



**Kirtland Community College**

**2022/23**

**Western Michigan University Bachelor of Science, Healthcare Services and Sciences General Curriculum Guide**

**The Healthcare Services and Sciences (HSS) General major is designed to prepare students to work in variety of health careers:**

- Students who want to prepare for administrative and other non-clinical positions in the complex and varied career area of health care.
- Students who plan to attend graduate school in a clinical or non-clinical career.
- In addition to the general HSS major, specific concentrations are available to students:
  - HSS Blindness and Low Vision Preparation Concentration
  - HSS Clinical Practice in Health (Degree completion for students already working in health care who hold associate degrees or certificates in health-related areas.)
  - HSS Occupational Therapy Preparation Concentration
  - HSS Physician Assistant Preparation Concentration

**Admission Requirements:**

- Students admitted to WMU and in good standing are eligible to major in Healthcare Services and Sciences. Grade restrictions apply for continuing in the major.

**HSS Core/Cognates courses that can be taken at Kirtland:**

<b>WMU courses</b>	<b>Kirtland courses</b>
BIOS 2110	BIO 23500
HSV 2250	PSY 24000
PHIL 2010 or 3340	PHL 21000 or ALH 11300

**Additional course in the HSS Blindness and Low Vision Preparation Concentration**

<b>WMU courses</b>	<b>Kirtland courses</b>
BIOS 1120	BIO 10100

**Additional courses in the HSS Occupational Therapy Preparation Concentration**

<b>WMU courses</b>	<b>Kirtland courses</b>
BIOS 1120	BIO 10100
BIOS 2400	BIO 25100

PSY 1000	PSY 10100
PSY 2500	PSY 20200
STAT 3660	MTH 20600

### **Additional courses in the HSS Physician Assistant Preparation Concentration**

#### **WMU courses**

#### **Kirtland courses**

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BIOS 1610	BIO 11700
BIOS 1620	BIO 20100
BIOS 2320	BIO 21000
CHEM 1100 1110	CHE 10101 and 10102
CHEM 1120 1130	CHE 10201 and 10202
STAT 3660	MTH 20600

### **General education (WES) requirements:**

- Please refer to the [Western Essential Studies \(WES\) transfer guide](#).
- Students choosing the general HSS major must have a minor for graduation. Those in a preparation concentration have the option of completing a minor. Please check with your WMU advisor about courses you can take at Kirtland that will count toward your minor.

### **Other information:**

- Please visit the WMU Course Catalog and the Healthcare Services and Sciences webpage for more information.
- WMU advisors will review previous education of certified or licensed allied health professionals for credit toward the BS-HSS Clinical Practice in Health major.
- WMU's HSS program students are required to complete an internship or similar capstone experience in addition to required courses. Students with an associate degree in health-related fields will likely be exempt from this requirement.

### **Contact information:**

We look forward to sharing more details about our programs. Please contact us:

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We offer appointments via phone, Zoom/webex or in person.