

Department of Health Sciences: BS in Health Science

Program: BS Health Science

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1. List the learning outcomes for the program:

1) Domain 1: Knowledge of human cultures and the physical and natural world will include:

- i. List the leading causes of mortality, morbidity, and health disparities among local, regional, and global populations. HS300, HS325
- ii. Explain how the organization, financing, and delivery of medical and public health services impact population health. HP353 project, HS430, 450, 463, 475
- iii. Assess the values and perspectives of diverse individuals, communities, and cultures and their influence on health behaviors, choices, and practices. HS463, HS450, HS430, and/or HS475, HP252
- iv. Outline approaches for assessing and controlling environmental hazards that affect community health. HS345

2) Domain 2: Development of intellectual and practical skills (inquiry and analysis) will include:

- i. Analyze alternative viewpoints regarding a health topic. Community advocate guest speakers in class HS 450, HS 463. Reflected in student HS405 journal and e-portfolio
- ii. Assess the source and quality of health information and data, as related to individual and community health. HS 210, HS 300, SAR HS440
- iii. Appreciate the multiple determinants of health. HS463 response papers & culminating course grant proposal

3) Domain 3: Integrative and applied learning, includes civic knowledge and engagement

- i. Appreciate the role of community engagement in promoting population health and social justice. HS405, HS463, faculty and staff student advising
- ii. Advocate for evidence-based social changes that improve the health of individuals and communities. HS 405, HS430, 450, 463, & 475
- iii. Value multicultural perspectives and sensitivities on health. HS 325, HS430, HS 450, HS 463
- iv. Examine the fundamental right to health and health services. PH251, HP353
- v. Communicate health information to a wide range of audiences through an array of media HP353 grant project, HS320 and HS405 evaluation