Doctor of Philosophy in Human Functioning and Rehabilitation Science degree.

Graduates of baccalaureate-level professional programs are eligible to sit for the appropriate licensure examination and enter practice or go on to other health-related fields. All of the professional programs needing accreditation and/or state approval for licensure eligibility have achieved and maintained such status.

**MAJORS**
- Athletic Training Education B.S.
- Communication Sciences and Disorders B.S.
- Exercise Science B.S.
- Health Sciences B.S.
- Medical Laboratory Science B.S.
- Medical Radiation Sciences B.S.
- Nursing B.S.
- Nursing (for Registered Nurses) B.S.

**MINORS AND CERTIFICATES**
- Communication Sciences and Disorders
- Emergency Medical Services
- Integrative Health Care - Undergraduate Certificate

**REQUIREMENTS**

**DEGREE REQUIREMENTS**

Requirements for admission, retention and graduation are detailed below for each of the undergraduate degree programs. The College of Nursing and Health Sciences reserves the right to require the withdrawal of any student whose academic record, performance, or behavior in the professional programs is judged unsatisfactory. All candidates for admission and continuation must be able to perform the essential clinical, as well as academic, requirements of the CNHS programs. These requirements include: the capacity to observe and communicate; sufficient motor ability to perform physical diagnostic examinations and basic laboratory and clinical procedures; emotional stability to exercise good judgment and to work effectively in stressful situations; and intellectual ability to synthesize data and solve problems. CNHS students must be able to meet these technical standards either with, or without, reasonable accommodations.

Some professional licensing examiners, clinical affiliates and potential employers may require students and graduates to disclose personal health history, substance abuse history, and/or criminal convictions, which may, under certain conditions, impact eligibility for professional examinations, licensing, clinical affiliation, and employment. Some programs have additional clinical requirements such as CPR certification and up-to-date immunizations. Radiation therapy students must demonstrate professionalism, professional development, and competency in the clinical setting.
RESPONSIBILITIES

There are some special elements associated with clinical education. Students are responsible for their own transportation to and from clinical sites and, where relevant, the costs of housing for clinical experiences. Students may need to complete a criminal background check prior to clinical placement. Evidence of a criminal record may prevent students from being eligible for clinical placement and/or professional licensure. All students must carry professional liability insurance during clinical rotations, and will be billed approximately $40 per year for this insurance.

Students engaging in clinical education experiences must comply with required health clearances including testing, immunizations, and titers for certain infectious diseases (costs vary depending on students’ insurance). Applicants to the college’s clinical programs must realize there is always an element of risk through exposure to infectious disease. The university is not responsible for medical costs resulting from injury during clinical rotation, or during any other curricular activity, unless this injury is due to negligence by the university.

DEPARTMENTS AND PROGRAMS

- Biomedical and Health Sciences
- Communication Sciences and Disorders
- Nursing
- Rehabilitation and Movement Science