletic training major are admitted to "Athletic Training Interest" program. At the completion of the freshman year, students seeking admission into the athletic training major must have completed the following:

Freshman Year - Athletic Training Curriculum:

General Studies (CHEM 103) .................................................................................. 4

HESC 214 ................................................................................................................. 3

HESC 220 ................................................................................................................. 3

General Studies (PSYC 100) .................................................................................... 3

General Studies ........................................................................................................ 16

General Studies (ENGL 110 - Spring Only) ............................................................... 3

General Studies (MATH course) .............................................................................. 3

General Studies (NDTD 200) .................................................................................... 3

HESC 210 ................................................................................................................. 3

HESC 240 [Spring only] ............................................................................................ 3

Those courses in BOLD are used to calculate the Prerequisite Courses GPA.

TECHNICAL STANDARDS FOR ADMISSION

The Athletic Training Education Program at the University of Delaware is a rigorous and intense program that places specific requirements and demands on the students enrolled in the program. An objective of this program is to prepare graduates to enter a variety of employment settings and to render care to a wide spectrum of individuals engaged in physical activity. The technical standards set forth by the Athletic Training Education Program establish the essential qualities considered necessary for students admitted to this program to achieve the knowledge, skills and competencies of an entry-level athletic trainer, as well as meet the expectations of the program's accrediting agency (Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs – "CAAHEP"). The following abilities and expectations must be met by all students admitted to the Athletic Training Education Program. In the event a student is unable to fulfill these technical standards, with or without reasonable accommodation, the student will not be admitted into the program.

Compliance with the program's technical standards does not guarantee a student's eligibility for the National Athletic Trainers’ Association Board of Certification (NATA/BOC) examination.

Candidates for selection to the Athletic Training Education Program must demonstrate:

1. the mental capacity to assimilate, analyze, synthesize, integrate concepts and problem solve to formulate assessment and therapeutic judgments and to be able to distinguish deviations from the norm;
2. sufficient postural and neuromuscular control, sensory function, and coordination to perform appropriate physical examinations using accepted techniques and accurately, safely, and efficiently use equipment and materials during the assessment and treatment of patients;
3. the ability to communicate effectively and sensitively with patients and colleagues, including individuals from different cultural and social backgrounds; this includes, but is not limited to, the ability to establish rapport with patients and communicate judgments and treatment information effectively. Students must be able to understand and speak the English language at a level consistent with competent professional practice;
4. the ability to record the physical examination results and a treatment plan clearly and accurately;
5. the capacity to maintain composure and continue to function well during periods of high stress;
6. the perseverance, diligence and commitment to complete the athletic training education program as outlined and sequenced;
7. flexibility and the ability to adjust to changing situations and uncertainty in clinical situations;
8. affective skills and appropriate demeanor and rapport that relate to professional education and quality patient care.
Candidates for selection to the Athletic Training Education Program will be required to verify that they understand and meet these technical standards or that they believe, with certain accommodations, they can meet the standards.

The Director of Affirmative Action and Multicultural Programs will evaluate a student who states he/she could meet the program's technical standards with accommodation and confirm that the stated condition qualifies as a disability under applicable laws.

If a student states he/she can meet the technical standards with accommodation, then the University will determine whether he/she can meet the technical standards with reasonable accommodation; this includes determination as to whether the accommodations requested are reasonable, taking into account whether accommodation would jeopardize clinician/patient safety, or the educational process of the student or the institution, including all coursework, clinical experiences and internships deemed essential to graduation.

Eight criteria are evaluated as part of the admission process in accepting students into the Athletic Training Education Program:

1. Overall GPA
2. Prerequisite Courses GPA
3. Directed Observation Hours
4. Letters of Recommendation
5. Interview
6. Essay
7. Clinical Evaluations
8. Clinical Competency Evaluation Checklist

In evaluating the criteria, different ranking scales (1-5, 1-10, etc.) are used. For each criterion, the student with the highest ranking receives the lowest number awarded. Students are evaluated under the eight criteria in the following manners:

Overall GPA – For purposes of scoring on this criterion, students are first divided into groups, with group size based on the size of the applicant pool. To determine group size, the total number of candidates applying for admission to the program is divided by 10. For example, if 20 students apply, 20 is divided by 10 and the result is 2. In cases where the result falls between whole numbers, (e.g. 2.5), the number is rounded up or down depending on where it falls on the scale. A result of 2.5 is rounded upward, for a score of (3), whereas 2.4 is rounded downward for a score of (2). We then rank the overall GPAs of the applicants from high to low. If group size has been determined to be 2, the student applicants are then placed in groups of 2, with the 2 students with the highest GPAs receiving a score of (1). The students with the next 2 highest GPAs receive a score of (2). We continue scoring the students until everyone receives a score.

Prerequisite Courses GPA – Four classes (HESC 210, HESC 214, HESC 220 and HESC 240) are used to calculate the Prerequisite Courses GPA. The candidates are ranked from high to low. The student with the highest GPA receives a score of (1); this number is then multiplied by a weighting factor of 2, (1 X 2=2), for a score of (2). We continue scoring the students until everyone receives a score. We weight this criterion more heavily than others because we believe the Prerequisite Courses GPA is a very good predictor for success in our program.

Directed Observation Hours – Students are assigned by the Coordinator of the "Athletic Training Interest" program to a variety of clinical venues to gain valuable directed observation hours. Students who obtain between 50-99 directed observation hours receive a score of (4). Students who obtain between 100-149 directed observation hours receive a score of (3). Students who obtain between 150-199 directed observation hours receive a score of (2). Students who obtain over 200 directed observation hours receive a score of (1).

Letters of Recommendation – Students seeking admission into the ATEP will be asked to secure 3 letters of recommendation from individuals who can attest to their personality and clinical abilities. Letters of recommendation are evaluated with scores of [1-5], with 1 being best. Each athletic training faculty member reads and scores each of the 3 letters of recommendation. All letters of recommendation are read independently. The scores from all the evaluators are added together and then divided by the total number of evaluators. The averaged score is then recorded on the admission ranking form.

Interview – Candidates seeking admission to the ATEP are given a formal interview conducted by the athletic training faculty, in May of each year. Each evaluator uses a standardized form, worth 100 points. At the end of the interview process the score for each candidate is totaled and then divided by the number of evaluators to get the averaged interview score. The highest score is given a score of (1), whereas 1.1 and 2.4 are given scores of (2), and so on, until everyone has a score. This score is then multiplied by a weighting factor of 2 [(e. 1 X 2 = 2, 2 X 2 = 4, etc.)]. We weight this criterion more heavily than others because we believe the interview is a very good predictor for success in our program.

Essay – The essay is scored using the same method as was described for Letters of Recommendation.

Clinical Evaluations – Students are required to complete a series of clinical rotations to 4 different sites during the interest phase of the program. At each site, they are formally evaluated by Approved Clinical Instructors ("ACI's"). Clinical performance is critiqued on both "Skills/Abilities" and "Personal Attributes" using a 4-point scale (0-3). The overall evaluation score that combines both "Skills/Abilities" and "Personal Attributes" is averaged across all 4 rotations, with higher evaluation scores being better. The evaluation scores for each student are then ranked from highest to lowest. The Clinical Evaluations are then scored using the same procedure described for Overall GPA.

Clinical Competency Evaluation Checklist – Students are expected to complete the "Clinical Competency Evaluation Checklist" during the course of the academic year. A percentage of "ACI check-offs" is calculated by dividing the total number of possible "check-offs," (136), by the number of competencies checked off as having been completed. For example, if a student completes 112 competencies, 112/136 = 0.83. The percentage scores for each student are then ranked from highest to lowest. The Clinical Competency Evaluation Checklist criterion is then scored using the same procedure described for Overall GPA.

When all the criteria have been scored, the 8 scores are added together to make a grand total score. The candidate with the lowest grand total score is ranked as the first candidate who will be offered admission to the ATEP.

Acceptance into the program is based upon the stated criteria and the number of available openings in the program. Meeting the minimum admission requirements does not guarantee acceptance into the program. Offers of admission into the Athletic Training Education Program are presented on a competitive basis to those individuals who are most qualified. Students may apply for admission to the program at the end of the spring semester. Acceptance/rejection letters will be mailed to each candidate by July 1.

Students interested in transferring from another institution or from another major at the University of Delaware must meet University and College of Health and Nursing Sciences transfer requirements and complete the same requirements as freshmen in the "Athletic Training Interest" program.

Students enrolled in the Athletic Training Education Program meet with the Program Director to plan the clinical education experience. Clinical education experiences are initiated in the first year of the student's program and are designed to provide the student with sufficient opportunity to develop specific competencies and proficiencies pertaining to the health care of the athlete and those involved in physical activity. The clinical experience provides the student with an opportunity for integration of psychomotor, cognitive and affective skills within the context of direct patient care. The skills are identified within the psychomotor and clinical proclivities aspects of each of the domains included in the document, "Athletic Training Educational Competencies." The development of psychomotor skills represents a significant focus of the student's clinical experience; ample opportunity is also provided for development and demonstration of competencies within the cognitive and the affective aspects of each domain identified in the above document.

A minimum period of 3 academic years of clinical experience associated with course credit is required. The clinical setting includes the athletic training rooms, athletic practices, competitive events, sports medicine clinics, high school venues, and research environments for a minimum of 3 academic years under the direct supervision of an Approved Clinical Instructor (ACI) and/or Clinical Instructor (CI). The student is exposed to upper extremity, lower extremity, equipment intensive, and general medical experiences of both genders. An Approved Clinical Instructor (ACI) formally evaluates each athletic training student at the end of each clinical rotation.

Once students are admitted to the program, they are required to maintain the following minimum standards:

1. Complete at least 200 clinical hours per semester;
2. Maintain a GPA of at least 2.0;
3. Achieve satisfactory clinical education evaluations;
4. Meet the technical standards for admission.

Students who do not maintain the above minimum standards are placed on probation and are required to correct all deficiencies by the end of the next semester. Students who do not correct deficiencies are dropped from the curriculum.

NATA/BOC REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTIFICATION

In order to qualify as a candidate for the BOC certification examination, an individual must meet the following requirements:
EXERCISE SCIENCE:
BIOMECHANICS AND EXERCISE PHYSIOLOGY
CONCENTRATIONS

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Incoming freshmen and transfer students interested in the Exercise Science major are admitted to "Exercise Science Interest." After the completion of the freshman year, students may apply for admission to the Exercise Science major and a concentration within the major. A faculty admission committee for each concentration will make decisions on acceptance based on the following criteria:

1. A competitive cumulative GPA. (Students admitted to the major in recent years have had GPAs of at least 3.0.)
2. Successful completion (minimum grade C) of the following courses: CHEM 103, CHEM 104, BISC 207, BISC 208, and HESC 205
3. Completion of the appropriate application form for the chosen concentration. Applications are accepted at the end of each Fall and Spring semester.
4. Students interested in Biomechanics also must have successfully completed (minimum grade C) MATH 241

DEGREE: BACHELOR OF SCIENCE
MAJOR: EXERCISE SCIENCE
CONCENTRATION: BIOMECHANICS

CURRICULUM

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

ENGL 110 Critical Reading and Writing
(minimum grade C) ........................................... 3

Multicultural course:
Three credits in an approved course or courses stressing multi-cultural, ethnic, and/or gender-related course content ........................................... 3

BREADTH REQUIREMENTS

Humanities and Communication Skills ........................................... 9
Social Sciences
PSYC 100 General Psychology ........................................... 3
PSYC 325 Child Psychology ........................................... 3
or
PSYC 334 Abnormal Psychology ........................................... 3
Natural/Biological Sciences and Mathematics
CHEM 103 General Chemistry ........................................... 4
CHEM 104 General Chemistry ........................................... 4
MATH 241 Analytic Geometry and Calculus A ........................................... 3
NTDT 200 Nutrition Concepts ........................................... 3
BISC 207 Introductory Biology I ........................................... 4
BISC 208 Introductory Biology II ........................................... 4

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (minimum grade C in each)
BISC 276 Human Physiology ........................................... 4
or
BISC 306 General Physiology ........................................... 3
STAT 200 Basic Statistical Practice ........................................... 3
HESC 205 Freshman Seminar in Exercise Science ........................................... 3
HESC 310 Pre-Clinical Anatomy and Physiology ........................................... 4
HESC 375 Biomechanics ........................................... 4
HESC 400 Research Methods ........................................... 3
HESC 426 Biomechanics I ........................................... 4
HESC 430 Physiology of Activity ........................................... 3
HESC 431 Physiology of Activity Lab ........................................... 1

CONCENTRATION REQUIREMENTS (minimum grade C in each)
CISC 105 General Computer Science ........................................... 3
HESC 427 Biomechanics II ........................................... 3
MATH 242 Analytic Geometry and Calculus B ........................................... 4
MATH 349 Elementary Linear Algebra ........................................... 3
MEEG 112 Statics ........................................... 3
MEEG 211 Dynamics ........................................... 3
PHYS 207 Fundamentals of Physics I ........................................... 4
PHYS 208 Fundamentals of Physics II ........................................... 4

ELECTIVES

After required courses are completed, sufficient elective credits must be taken to meet the minimum credits required for the degree.

CREDITS TO TOTAL A MINIMUM OF ........................................... 120

DEGREE: BACHELOR OF SCIENCE
MAJOR: EXERCISE SCIENCE
CONCENTRATION: EXERCISE PHYSIOLOGY

CURRICULUM

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

ENGL 110 Critical Reading and Writing
(minimum grade C) ........................................... 3

Multicultural course:
Three credits in an approved course or courses stressing multi-cultural, ethnic, and/or gender-related course content ........................................... 3

BREADTH REQUIREMENTS

Humanities and Communication Skills ........................................... 9
Social Sciences
PSYC 100 General Psychology ........................................... 3
PSYC 325 Child Psychology ........................................... 3
or
PSYC 334 Abnormal Psychology ........................................... 3
Natural/Biological Sciences and Mathematics
CHEM 103 General Chemistry ........................................... 4
CHEM 207 Introductory Biology I ........................................... 4
NTDT 200 Nutrition Concepts ........................................... 3
MATH 221 Calculus I ........................................... 3

Additional Breadth Requirements ........................................... 9
9 additional credits can be chosen from any Group(s) above

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (minimum grade C in each)
BISC 276 Human Physiology ........................................... 4
or
BISC 306 General Physiology ........................................... 3
STAT 200 Basic Statistical Practice ........................................... 3
HESC 205 Freshman Seminar in Exercise Science ........................................... 3
HESC 310 Pre-Clinical Anatomy and Physiology ........................................... 4
HESC 375 Biomechanics ........................................... 4
HESC 400 Research Methods ........................................... 3
HESC 426 Biomechanics I ........................................... 4
HESC 430 Physiology of Activity ........................................... 3
HESC 431 Physiology of Activity Lab ........................................... 1

CONCENTRATION REQUIREMENTS (minimum grade C in each)
BISC 208 Introductory Biology II ........................................... 4
CHEM 104 General Chemistry ........................................... 4
HESC 305 Fundamentals of Athletic Training ........................................... 3
HESC 353 Seminar in Exercise Physiology ........................................... 4
HESC 432 Exercise Testing and Prescription ........................................... 4
or
HESC 434 Exercise Test Technology ........................................... 3
PHYS 201 Introductory Physics ........................................... 4
PHYS 202 Introductory Physics II ........................................... 4

ELECTIVES

After required courses are completed, sufficient elective credits must be taken to meet the minimum credits required for the degree.

CREDITS TO TOTAL A MINIMUM OF ........................................... 120

HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION:
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Incoming freshmen and transfer students interested in the Health and Physical Education teacher preparation program are admitted to "Health and Physical Education Teacher Preparation Program." After the completion of the freshman year, students may apply for admission into the Health and Physical Education major. A faculty admission committee will make decisions on acceptance based on the following criteria:

DEGREE: BACHELOR OF SCIENCE
MAJOR: HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION
CONCENTRATION: HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION

CURRICULUM

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

ENGL 110 Critical Reading and Writing
(minimum grade C) ........................................... 3

Multicultural course:
Three credits in an approved course or courses stressing multi-cultural, ethnic, and/or gender-related course content ........................................... 3

BREADTH REQUIREMENTS

Humanities and Communication Skills ........................................... 9
Social Sciences
PSYC 100 General Psychology ........................................... 3
PSYC 325 Child Psychology ........................................... 3
or
PSYC 334 Abnormal Psychology ........................................... 3
Natural/Biological Sciences and Mathematics
CHEM 103 General Chemistry ........................................... 4
CHEM 207 Introductory Biology I ........................................... 4
NTDT 200 Nutrition Concepts ........................................... 3
MATH 221 Calculus I ........................................... 3

Additional Breadth Requirements ........................................... 9
9 additional credits can be chosen from any Group(s) above

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (minimum grade C in each)
BISC 276 Human Physiology ........................................... 4
or
BISC 306 General Physiology ........................................... 3
STAT 200 Basic Statistical Practice ........................................... 3
HESC 205 Freshman Seminar in Exercise Science ........................................... 3
HESC 310 Pre-Clinical Anatomy and Physiology ........................................... 4
HESC 375 Biomechanics ........................................... 4
HESC 400 Research Methods ........................................... 3
HESC 426 Biomechanics I ........................................... 4
HESC 430 Physiology of Activity ........................................... 3
HESC 431 Physiology of Activity Lab ........................................... 1

CONCENTRATION REQUIREMENTS (minimum grade C in each)
BISC 208 Introductory Biology II ........................................... 4
CHEM 104 General Chemistry ........................................... 4
HESC 305 Fundamentals of Athletic Training ........................................... 3
HESC 353 Seminar in Exercise Physiology ........................................... 4
HESC 432 Exercise Testing and Prescription ........................................... 4
or
HESC 434 Exercise Test Technology ........................................... 3
PHYS 201 Introductory Physics ........................................... 4
PHYS 202 Introductory Physics II ........................................... 4

ELECTIVES

After required courses are completed, sufficient elective credits must be taken to meet the minimum credits required for the degree.

CREDITS TO TOTAL A MINIMUM OF ........................................... 120
SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION **[minimum grade C]** OF THE FOLLOWING REQUIRED FRESHMAN YEAR COURSES:

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* *BISC with lab is recommended during the first year in order for students to be able to complete the program in eight semesters, but are not required for admission to the program.

Minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 and major GPA of 2.75.

Submission of a satisfactory Introductory Professional Portfolio that demonstrates a commitment to teaching (See Program Director for details).

Praxis I: Passing scores on the Praxis I test, all three subtests (reading, passing score = 175; writing, passing score = 173; and mathematics, passing score = 174) are required prior to admission to the health and physical education major.

Completion of the appropriate application form for the major. Applications are accepted at the end of each Fall and Spring semester.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR PROGRESSION THROUGH THE PROGRAM**

Criteria For Admission to the Methods Block (HESC 414, 370, and 380):
- Minimum cumulative GPA of 2.50
- Minimum GPA of 2.75 in the major
- A grade of C- or better in all required courses within the major
- Completion of all required HESC courses (with the exception of HESC 425, 430, 431, 465)
- Completion of all required EDUC courses (with the exception of EDUC 420, 430, and 400)
- Submission of a satisfactory Working Portfolio (See Program Director for details).

Criteria for Admission to Student Teaching in Health and Physical Education:
- Minimum cumulative GPA of 2.50
- Minimum GPA of 2.75 in the major
- A grade of C- or better in all required courses within the major
- Completion of all required HESC courses (with the exception of HESC 425, 430, 431, 465)
- Completion of all required EDUC courses (with the exception of EDUC 430 and 400)
- Co-requisite for EDUC 400 - Student Teaching
- Proof of having taken an appropriate academic CONTENT area test (e.g., Praxis II in English, Praxis II in Elementary Content Knowledge or a state-designated academic content test) or a state-designated academic content knowledge test (e.g., New York State test in the appropriate area, like the Elementary Multiple Subjects Test or the Social Studies test). A copy of the official score report must be submitted to the Delaware Center for Teacher Education, 200 Academy Street, during enrollment in EDUC 400 Student Teaching or no later than November 1 for January graduates and May 1 for June or summer graduates. An institutional recommendation for certification will not be issued until the candidate has presented the official score report.

**MAJOR REQUIREMENTS**

- Humanities and Communication Skills*: 6
  - Must include courses from two different departments
- Social Sciences
  - PSYC 100 General Psychology: 3
- Natural and Biological Sciences and Mathematics
  - Including: MATH 101, Biology, etc.: 10
- Additional Breadth Requirements
  - 3 additional credits can be chosen from any area

- **MAJOR REQUIREMENTS** (minimum grade C in each)
  - EDUC 400 Student Teaching: 9
  - EDUC 413 Adolescent Development and Educational Psychology: 4
  - EDUC 414 Teaching Exceptional Adolescents: 3
  - EDUC 419 Diversity in Secondary Education: 3
  - EDUC 420 Reading in the Content Area: 1
  - EDUC 430 Classroom Management: 1

Students must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.500, a GPA in the major of at least 2.750, and must apply to student teach at least one semester in advance.

- HESC 121 Water Safety Instruction: 3
- HESC 122 Lifeguard Training: 12
- HESC 139 Curriculum in Physical Education: 3
- HESC 140 Fundamental Skills Analysis: 3
- HESC 141 Adventure Challenge and Outdoor Recreation: 1
- HESC 143 Skills, Techniques and Knowledge of Stunts, Tumbling and Gymnastics: 3
- HESC 210 Emergency Management of Injuries and Illnesses: 3
- HESC 214 Wellness: A Way of Life: 3
- HESC 220 Anatomy and Physiology: 3
- HESC 230 Group Facilitation Skills in Health and Physical Education: 3
- HESC 250 Motor Development: 3
- HESC 251 Skills, Techniques and Knowledge of Rhythms and Dance: 1
- HESC 252 Lifetime Leisure Activities: 1
- HESC 255 Skills, Techniques and Knowledge of Racquet Sports: 1
- HESC 275 Tactical Approach to Teaching Sports: 3
- HESC 276 Technology in Health and Physical Education: 2
- HESC 300 Issues in Physical Activity Studies and Sports: 3
- HESC 315 Instructional Strategies for Drug Education: 1
- HESC 319 Health-Related Fitness: 3
- HESC 324 Measurement and Evaluation: 3
- HESC 325 Instructional Strategies for Human Sexuality: 3
- HESC 330 Teaching Community and Mental Health: 3
- HESC 331 Health Theory and Program Planning: 3
- HESC 332 Survey in Adaptive Physical Education/Recreation: 3
- HESC 370 Practicum in Methods of Elementary Physical Education: 3
- HESC 380 Practicum in Methods of Secondary Physical Education: 3
- HESC 414 Methods and Materials in Health Education: 3
- HESC 425 Biomechanics of Human Movement: 4
- HESC 430 Physiology of Activity: 3
- HESC 431 Physiology of Activity, Lab: 1
- HESC 465 Teaching Seminar in Health/Physical Education: 3

**CREDITS TO TOTAL A MINIMUM OF** ............... **122**

**HEALTH BEHAVIOR SCIENCE:**

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND APPLICATION PROCEDURE**

Incoming freshmen and transfer students interested in the Health Behavior Science major are admitted to the "Health Behavior Science Interest." After the completion of the freshman year, students may apply for admission to the Health Behavior Science major and a concentration within the major. A faculty admission committee for each concentration will make decisions on acceptance based on the following criteria:

1. Successful completion of General Studies PSYC and SOCI courses, HESC 155, HESC 160, ENGL 110, and a MATH course
2. A competitive cumulative GPA
3. Submission of a resume
4. Completion of the appropriate application form for the chosen concentration, including an essay. Applications are accepted at the end of each Fall and Spring semester.

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**DEGREE: BACHELOR OF SCIENCE**

**MAJOR: HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION**

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### UNDERGRADUATE HEALTH SCIENCES

#### DEGREE: BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

**MAJOR: HEALTH BEHAVIOR SCIENCE**

**CONCENTRATION: FITNESS MANAGEMENT**

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#### DEGREE: BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

**MAJOR: SPORT MANAGEMENT**

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND APPLICATION PROCEDURE**

Incoming freshmen and transfer students interested in the sport management major are admitted to "Sport Management Interest". After completion of the freshman year, students may apply for admission to the sport management major. A faculty committee will make decisions on acceptance based on the following criteria:

1. Successful completion (minimum grade of C) of all courses, HESC 202, HESC 155, ENGL 110 and a math course.
2. Minimum GPA of 2.7
3. Completion of the appropriate application form. Applications are accepted at the end of each the fall and spring semester.
4. Demonstration of aptitude and commitment and understanding for career orientation.
5. Interview with Sport Management faculty.

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Natural and Biological Sciences and Mathematics ........................................... 9
MATH
STAT 200
Natural or Biological Sciences

MINOR REQUIREMENTS

An approved minor is required for the degree. Suggested minors are:

- Legal Studies ...................................... 18
- Leadership ............................................. 18
- Educational Studies ................................. 18
- Coaching ............................................... 18
- Business Administration ............................ 39

ELECTIVES

After required courses are completed, sufficient elective credits must be taken to meet the minimum credits required for the degree.

CREDITS TO TOTAL A MINIMUM OF ............ 120

DEGREE: BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

MAJOR: DIETETICS

CURRICULUM CREDITS

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

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Three credits in an approved course or courses stressing multi-cultural, ethnic, and/or gender-related course content (see p. 62-65) .............. 3

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

Humanities electives ........................................ 6
CHEM 101/102 General Chemistry .............................................. 8
CHEM 103/104 General Chemistry .............................................. 8
CHEM 213 Elementary Organic Chemistry ..................................... 4
CHEM 214/216 Elementary Biochemistry with Lab ............................ 4
BISC 106 Principles of Biology .................................................. 4
BISC 207/208 Introductory Biology I and II ................................. 4-8
BISC 267 Human Physiology .................................................... 3
BISC 305 Food Science (minimum grade C) .................................. 3
ECON 100 Introduction to Microeconomics: Prices and Markets ........... 3
PSYC 100 General Psychology .................................................. 3
SOCI 201 Introduction to Society ............................................... 3
BUAD 309 Management and Organizational Behavior ....................... 3
FOSC 305 Food Science (minimum grade C) .................................. 3
MATH 114 Elementary Mathematics and Statistics .......................... 3

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SUCCESSFUL ADMISSION TO NUTRITION MAJOR

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The following optional concentrations are available to students in the Applied Nutrition, Dietsetics, and Nutritional Science majors:

**HEALTH AND EXERCISE** ............................................... 17 credits

- HESC 220 Anatomy and Physiology .................................................. 3
- HESC 320 Principles of Strength and Conditioning ............................... 3
- HESC 430 Physiology of Activity ..................................................... 3
- HESC 431 Physiology of Activity Lab .............................................. 1
- HESC 432 Basic Exercise Prescription .............................................. 4
- NTD 310 Nutrition and Activity ....................................................... 3

**GERONTOLOGY** .................................................................. 18 credits

- HESC 335 Health and Aging ................................................................. 3
- HESC 342 Survey in Adaptive Physical Education and Recreation ........... 3
- HESC 490 Development of Health Promotion Programs ......................... 3
- IFST 405 Aging and the Family ............................................................. 3
- NTD 350 Nutrition and Older Adults .................................................... 3
- NTD 450 Community Nutrition ............................................................. 3

**PEDIATRICS** ................................................................. 18 credits

- IFST 201 Life Span Development .......................................................... 3
- IFST 221 Child Development ................................................................. 3
- IFST 329 Adolescent Development ........................................................ 3
- NTD 420 Maternal and Infant Nutrition ................................................ 3
- NTD 460 Nutrition and Older Adults ..................................................... 3
- NTD 403 Human Nutritional Science .................................................... 1

**WEIGHT MANAGEMENT** ................................................... 16 credits

- HESC 322 Health Behavior Theory and Assessment ............................... 3
- HESC 430 Physiology of Activity ....................................................... 3
- HESC 432 Basic Exercise Prescription .................................................. 4
- NTD 330 Nutrition Counseling ............................................................. 3
- NTD 410 Overweight/Obesity Prevention and Management ...................... 3

**FOODSERVICE MANAGEMENT** ........................................... 20 credits

- ACCT 200 Survey of Accounting ........................................................... 4
- BISC 300 Introduction to Microbiology ................................................. 4
- HRM 381 Management of Food and Beverage Operations ...................... 3
- NTD 321 Quantity Food Production and Service .................................... 3
- NTD 322 Management of Food and Nutrition Services ............................ 3
- NTD 326 Onsite Food Production .......................................................... 3

**MINOR IN COACHING SCIENCE**

This minor is designed to help students develop an understanding of the instructional, psychological, and management aspects of coaching, as well as a personal philosophy of coaching. Successful completion of the minor prepares students to take the American Sport Education Program (ASEP) Coaching Certification examination.

Students applying for the minor are expected to have had previous athletic experience and must have completed at least one semester of full-time study with a minimum GPA of 2.25. The application process involves an interview with the faculty director of the minor. A grade of C- or better in required courses is needed for successful completion of the minor.

**CREDITS TO TOTAL A MINIMUM OF ..................... 120 credits**

**DEGREE: BACHELOR OF SCIENCE**

**MAJOR: NUTRITIONAL SCIENCES**

**CURRICULUM**

**UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS**

- ENGL 110 Critical Reading and Writing (minimum grade C) .................... 3

- Three credits in an approved course or courses stressing multicultural, ethnic, and gender-related course content (see p. 62-65) ................................. 3

**MAJOR REQUIREMENTS**

- Humanities electives ................................................................. 6
- CHEM 103/104 General Chemistry ................................................... 8
- CHEM 214/216 Elementary Biochemistry with Lab ................................. 4
- CHEM 227/228 Quantitative Analysis I with Lab .................................. 4
- CHEM 221/222 Organic Chemistry .................................................... 3
- BISC 207/208 Introductory Biology I and II ......................................... 8
- BISC 276 Human Physiology .............................................................. 4
- BISC 300 Introduction to Microbiology ................................................. 4
- PHYS 201 Introductory Physics ........................................................... 4
- ECON 100 Economic Issues and Policies ............................................. 4
- or ECON 151 Introduction to Microeconomics: Prices and Markets ....... 3
- Social Science electives ................................................................. 9
- FOSC 305 Food Science (minimum grade C) ......................................... 3
- FREC 408 Research Methods ............................................................. 3
- MATH 221/222 Calculus I and II .......................................................... 3
- or MATH 241/242 Analytic Geometry and Calculus A and B ................. 6-8

A minimum grade of C must be achieved for credits to count toward the fulfillment of 30 credits in NTD; a minimum grade of C in 200-level courses must be achieved to proceed to upper-level courses; only 300-level courses and a maximum of four credits of Special Problems/Independent Study (NTDT x66) may count toward the fulfillment of this requirement.

- NTD 103 Introduction to Nutrition Professions ...................................... 1
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- NTD 400 Macronutrients ................................................................... 3
- NTD 401 Micronutrients .................................................................... 3
- NTD 421 Nutrition Assessment Methods ............................................ 3
- NTD courses (300-level or higher) ....................................................... 6
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**ELECTIVES**

- After required courses are completed, sufficient elective credits must be taken to meet the minimum credits required for the degree.

- May include Military Science, Music, or HESC 120 lifetime activity courses. Only two credits of HESC 120, four credits of Music, and four credits of 100- and 200-level courses in Military Science/Air Force may be counted toward the degree.

- CREDITS TO TOTAL A MINIMUM OF ..................... 120 credits
MINOR IN FIGURE SKATING COACHING

This minor is designed to provide students with an in-depth understanding of figure skating. Admission to the minor requires a minimum GPA of 2.0 based on at least 12 credits of coursework and permission of the program director. The minor requires completion of the following courses:

- HESC 350 Introduction to Recreation and Sport Management
- HESC 356 Figure Skating Practicum II
- HESC 426 Figure Skating Practicum IV
- HESC 440 Strategies for Athlete Performance
- HESC 445 Figure Skating Practicum III
- HESC 455 Figure Skating Practicum I
- CHEM 214 and CHEM 216

Proof of First Aid certification by either the American Red Cross or the American Heart Association is also required.

MINOR IN NUTRITION

A minor in nutrition requires NTDT 200, NTDT 400, NTDT 401 plus 6 credits in Nutrition and Dietetics at the 300-level or higher. A minimum grade of C is required in all courses in the minor. Note that CHEM 214 and CHEM 216 are necessary prerequisites for NTDT 400 and NTDT 401.

MINOR IN STRENGTH AND CONDITIONING

This minor is designed to provide students with an in-depth understanding of the theory and practical considerations associated with physical training to enhance strength and conditioning. Students successfully completing the minor will be prepared to take the Strength and Conditioning Specialist Certification examination offered by the National Strength and Conditioning Association.

Students applying for the minor must have completed at least one semester of full-time study with a minimum GPA of 2.5. Enrollment in the minor for at least four semesters is necessary due to sequencing of courses. A grade of C or better in required courses is needed for successful completion of the minor.

**COURSES**

### Prerequisite Courses:

- HESC 220 Anatomy and Physiology 3
- HESC 350 Basic Concepts in Kinesiology 3
- HESC 425 Biomechanics of Human Movement 4
- HESC 430 Physiology of Activity 3
- HESC 431 Physiology of Activity Laboratory 1

### Required Courses:

- HESC 320 Principles of Strength/Conditioning 3
- HESC 432 Exercise Testing and Prescription 4
- HESC 440 Strategies for Athletic Peak Performance 3
- HESC 447 Advanced Topics in Strength and Conditioning 3
- HESC 462 Practicum in Strength and Conditioning 3
- NTDT 310 Nutrition and Activity 3

**HEALTH STUDIES**

**Telephone:** (302) 831-8371

This major provides a broad-based degree for students interested in a health-related career in any number of settings within the health services arena. Foundation courses from the sciences, humanities, and social sciences are combined with courses from departments in the College of Health Sciences. Students in the Health Studies major can select a concentration area or an existing University minor outside the college in order to meet individual personal and career objectives and interests.

**DEGREE:** BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

**MAJOR:** HEALTH STUDIES

**COURSES**

### UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

- ENGL 110 Critical Reading and Writing (minimum grade C) 3

Three credits in an approved course or courses stressing multi-cultural, ethnic, and/or gender-related course content (see p. 62-65) 3

**BREADTH REQUIREMENTS**

Creative Arts and Humanities 6

Includes all Arts and Sciences Group A courses as well as art courses and foreign language courses not used in the Communication/Foreign Language requirement.

Social Sciences (at least 2 of the listed 6 courses) 12

**MAJOR REQUIREMENTS** (minimum grade C- in each)

- Communication or Foreign Language Course 3
- Statistics Course at the 200-level or above 3
- ECON 101, ECON 201, ECON 301, or ECON 401 3
- BISC 210 Human Physiology 4
- HESC 400 Nutrition Concepts 3
- HESC 410 Nutrition in the Life Span 3
- HESC 430 Research Methods 3
- MATH 200 Introduction to Medical Technology 3
- NURS 100 New Student Connections 1
- NURS 101 Anatomy 2
- HESC 420 Anatomy and Physiology 3
- HESC 450 Principles of Physical Activity 3
- HESC 451 Nutrition in the Life Span 3
- HESC 452 Research Methods 3
- MATH 200 Introduction to Medical Technology 3
- NURS 410 Nutrition and Activity 3
- NURS 411 Topics in Health Care Delivery 3

- Any one course from each group:
  - HESC 200 Issues in Health Behavior Management 3
  - HESC 300 Issues in Physical Activity Studies 3
  - HESC 329 Dynamics of Team Problem Solving 3
  - NURS 250 Multicultural Food Habits 3
  - NURS 310 Nutrition and Activity 3
  - NURS 350 Nutrition and Older Adults 3

**Additional HESC, MEDT, NTDT, or NURS courses** (3 credits must be at the 400 level) 15

**HITH 495 Health Studies Practicum: Capstone Course** 6
Eligibility for admission to the junior year of the Medical Technology major will be based on the following criteria:

1. Minimal GPA of 2.0 in first four semesters of coursework.
2. Minimal grade point index of 2.0 computed from specified courses in biological sciences and chemistry, including laboratories: BISC 207, 208, 276, 300, and CHEM 103, 104, 213, and 214-216.
3. Completion of at least 60 credits, including the courses listed above.
4. Within the pool of eligible students, admission to the major courses will be determined by academic achievement. All applicants will be evaluated by the Medical Technology Undergraduate Program Committee.

The following course sequence is recommended. These courses may be subject to change, so it is essential that students meet regularly with their faculty advisors. Courses taken pass/fail cannot be used to complete major requirements. Pass/fail courses are for free electives only. A minimal grade of C- is required in each MEDT course in the Medical Technology major. In order to meet degree requirements, medical technology majors must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 to progress in the medical technology sequence. A student who earns a grade lower than C- in a medical technology course must repeat the course and achieve a grade of at least C- before enrolling in any medical technology course which has the prior course as a prerequisite. Students are not permitted to repeat any medical technology course more than once. Further, students who earn a grade lower than C- in more than one medical technology course will not be permitted to continue in the major.

DEGREE: BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

MAJOR: MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY

CURRICULUM

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

Critical Reading and Writing (minimum grade C) ........................................ 3
Three credits in an approved course or courses stressing multi-cultural, ethnic, and/or gender-related course content (see p. 62-65) .... 3

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

Writing: (minimum grade C) ........................................................................ 3
A second writing course involving significant writing experience including two papers with a combined minimum of 3,000 words to be submitted for extended faculty critique of both composition and content. This course must be taken after completion of 45 credit hours. Appropriate writing courses are normally designated in the semester’s Registration Booklet. (See list of courses approved for second writing requirement, page 91-93.)

One of the following ..................................................................................... 3.4
MATH 114 College Mathematics and Statistics (for students who do not intend to continue the study of mathematics) .... 3.4
MATH 115 Pre-Calculus
MATH 117 Pre-Calculus for Scientists and Engineers (for students who intend to continue the study of mathematics) .... 3.4
MATH 221 Calculus I
MATH 241 Analytic Geometry and Calculus A
Successful performance on the college proficiency exam (0 credits awarded)

BREADTH REQUIREMENTS

(follow College of Arts and Sciences standards, See page 93-98)

Group A: Understanding and appreciation of the creative arts and humanities .................................................. 6
Group B: The study of culture and institutions over time .................................................. 6
Group C: Empirically based study of human beings and their environment .................................................. 6
Three credit Pathways Course may be substituted for one Breadth Requirement (minimum grade of C- required in all MEDT courses)
HEALTH SCIENCES

UNDERGRADUATE

MED 100 Introduction to Medical Technology .......... 1
MED 210 Information Technologies and Communication Skills .......... 2
MED 370 Phlebotomy Practicum .......... 1
MED 375 Clinical Laboratory Principles and Statistics .......... 2
MED 380 Clinical Immunology and Medical Virology .......... 4
MED 390 Introduction to Molecular Diagnostics .......... 2
MED 391 Introduction to Molecular Diagnostics Laboratory .......... 1
MED 400 Urinalysis and Body Fluids .......... 2
MED 401 Clinical Physiological Chemistry I .......... 3
MED 411 Clinical Physiological Chemistry I Laboratory .......... 2
MED 404 Hematology .......... 2
MED 414 Hematology I Laboratory .......... 1
MED 406 Medical Microbiology .......... 3
MED 416 Medical Microbiology Laboratory .......... 2
MED 403 Clinical Physiological Chemistry II .......... 4
MED 413 Clinical Physiological Chemistry II Laboratory .......... 2
MED 418 Medical Technology Senior Seminar .......... 3
MED 405 Hematology II .......... 2
MED 415 Hematology II Laboratory .......... 2
MED 409 Immunohematology .......... 1
MED 419 Immunohematology Laboratory .......... 1
MED 420 Immunohematology II .......... 1
MED 421 Immunohematology II Laboratory .......... 1
MED 430 Diagnostic Bacteriology and Medical Mycology .......... 2
MED 431 Diagnostic Bacteriology and Medical Mycology Laboratory .......... 2
MED 461 Laboratory Practice and Leadership I .......... 1
MED 471 Laboratory Practice and Leadership II .......... 1
MED 472 Clinical Urinalysis Practicum .......... 1
MED 473 Clinical Chemistry Practicum .......... 3
MED 474 Clinical Biochemistry Practicum .......... 3
MED 477 Clinical Microbiology Practicum .......... 3
MED 479 Clinical Immunohematology Practicum .......... 3
BISC 207/208 Introductory Biology I and II .......... 8
BISC 276 Human Physiology .......... 4
BISC 300 Introduction to Microbiology .......... 4
CHEM 103/104 General Chemistry .......... 8
CHEM 213 Elementary Organic Chemistry (CHEM 213/216 Elementary Biochemistry with Lab) .......... 4
CHEM 321/322 Organic Chemistry .......... 8

CREDITS TO TOTAL A MINIMUM OF ................. 123

HONORS BACHELOR OF SCIENCE: MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY

The recipient must complete:
1. All requirements for the Bachelor of Science degree in Medical Technology.
2. All the University's generic requirements for the Honors Baccalaureate degree (see page 43).

NURSING

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The School of Nursing offers a traditional baccalaureate degree program in nursing and an accelerated degree program for those who already hold a baccalaureate degree in another field. There is also a baccalaureate degree program (BRN) for registered nurses with associate degrees or diplomas. Returning nurses may complete the majority of their course work at home or in the worksite in a distance-learning format.

In addition, the School offers a master's program in nursing, with concentrations in Family Nurse Practitioner, Adult Nurse Practitioner, Neonatal Nurse Practitioner, Health Services Administration, and Clinical Nurse Specialist.

TRADITIONAL BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING PROGRAM

The traditional Bachelor of Science in Nursing program is designed to develop the knowledge, understanding and skills essential for the practice of professional nursing and to provide the basis for graduate education. The program is fully accredited by the National League for Nursing Accrediting Commission and has preliminary accreditation from the Commission for Collegiate Nursing Education. Information on program requirements is available from the League at 350 Hudson St., New York, NY 10014, telephone 1-800-669-1656. The first year of the program includes foundation courses in the natural, social, and behavioral sciences, and liberal arts. Each subsequent year increases the nursing content and coursework and culminates in a senior year of clinical residency in direct care clinical agencies. Clinical resources of the Department include healthcare agencies in Delaware, Maryland, Pennsylvania, and New Jersey.

During clinical rotations, students are exposed to many different experiences in a variety of healthcare settings. These include the major hospitals in New Castle County as well as regional community hospitals, a variety of extended care facilities, independent living facilities, and various community-based providers who offer a range of services across the life span. Students graduate as nurse generalists with experiences in pediatric, maternity, psychiatric, medical-surgical, and community health nursing.

Nursing students are encouraged to participate in the university chapter of the National Student Nurses' Association and the Black Student Nurses' Organization. Students who have earned recognition for superior academic achievement may be invited for membership in Beta Xi Chapter of Sigma Theta Tau, the International Honor Society of Nursing. Qualified students may participate in the University's Honors, undergraduate research, and the Degree with Distinction programs. Research opportunities are available to all undergraduates.

ACCELERATED NURSING DEGREE PROGRAM

The Accelerated Degree Program is a course of study leading to a Bachelor of Science in Nursing and is designed for individuals who have a previously earned degree in another field and would like to pursue a career in nursing. Students in this program must complete all of the non-nursing requirements by transfer credit from their first degree, completion of coursework at the University of Delaware or by transfer of pre-approved equivalent courses from other accredited institutions. The program begins in the fall with two courses which are offered in a web-enhanced format. Students will be required to come to campus for course examinations. If a student is unable to relocate until beginning full time study in January, special testing arrangements may be made on an individual basis. In January, students begin their full time studies with a five week winter session. Coursework continues in the spring semester, followed by a ten week summer session, the fall semester, and concludes with the following January winter session. All pre-requisite science courses must be completed successfully prior to the first fall nursing course.

Students taking courses in an accelerated mode are sometimes out of sequence with on-campus course offerings. In these instances, lecture will be provided via videotape or web, and augmented by group discussion sessions.

Eligibility for this course of study includes the following:
1. An earned baccalaureate degree.
2. GPA of 3.25 or greater
3. Completion of all non-nursing courses prior to second term of the program.

For more information or to make an appointment to discuss the accelerated program, please contact the School at 302-831-1253. A sample curriculum plan may be viewed at the Accelerated Degree Program website (www.udel.edu/nursing/accelerated.html). Students who need financial assistance in pursuing a second degree should contact the Financial Aid Office at 302-831-1534. Reference books on private financial aid sources are available in libraries or local academic institutions in your community.
POLICIES

In order to meet degree requirements, nursing majors must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 to progress in the nursing sequence. A student who earns a grade lower than C- in a nursing course must repeat the course and achieve a grade of at least C- before enrolling in a more advanced nursing course.

Students are not permitted to repeat any nursing course more than once. Students who earn a grade lower than C- in more than one nursing course will not be permitted to continue in the program. Students should meet regularly with their advisor to ensure that all requirements are being met.

Students are required to meet all immunization, safety, criminal background checks, drug screenings, and CPR requirements prior to clinical coursework and direct patient care. Additional requirements for the clinical education may be required by the healthcare agency to which a student is assigned. Students are expected to provide their own transportation to all required clinical experiences.

LICENSE

Graduates are eligible for registered nurse licensure in any state upon satisfactory completion of the National Council Licensure Examination for Registered Nurses (NCLEX-RN). If the examination is passed and licensure granted in one state, application may be made to other states for licensure by endorsement.

HONORS DEGREE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF NURSING

Students can earn an Honors Bachelor of Science Degree in Nursing by completing the following requirements:

1. All requirements for the Bachelor of Science in Nursing Degree
2. All the University’s generic requirements for the Honors Baccalaureate Degree (see page 45)

Courses at the 600 level or higher may be taken for honors credits (with permission from the course instructor and academic advisor).

DEGREE: BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

MAJOR: NURSING

CURRICULUM

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

ENGL 110 Critical Reading and Writing
(minimum grade C) 3

Three credits in an approved course or courses stressing multi-cultural, ethnic, and/or gender-related course content (see p. 62-65)

This course also can be used in the breadth requirements

BREADTH REQUIREMENTS

(see College of Arts and Sciences standards, p. 93-98)

Group A: Understanding and appreciation of the creative arts and humanities 3

(Foreign language requirement may be substituted for a Group A requirement)

Group B: The study of culture and institutions over time 3

Group C: Empirically based study of human beings and their environment 3

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

BISC 207 Introductory Biology 4
BISC 276 Human Physiology (minimum grade C) 4
BISC 300 Introduction to Microbiology 4
CHEM 105 General Chemistry 4
CHEM 106 Elementary Bioorganic Chemistry 5
NDT 200 Nutrition Concepts 3
STAT 200 Basic Statistical Practice 3
PSYC 100 General Psychology 3
IFST 201 Life Span Development 3
NURS 100 New Student Connections 1
NURS 101 Basic Human Anatomy 2
NURS 110 Nursing Connections 1
NURS 200 Clinical Decision Making 2
NURS 227 Pharmacology 3
NURS 231 Health Promotion Across the Lifespan 2
NURS 232 Core of Vulnerable Populations 2
NURS 241 Scientific Basis of Nursing 3
NURS 242 Scientific Basis of Nursing 3
NURS 250 Health Assessment Across the Lifespan 2
NURS 352 Adult Health Nursing 3
NURS 354 Psychosocial Nursing 3
NURS 356 Care of Children and Families 3
NURS 358 Women’s Health Nursing 3
NURS 362 Research Concepts in Health Care 3
NURS 372 Adult Health Nursing 3
NURS 392 Communities and Health Policy 2
NURS 390 Clinical Work Experiences 1-2
NURS 411 Topics in Health Care Delivery 3
NURS 413 Topics in Health Care Delivery* 3
NURS 453 Clinical Applications: Adult Health Nursing I 3
NURS 454 Clinical Applications: Adult Health Nursing II 3
NURS 460 Clinical Integration Seminar I 2
NURS 473 Clinical Applications: Adult Health Nursing II 3
NURS 477 Clinical Applications: Care of Populations 3
NURS 479 Clinical Preceptorship 3
NURS 480 Clinical Integration Seminar II 2

*Each student is required to take 6 credits of NURS 411

ELECTIVES

After required courses are completed, sufficient elective credits must be taken to meet the minimum credits required for the degree.

CREDITS TO TOTAL A MINIMUM OF ............... 122

Many nursing courses are offered once each academic year. Students must complete selected required lower division courses before enrolling in upper division nursing courses. Nursing courses must be taken in sequence unless otherwise specified.

DEGREE: BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

(Accelerated Degree Program)

MAJOR: NURSING

CURRICULUM

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

ENGL 110 Critical Reading and Writing
(minimum grade C) 3

Three credits in an approved course or courses stressing multi-cultural, ethnic, and/or gender-related course content (see p. 62-65)

This course also can be used in the breadth requirements

BREADTH REQUIREMENTS

(see College of Arts and Sciences standards, p. 93-98)

Group A: Understanding and appreciation of the creative arts and humanities 3

(Foreign language requirement may be substituted for a Group A requirement)

Group B: The study of culture and institutions over time 3

Group C: Empirically based study of human beings and their environment 3

SUPPORT COURSES

(To be completed through course work or transfer of credit before beginning the first Winter Session)

BISC 207 Introductory Biology I 4
NURS 101 Basic Human Anatomy 2
BISC 276 Human Physiology (minimum grade C) 4
BISC 300 Introduction to Microbiology 4
CHEM 105 General Chemistry 4
CHEM 106 Elementary Bioorganic Chemistry 5
IFST 201 Life Span Development 3
NDT 200 Nutrition Concepts 3
PSYC 100 General Psychology 3
STAT 200 Basic Statistical Practice 3

NURSING COURSES (66 credits)

NURS 220 Concepts of Nursing Practice 3
NURS 222 Pharmacology 3
NURS 230 Foundational Nursing Practices 3
NURS 250 Health Assessment Across the Lifespan 2
NURS 312 Pathophysiology 4
NURS 352 Adult Health Nursing 3
NURS 354 Psychosocial Nursing 3
NURS 356 Care of Children and Families 3

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ELECTIVES
After required courses are completed, sufficient elective credits must be taken to meet the minimum credits required for the degree

CREDITS TO TOTAL A MINIMUM OF ................. 120

Many nursing courses are offered once each academic year. Students must complete selected required lower division courses before enrolling in upper division nursing courses. Nursing courses must be taken in sequence unless otherwise specified.

BACCALAUREATE PROGRAM FOR THE REGISTERED NURSE (BRN)
The School of Nursing offers a separate program to allow registered nurses to earn a Bachelor of Science in Nursing. The Baccalaureate for the Registered Nurse (BRN) major is an innovative program designed to build on basic nursing knowledge, enhancing nursing practice in an increasingly complex society. The BRN major is offered in a distance learning format to maximize educational opportunities for registered nurses. Licensed registered nurses who are graduates of associate degree or diploma programs may apply for admission to this program. For the RN to MSN program, please see graduate nursing programs.

Admission Requirements
A registered nurse who is a graduate of an associate degree or diploma nursing program may apply for admission to the Baccalaureate for the Registered Nurse Major. The applicant should request a distance learning application form or access the application online at http://www.udel.edu/dsp/BRN and submit the form with fee to the Division of Special Programs.

Materials requested are:
- Completed application form with application fee
- Official transcripts verifying college credits previously earned including verification of graduation. A student who is transferring credit from other institutions must have a 2.5 cumulative grade point index (GPI) in all previous college work. The University accepts credits only from those institutions that are fully accredited by the appropriate regional accrediting association. This determination is made only at the time of formal application to the University. You may wish to contact institutions you attended previously to ascertain their status during your period of enrollment
- Current registered nurse license for those licensed in the United States
- Documentation of equivalent to a US RN license for international students plus a minimum score of 600 for the paper test and 250 for the computer based test required for the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL)

CRITERIA FOR ENROLLMENT IN BACCALAUREATE FOR THE REGISTERED NURSE (BRN) COURSES:
The BRN major is concentrated at the junior and senior levels and requires 120 credits for graduation. Before enrollment in any nursing courses, students must meet the following criteria:
- Official admission to the BRN major
- Completion of all science credits required for the degree. The remaining non-nursing credits can be taken at any time in the program; however students are strongly encouraged to complete non-nursing requirements prior to enrollment in nursing courses.

Submission and approval of:
- Nursing Employment Verification Form
- The process must be completed before enrollment in the student’s first nursing course.
- Updated immunization record to Student Health and the Division of Special Programs
- Current RN license

ACADEMIC PROGRESSION
The program is designed to facilitate timely progression for nurses who are continuing their education while employed full or part-time. There is no time limit for completion of prerequisite courses; however upon enrollment in the first nursing course, the program must be completed within a five-year period. It is possible to complete the required nursing courses in a 12-month period.

DEGREE: BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING
MAJOR: BACCALAUREATE FOR THE REGISTERED NURSE (BRN)

CURRICULUM

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS
ENGL 110 Critical Reading and Writing (minimum grade C) ................. 3

Three credits in an approved course or courses stressing multi-cultural, ethnic, and/or gender-related course content (see p 62-65) ................. 3

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS
24 credits, to include a minimum of one course in each of the following five categories: 24

(1) biology, (2) microbiology, (3) chemistry, (4) anatomy and physiology, and (5) nutrition

- STAT 200 Basic Statistical Practice ........................................ 3
- English course (second English composition course) ................. 3
- Psychology course ......................................................... 3
- Sociology course ......................................................... 3
- Lifespan development course ........................................... 3
- Restricted elective chosen from the following: 3
- Art, Art History, History, Philosophy, Music, Theatre, Comparative Literature, Black American Studies, Economics, Political Science, Women’s Studies, Foreign Languages and Literatures, Linguistics, and English

- NURS 312 Pathophysiology ................................................... 4
- NURS 335 BRN Orientation .................................................. 1
- NURS 345 Conceptual Foundations for Nursing Practice ......... 3
- NURS 350 Wellness/Health Assessment ................................ 3
- NURS 362 Research Concepts in Health Care ....................... 3
- NURS 411 Topics in Health Care Delivery .......................... 3
- NURS 435 Leadership & Management in Health Organizations ... 3
- NURS 442 Community Health Nursing ................................ 3
- NURS 443 BRN Role Practicum ........................................... 3
- NURS 450 BRN Capstone ................................................... 1

ELECTIVES
After required courses are completed, sufficient elective credits must be taken to meet the minimum credits required for the degree.

CREDITS TO TOTAL A MINIMUM OF ................. 120