

# TRANSFER ARTICULATION: HEALTH

The Department of Public Health (<http://catalog.shsu.edu/archives/2023-2024/undergraduate/colleges-academic-departments/health-sciences/public-health/>) at Sam Houston State University would like to invite you to contact us, visit us, if possible, and eventually join the program. The mission of the Department of Public Health (<http://catalog.shsu.edu/archives/2023-2024/undergraduate/colleges-academic-departments/health-sciences/public-health/>) is to enhance the health and improve the quality of life for individuals, families, and communities through the provision of teaching, service, and research in the areas of Public Health, Health Sciences, Health Care Administration, Bilingual Health Care Studies, and Health Promotion.

To meet students' diverse needs and interests, students may choose a Bachelor of Science degree with an emphasis in Public Health, Health Sciences, Health Care Administration, or Bilingual Health Care Studies.

Department of Public Health (<http://catalog.shsu.edu/archives/2023-2024/undergraduate/colleges-academic-departments/health-sciences/population-health/>)

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## Courses Transfer Students Should Take at the Community College:\*

SHSU Course Number	College/TCCN	SHSU Course Title	Semester Credit Hours
HLTH 1366	PHED 1304	Lifestyle and Wellness	3
HLTH 2372		Health & Medical Terminology	3

**\*Note:** Other courses may transfer, depending upon the selected degree or program. Meet with your academic advisor to confirm whether coursework will transfer from another institution. For a complete listing of degree-specific requirements, please, review the degree plan within the Undergraduate Catalog (<http://catalog.shsu.edu/archives/2023-2024/undergraduate/>).

- Bachelor of Arts, Major in Bilingual Health Care Studies; Minor in Language (<http://catalog.shsu.edu/archives/2023-2024/undergraduate/colleges-academic-departments/health-sciences/population-health/ba-bilingual-health-care-studies/>) and Culture, or a Minor in Spanish Interpretation and Translation for Health Professions.
- Bachelor of Science, Major in Health Care Administration (<http://catalog.shsu.edu/archives/2023-2024/undergraduate/colleges-academic-departments/health-sciences/population-health/bs-health-health-care-administration/>)
- Bachelor of Science, Major in Health Sciences (<http://catalog.shsu.edu/archives/2023-2024/undergraduate/colleges-academic-departments/health-sciences/population-health/bs-health-sciences/>)
- Bachelor of Science, Major in Public Health (<http://catalog.shsu.edu/archives/2023-2024/undergraduate/colleges-academic-departments/health-sciences/population-health/bs-public-health/>)
- Minor in Health (<http://catalog.shsu.edu/archives/2023-2024/undergraduate/colleges-academic-departments/health-sciences/population-health/minor-health/>)

## Field of Study

Sam Houston State University supports the State of Texas Fields of Study (<https://www.highered.texas.gov/our-work/supporting-our-institutions/program-development/texas-transfer-framework/>).

The Core Curriculum (<http://catalog.shsu.edu/archives/2023-2024/undergraduate/academic-policies-procedures/degree-requirements-academic-guidelines/core-curriculum/>) at Sam Houston State University (to be used by all incoming students as of fall 2014) contains 42 semester credit hours, encompassing nine component areas. Each component area has a minimum credit hour requirement and a selection of specific courses that may be used to satisfy the requirement. The Core Curriculum (<http://catalog.shsu.edu/archives/2023-2024/undergraduate/academic-policies-procedures/degree-requirements-academic-guidelines/core-curriculum/>) details Sam Houston State University courses and their Texas Common Course Number (TCCN) equivalents for college transfer students which comprise SHSU's core curriculum.

Many SHSU disciplines including the sciences, business, and education require specific courses from the SHSU core as degree specific graduation requirements. To minimize cost and time to complete degree requirements always select SHSU/transfer core courses specified as degree requirements in your intended major. If you have not decided on a major, select core courses supporting your intended area of academic concentration.

Prior to enrolling in core classes, students are encouraged to review specific degree requirements for their major. Selection of major-specified core courses reduces the total number of hours required for graduation.

If you do not see a Texas Common Course Number (TCCN) mapping a specific core course to your transfer institution, please go to Transfer Course Equivalency Guide (<https://ww2.shsu.edu/regr27wp/>) and select your institution from the drop-down menu. The result will list all currently mapped transfer courses from your institution to SHSU courses.