

ASSOCIATE IN APPLIED SCIENCE

Health Science

HSC.AAS

CODE	COURSE	CREDITS
First Year/First Semester		
ENG-101	English Composition I	3
BIO-117	Basic Anatomy & Physiology I	4
HIT-120	Medical Terminology	3
PSY-101	Basic Psychology	3
.....	Diversity - Humanities General Education Elective	3
		16
Second Semester		
ENG-102	English Composition II	3
BIO-118	Basic Anatomy & Physiology II	4
PHL-232	Biomedical Ethics	3
SOC-101	Introduction to Sociology	3
MTH...	Mathematics General Education Elective ¹	3/4
		16/17
	Portfolio Assessment	28²
	Total Minimum Credits	60

All students are required to take the core courses listed to left.

Graduation from a recognized accredited Allied Health career program recognized by Camden County College or graduates of an approved Camden County College non-credit program may be eligible to earn college credit for their previous experience.

Programs between 60 and 99 contact hours may earn 4 college credits

Programs between 100 and 199 contact hours may earn 8 college credits

Programs between 200 and 299 contact hours may earn 15 college credits

Programs between 300 and 399 contact hours may earn 21 college credits

Programs between 400 and 499 hours may earn 25 college credits

Programs over 500 hours may earn 28 college credits

All credit assessments will be conducted by portfolio assessment.

¹ Suggested Electives: Introduction to Statistics (MTH-111), Algebraic Concepts (MTH-100) or Pre-Calculus Mathematics I (MTH-123)

² Students receiving less than 28 college credits for their post-secondary work should select additional courses from the following list to graduate with a minimum of 60 credits: Laboratory Science General Education Elective, Statistics Social Science General Education Elective, Humanities General Education Elective

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Allied health paraprofessionals who have earned a certificate or license may be eligible to receive college credit for their accredited, post secondary education. Students may transfer college credit to four-year institutions or use the degree for career advancement.

- Students may earn a minimum of 22 to a maximum of 28 credits for completing a post secondary, accredited allied health program.
- The credits awarded are based on the number of hours spent in training at an accredited allied health program recognized by Camden County College.
- To earn the Associate in Applied Science degree, students must complete the courses listed in the Health Science program curriculum at Camden County College.
- Students must review their portfolio assessment with the coordinator to be eligible to be a health science major.

PROGRAM GOALS

- To earn a health science associate degree, through general education for students who have successfully completed an accredited/approved allied health program.
- To provide students with a foundation in general education.
- To prepare students for upward career mobility for healthcare workers by building upon a student's prior professional knowledge and clinical experience.
- To prepare students for career advancement in an allied health profession.

PROGRAM STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES

At the end of the program, the graduate will be able to:

1. Communicate in both written and oral formats.
2. Apply the scientific method of inquiry to analyze problems and draw conclusions from evidence and data.
3. Identify resources, obtain and critically evaluate information.

SPECIAL ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- Submission of diploma or certificate from an accredited allied health program to the allied health coordinator for evaluation.
- Graduates of an approved Camden County College non-credit program may be eligible to earn college credit for their previous experience.
- Conference with the allied health coordinator.
- Must complete all basic skills requirements prior to beginning the program.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

- Administration
- Education
- Management

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