

## Associate of Arts to Bachelor of Health Science in Community Health

The following is presented as an articulation agreement between Harper College (Harper) and Governors State University (GovState) for the Community Health degree program based on the current catalogs for both institutions. The student would receive an Associate in Arts (AA) degree from Harper and a Bachelors of Health Science (BHS) in Community Health degree from GovState.

### I. TRANSFERABLE GENERAL EDUCATION CORE CURRICULUM: (38-39 Hours)

#### Communications (9 hours)

- ENG 101 - Composition I (3)
- ENG 102 - Composition II (3)
- SPE 101 - Fundamentals of Speech Communication (3)

#### Humanities and Fine Arts (9 hours)

- Humanities Course (3)\*
- Fine Arts Course (3)\*
- Humanities or Fine Arts Course (3)\*

#### Mathematics (4 hours)

- MTH 165 - Elementary Statistics (4) (Meets MATH 2100)

#### Physical and Life Sciences (7-9 hours)

- Select one life science course and one physical science course. One course must have a lab.
- Life Science Course (3-4)\*
  - CHM 110 or 121 - Fundamentals of Chemistry or General Chemistry I (4-5)  
(recommended for Pre-Health Professions)

#### Social and Behavioral Sciences (9 hours)

- PSY 101 - Introduction to Psychology (3) (recommended)
- SOC 101 - Introduction to Sociology (3) (recommended for Pre-Health Professions)
- Social and Behavioral Science Course (3)\*

### II. ELECTIVES (19-22 Hours)

- BIO 160 - Human Anatomy (4) (rec for Pre-Health Professions)
- BIO 161 - Human Physiology (4) (rec for Pre-Health Professions)
- HSC 112 - Medical Terminology (2) (rec for Pre-Health Professions)
- HED 203 - Community Health (3) (rec)
- HED 206 - Health and the Public (3) (rec)
- PHY 110 or 121 - Intro to Physics or Physics I (4-5) (rec for Pre-Health Professions)

### REQUIRED A.A. DEGREE PROGRAM TOTAL: 60 Hours

\* Refer to the Harper's AA/AS guidelines for a list of course choices in Sections I-II.

## IV. TO BE TAKEN AT GovState (60 Hours)

### Program Core Curriculum (28 hours)

- HLAD 3099 - Healthcare Organization (3)
- HLAD 3106 - Introduction to Epidemiology (3)
- HLSC 3200 - Foundations of Environmental Health (3)
- HLSC 3300 - Disparities and Cultural Awareness in Health (3)
- HLSC 4100 - Health Promotion (3)
- HLSC 4150 - Health Education Models and Systems (3)
- HLSC 4300 - Health and Wellness Programs (3)
- HLSC 4500 - Research Design in Community Health (3)
- HLSC 4989 - Internship Seminar (1)
- HLSC 4990 - Internship (3)

### Career Track (32 hours)

Choose one of the following concentrations:

*Foundations of Substance Abuse*

*Health Promotion Across the Lifespan*

*Pre-Healthcare Professions\*\**

*\*\*Credit hours required for Pre-Healthcare Professions will vary based on the graduate program the student intends to pursue.*

## Minimum Required for BHS in Community Health: 120 Hours

### For Additional Information:

Governors State University  
Jaguar Transfer Evaluator at  
<https://govst.transfer.degree/>

Visit the College of Health and Human Services at  
[www.govst.edu/chhs](http://www.govst.edu/chhs)

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