



- HP 272 ADULT HEALTH AND DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM (3)**  
This course is an interdisciplinary experiential learning course that provides one-on-one interaction with senior citizens from the local community. Students and senior citizens will engage in a variety of activities and educational projects to promote healthy and positive aging. Students, together with their senior partner, participate in fitness activities and workshops on topics related to aging and human performance. Students have an opportunity to learn through hands-on experience. In addition, this course directs attention toward a better understanding of issues of diversity as stereotypes related to aging are explored. Prior to being partnered with a senior citizen, students receive special training to prepare them to work effectively with the older population.
- HP 275 MEDICAL TERMINOLOGY (3)** This course will familiarize students entering the public health fields with fundamental medical terms, medical instrumentation, and medical exams used for a diagnosis, while also providing essential spelling and grammatical skills for the medical workplace.
- HP 300 DRUGS AND BEHAVIOR MANAGEMENT (3)** *Prerequisites: BIOL 214, 215 or 222, 223.* This course surveys addictive substances and the causes of addictive behavior, theories of prevention, and treatment.
- HP 301 NON-MEDICAL HEALING (3)** This course examines the role of health services which deviate from or compete with the medical model. Social and legal issues, reliability of information, and the development of guidelines for utilization of services are studied.
- HP 315 HEALTH BEHAVIOR AND COMMUNICATION (3)**  
*Prerequisite: HP 271.* This course examines health behavior theories; models and frameworks from health and social sciences; marketing and communication; and their applications to individual, group, or community health education initiatives.
- HP 322 HEALTH ASPECTS OF AGING (3)** This course studies the biological, epidemiological, and social aspects of an aging population and the relationship to health and health care.
- HP 325 HUMAN DISEASES (3)** *Prerequisites: BIOL 214, 214L, 215, 215L, HP 239.* This course is a study of communicable and chronic diseases with regard to disease description, etiology, signs and symptoms, diagnostic procedures, treatment, prognosis, and prevention.
- HP 372 CONTEMPORARY HEALTH ISSUES (2)** This course is directed toward current health problems and concerns and includes the topics of fitness, environmental health, and consumer health.
- HP 397 INDEPENDENT STUDY IN HEALTH PROMOTION (1-3)**  
*Prerequisites: Approval of faculty sponsor and school dean; junior or senior standing.* This course provides students the opportunity to pursue individual study of topics not covered in other available courses. The area for investigation is developed in consultation with a faculty sponsor and credit is dependent on the nature of the work. May be repeated for no more than six credits.
- HP 398 SPECIAL TOPICS IN HEALTH PROMOTION (1-3) [credit depends on topic]** *Prerequisites: A background of work in the discipline or prior consent of instructor.* This course will focus on an aspect of the discipline not otherwise covered by the regularly offered courses. The topic will vary according to professor and term; consequently, more than one may be taken by a student during his/her matriculation.
- HP 415 INTERNSHIP IN HEALTH PROMOTION (1-12)**  
*Prerequisites: HP 420, HP 239, HP 270, HP 271; senior status with a minimum 2.25 QPA; approval of written proposal by internship coordinator prior to registration.* This course offers a professional internship with an appropriate health fitness organization/program. The student and internship coordinator will agree on the location and responsibilities of the intern. The number of credits will depend upon the nature of the project and the number of hours involved in the project. (See "Internships.")
- HP 420 HEALTH PROGRAM PLANNING (3)** *Prerequisites: HP 239, 271, 372.* This course prepares students to plan, develop, implement, and evaluate health education programs for a variety of settings, including community and worksite.