



Semester 1

Course	Credits	Grade		✓
ENGL 101: Composition & Rhetoric I	3	C*		<input type="checkbox"/>
MATH 104: College Trigonometry	3			<input type="checkbox"/>
BIOL 121/L: Foundations of Biology I w/ Lab	4	C		<input type="checkbox"/>
HS 101: Introduction to Health Sciences	3			<input type="checkbox"/>
PSY 101: General Psychology	3			<input type="checkbox"/>
UNIV 100: CU Foundations	1			<input type="checkbox"/>

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Semester 2



Course	Credits	Grade		✓
ENGL 102: Composition & Rhetoric II	3	C*		<input type="checkbox"/>
HS 201: Emergency Care	1			<input type="checkbox"/>
BIOL 122/L: Foundations of Biology II (with Lab)	4			<input type="checkbox"/>
Math 105: Elementary Statistics	3			<input type="checkbox"/>
HS 304: Principles of Nutrition and Weight Management	3			<input type="checkbox"/>

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Semester 3

Course	Credits	Grade		✓
BIOL 335/L: Human Anatomy & Physiology I (with Lab)	4			<input type="checkbox"/>
CHEM 101/111: Principles of Chemistry I /Lab)	4	C		<input type="checkbox"/>
HS 305: Human Disease & Prevention	2	C		<input type="checkbox"/>
General Education Course	3			<input type="checkbox"/>
English 203: World Literature I	3			<input type="checkbox"/>

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Semester 4

Course	Credits	Grade		✓
BIOL 336/L: Anatomy & Physiology II (with Lab)	4	C		<input type="checkbox"/>
CHEM 102/112: Principles of Chemistry II (with Lab)	4			<input type="checkbox"/>
PSY 229: Health Psychology	3			<input type="checkbox"/>
SOC 101: Introduction to Sociology	3			<input type="checkbox"/>

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The Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences— Pre-Physician Assistant degree

prepares students for entry into a Physician Assistant Program. Specifically this plan will provide all courses required for Concord University's Master in Physician Assistant Studies program fast track admission. The fast track admissions program allows Concord Students to apply to enter the Master of Physician Assistant Studies at Concord early. Speak with your Health Sciences Advisor or Health Sciences Dept Chair for ore information.



MILESTONE COURSES

Courses marked as Milestone Courses are crucial for staying on track to complete your degree in four years. Take them in the recommended semester to stay on track! If you see a recommended minimum grade, this is the grade you need to earn to have the best chance for success in this degree! Grades marked with an asterisk are required to pass.



LANDMARKS

Points where you see a landmark icon on the four-year plan indicate you have reached a point of action outside regular coursework! See the Helpful Hints for information on each landmark.

Helpful Hints

- Semester 1—ACT/SAT scores determine mathematics placement.
- Semesters 2 Landmark—During Semesters 1 & 2, students should identify a professional/graduate school of interest. This choice will help guide the creation of your pre-physician assistant plan of study. By the end of Semester 2, students should meet with their academic advisor to develop this plan of study and four-year plan.

Semester 5



Course	Credits	Grade	✓
CHEM 331/L: Organic Chemistry I (with Lab)	4		<input type="checkbox"/>
HS 301: Public Health Epidemiology	3	C	<input type="checkbox"/>
General Education Course	3-4		<input type="checkbox"/>
Elective/Minor	3-4		<input type="checkbox"/>
HS 401: Research in the Health Sciences I	2		<input type="checkbox"/>

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Semester 6

Course	Credits	Grade	✓
HS 402: Research in Health Sciences II	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
HS 415: Community Health & Health Promotion	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
BIOL 329/L: Microbiology (with Lab)	4		<input type="checkbox"/>
Elective/Minor	3-4		<input type="checkbox"/>
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Semester 7

Course	Credits	Grade	✓
Elective/Minor	3		<input type="checkbox"/>
Elective/Minor	3		<input type="checkbox"/>
Elective/Minor	3		<input type="checkbox"/>
Elective/Minor	3		<input type="checkbox"/>
Elective/Minor	3		<input type="checkbox"/>

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Semester 8

Course	Credits	Grade	✓
Elective/Minor	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
Elective/Minor	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
Elective/Minor	3		<input type="checkbox"/>
Elective/Minor	3		<input type="checkbox"/>
Elective/Minor	3		<input type="checkbox"/>
Elective/Minor	3		<input type="checkbox"/>

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ADVISING

When you choose to pursue this degree, you will be assigned an advisor who is an expert in the field of Health Sciences. This advisor can help you with course selection, career planning, resume building, and help you with tracking your path to degree completion.

STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

Various

COMPLEMENTARY MINORS

Various

Helpful Hints

- Students completing 4-hour Pre-Physician Assistant Plan courses should adjust course distribution accordingly to ensure full-time enrollment and financial aid eligibility for their entire degree.
- Semester 5 Landmark: By the end of this semester, students should have completed 25-50 hours of clinical observation and healthcare or direct patient care experience (contact PA Program for examples).
- Take the admissions exam required (GRE, MCAT, etc.) to begin the admissions process to professional school of choice.

