

**West Texas A&M University
Advising Services
Degree Checklist
2023-2024**

NAME: _____ **WT ID:** _____ **DATE:** _____

**Health Sciences – Pre-Healthcare Professional Option
College of Nursing and Health Sciences
OM 402 651-3500**

CORE CURRICULUM COURSES: 42 HOURS ♦		HRS
Communication (Code 10)		
ENGL 1301 Intro. To Academic Writing & Argumentation OR ENGL 1311 Writing About Ideas	3	
COMM 1315, 1318, or 1321	3	
Mathematics (Core 20)		
MATH 1314*, 1316*, 1324*, 1325*, 1332*/**, 1342*/**, 1350*/**, 2412*, or 2413* (2412 & 2413: fourth hr. moves to Core 90)	3	
Life and Physical Sciences (Core 30)		
Take two courses from: ANSC 1319; BIOL 1406 or 1308, 1407* or 1309*, 1411, 1413; CHEM 1305* or 1411*, 1412*; ENVR 1407*; GEOL 1301 or 1403, 1302, 1404; PHYS 1401*, 1402*, 1311, 1312, 1371, 2425*, 2426*; PSES 1301, 1307 - BIOL 1406, 1407, 1411, 1413; CHEM 1411, 1412; GEOL 1403, 1404; PHYS 1401, 1402, 2425, 2426: 4 th hr. moves to Core 90	6	
Language, Philosophy and Culture (Core 40)		
ANTH 2351, ENGL 2321*, 2326*, 2331*, 2341*, 2343*; HIST 2311, 2323, 2372; MCOM 1307; PHIL 1301, 2374; SPAN 2311*, 2312*/**, 2313*, 2315*, or 2371 Choose 1	3	
Creative Arts (Core 50)		
ARTS 1301, 1303, 1304; DANC 2303; MUSI 1306, 1307 (for music majors), 1310; or THRE 1310 Choose 1	3	
American History (Core 60)		
HIST 1301, 1302, 2301, 2381, 2382 Choose 2	6	
Government/Political Science (Core 70)		
POSC 2305 and 2306	6	
Social and Behavioral Sciences (Core 80)		
AGBE 2317*; COMM 2377; CRIJ 1301; ECON 2301, 2302; GEOG 1302; PSYC 2301; SOCI 1301 Choose 1	3	
Component Area Option (Core 90)		
Take six hours from: AGRI 2300; BIOL 4 th hour from 4-hour courses (from Core 30); BUSI 1301, 1304; CHEM 4 th hour from 4-hour courses (from Core 30); CIDM 1105, CIDM 1301 or 1315; CS 1301; ECON 2331; ENGL 1101, 1102, 1302*, 1312*, 2311*; ENVR 4 th hour (from Core 30); GEOL 4 th hour from 4-hour courses (from Core 30); IDS 1071 (1-3 hours); MATH 4 th hour from 4-hour courses (from Core 20); MUSI 1053; PHIL 2303; PHYS 4 th hour from 4-hour courses (from Core 30); SES 1120	6	
HEALTH SCIENCES MAJOR REQUIREMENTS: 48 HOURS A grade of "C" or better must be earned in all courses required for major.		
HEALTH SCIENCES CORE: 24 HOURS		
BUSI 3312* Business Law (prerequisite for BUSI 4370)	3	
BUSI 4370*** Legal Aspects of Healthcare	3	
HSCI 3301* Introduction to Epidemiology	3	
NURS 2330* Health Promotion	3	
NURS 3304* Elem. Biostatistics in Health Care Research	3	
MGT 3330 Principles of Management	3	
PHIL 3375 Medical Ethics	3	
NURS 3301 Medical Terminology for Healthcare Providers	3	

**Bachelor of Science Degree
BS.HSCI (730)**

HEALTH SCIENCES ELECTIVES: 24 HOURS		Select 24 hours from the following courses.	
Education: EPSY 3342 Psychology of Education EPSY 3350 Children with Special Needs			
Psychology: PSYC 2314 Lifespan Growth & Development PSYC 2315 Human Behavior & Personal Adjustment PSYC 3322* Health Psychology PSYC 3350* Social Psychology PSYC 4324* Psychopharmacology PSYC 4341* Psychology of Adolescence and Youth PSYC 4355* Theories of Personality PSYC 4360* Abnormal Psychology			
Sport and Exercise Sciences: SES 2342 Personal Fitness Concepts SES 3302* Structural and Mechanical Kinesiology SES 3316 Drugs, Alcohol and Tobacco SES 3325 Programming for Health & Wellness of Children SES 3340 Sport Nutrition SES 3345 Stress Management SES 3350 Contemporary Leadership SES 4327 Exercise Psychology SES 4328* Psychology of Injury SES 4341* Sport Biomechanics			
Sociology/Social Work: SOCI 3384 Drug Abuse, Crime and Society SOCI/SOCW 4320 Loss and Grief SOCI 4321 Racial and Cultural Minorities SOCIW 4321 Practice Methods with Diverse Populations SOCI/SOCW 4345 Health-Care Policy and Planning			
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE REQUIREMENTS: 6 HOURS			
Six hours chosen from biology, chemistry, geology, geosciences, mathematics, physics and natural sciences.		6	
PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL PREREQUISITES ♦ Select courses not taken for Core 30 or B.S. requirements.			
Biology BIOL 1406 Basic and Contemporary Biology I BIOL 1407* Basic and Contemporary Biology II BIOL 2401* Human Anatomy and Physiology I BIOL 2402* Human Anatomy and Physiology II			
Chemistry CHEM 1411* Chemistry I CHEM 1412* Chemistry II CHEM 2423* Organic Chemistry I CHEM 2425* Organic Chemistry II			
Physics PHYS 1401* General Physics I PHYS 1402* General Physics II			
GENERAL ELECTIVES: By Advisement (Total of 24 hours when combined with Professional School Prerequisites) ♦			
MINIMUM HOURS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE DEGREE		120	

* Indicates prerequisites—see catalog for more information.
 ** While MATH 1332, 1342 and 1350 will fulfill core math requirements, they will NOT prepare students for higher-level math courses such as Plane Trigonometry (MATH 1316) or Pre-Calculus (MATH 2412).
 *** BUSI 3312 and junior standing are prerequisites.
 Note: This is NOT a degree plan. All Undergraduate students must request an official degree plan from their academic dean's office by the time they have completed 30 credit hours. who have questions about their degree plan should contact the office of the dean of the College of Nursing and Health Sciences, which is located in Old Main, Room 402 (phone 806-651-3500).