Health Science: Pre-Athletic Training 3+2



COMMONWEALTH UNIVERSITY

Bachelor of Science (BS)

This degree map is based on the 2023-24 Academic Catalog and is subject to change. Students should meet with their academic advisor each semester and use Degree Works to monitor their individual progress toward degree completion. The time it takes to earn a degree will vary based on several factors including summer/winter enrollment, dual enrollment and number of courses successfully completed each semester. We recommend taking a minimum of 15 credits each fall and spring semester.

Sample 4-Year Plan

First Year			
Fall Courses	Credits	Spring Courses	Credits
EXER161 Intro to Health and Exercise Science	3	BIOL110 Principles of Biology 1 (N)	4
HLSC115/BIOL180 Human Anatomy & Physiology 1 (N)	4	HLSC108/BIOL108 Medical Terminology for Health Professions	3
PSYC100 Introduction to Psychology	3	HLSC120/BIOL181 Human Anatomy & Physiology 2	4
FYS 100 First Year Seminar (F)	3	General Education/Elective	6
General Education/Elective	3		
Semester Total	16	Semester Total	17

Second Year			
Fall Courses	Credits	Spring Courses	Credits
CHEM121 Chemistry 1 (N)	4	EXER378 Exercise Physiology	3
EXER282 Care and Prevention of Physical Injury	3	NUTR200 Introduction to Nutrition	3
HLSC200 Introduction to Disease	3	STAT141 Introduction to Statistics (Q)	3
General Education / Elective	6	General Education/Elective	6
Semester Total	16	Semester Total	15

Third Year			
Fall Courses	Credits	Spring Courses	Credits
EXER351 Biomechanics	3	HLSC420 Rehabilitation Science	3
EXER380 Research in Health and Exercise Science	3	HLSC451 Advanced Human Anatomy	3
HLSC332 Psychological Considerations of Injury and Illness	3	HLSC498 Professional Field Experience in Health Science	3
PHYS208 Physics 1 or PHYS125 Physics of Sport	4/3	General Education/Elective	7
General Education/Elective	3/4		
Semester Total	16	Semester Total	16

Fourth Year			
Fall Courses	Credits	Spring Courses	Credits
MS-AT Program	15	MS-AT Program	9
Semester Total	15	Semester Total	9

Winter/Summer College - Optional

While not required, Winter and Summer sessions are offered each year and may help you stay on track or get ahead. You may take up to seven (7) credits during Winter College and up to 14 credits during Summer College.

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Curriculum Checklist

Health Science Core (43 or 44 Credits)

- ____ EXER161 Introduction to Health and Exercise Science (3)
- ____ EXER282 Care and Prevention of Athletic Injury (3)
- ____ EXER351 Biomechanics (3)
- EXER378 Exercise Physiology (3)
- EXER380 Research Methods in Health & Exercise Science (3)
- _____HLSC108/BIOL108 Medical Terminology for Health Science (3)
- ____ HLSC120/BIOL181 Human Anatomy and Physiology 2 (4)
- HLSC200 Introduction to Disease (3) HLSC420 Rehabilitation Science (3)
- ____ HLSC420 Rehabilitation Science (3) ____ HLSC451 Advanced Human Anatomy (3)
- HLSC498 Professional Field Experience in Health Science (3)
- _____NUTR200 Introduction to Nutrition (3)
- PHY208 Physics 1 (4) or PHY125 Physics of Sports (3)
- ____ PSYC100 Introduction to Psychology (3)

Health Science Electives (4 or 5 Credits)

- ____ EXER294 Resistance Training Techniques
- ____ EXER306 Psychology of Sport & Exercise
- ____ EXER360 Sport Nutrition
- ____ EXER453 Clinical Exercise Physiology
- ____ EXER477 Exercise Testing and Prescription
- EXER478 Advanced Exercise Physiology
- ____ HLTH110 Orientation to Athletic Training
- HLTH140 Introduction to Public Health
- HLTH208 Stress Management and Life Skills for Health Promotion
- HLTH210 Public Health, Social Justice, and Advocacy
- HLTH212 Introduction to Global Health Promotion
- ____ HLTH218 Public Health and the Environment
- HLTH235 Community-level Health Methods and Strategies
- ____ HLTH236 Health Literacy and Patient Education
- HLTH240 Introduction to Epidemiology
- HLTH307 Cultural Aspects of Health
- _____ HLTH350 Planning Health Promotion Programs
- _____ HLTH401 Current Health Issues
- ____ HLTH402 Evaluating Health Education and Promotion Programs
- HLSC406 Biomechanics of Musculoskeletal Injury
- ____ HLSC407 Advanced Human Physiology
- ____ HLSC415 Pharmacology
- ____ HLSC452 Advanced Human Anatomy Lab
- ____ HLTH465 Rural Health Issues
- ____ HLTH470 Sex Education for Health Sciences
- ____ HLSC490 Special Topics
- ____ NUTR310 Nutrition Assessment and Medical Terminology
- ____ NUTR325 Nutrition Counseling and Education
- ____ NUTR350 Nutrition in Healthcare
- SPPP208 Introduction to Sport and Performance Psychology
- SPPP318 Advanced Theory and Application of Sport and Performance Psychology

MS-AT Course Transfer (24 Credits)



General Education Requirements

(48 credits)

Note: Some requirements may be fulfilled by coursework in your major program including directed Gen Ed courses noted below

- Foundations (15 credits)
 - Quantitative: STAT141 Statistics (3)
- Interconnections (9 credits)
- Citizenship & Responsibility
- (6 credits from at least two goals)
 - Critical Reasoning: HLSC332 Psychological Considerations of Injury and Illness (3)
- Natural World & Technologies (9 credits)
 - BIOL110 Principles of Biology 1 (4)
 - CHEM121 General Chemistry 1 (4)
 - HLSC115/BIOL180 Human Anatomy & Physiology 1 (4)
- Creativity & Expression (6 credits)

Degree Requirements

All students must obtain a minimum of 120 credits, complete all General Education requirements, and all requirements for the selected major. Meet with your advisor and consult Degree Works to monitor your progress and for all graduation requirements.

A minimum GPA of 2.0 in the major and overall are required. A GPA of 3.0 and a grade of C or better in all prerequisite courses is required for admission to the MS-AT program.

Campus Locations

Bloomsburg	\Box Online; \Box In-person; $igtimes$ Blended
Lock Haven	\Box Online; \Box In-person; \boxtimes Blended
Mansfield	\Box Online; \Box In-person; \Box Blended
Clearfield	\Box Online; \Box In-person; \Box Blended