Human Health Sciences (HHS) is a unique undergraduate interprofessional health care degree program offered by the University of Kentucky College of Health Sciences. Graduates from the HHS degree program will have a comprehensive knowledge of health practices and a sound background in the basic sciences for a successful career in health care.

The HHS program prepares you for an engaging and dynamic career in health care. The program offers you an innovative interdisciplinary education with a broad exposure to health care practice, policy and management with HHS faculty who bring expertise from the various health colleges.

The Human Health Sciences Program focuses on developing your knowledge and skills to include, but not be limited to:

- Strong foundation in the basic sciences
- Ethical behavior in delivery of all health care activities and services
- Effective participation within interprofessional health care teams
- Providing culturally-sensitive health care services
- Effective oral and written communication and use of technology
- Attention to patient safety and health care quality
- Leadership and advocacy for improved health care

What can I pursue as an HHS graduate?

1. Advanced degree programs, specifically dentistry, medicine, pharmacy, physician assistant studies, or physical therapy
2. Pursue health careers in mid-level management, medical or pharmaceutical sales, medical research, or health advocacy and navigation
3. Graduate programs in public health, biological/biomedical sciences, nutrition
Admission

Admissions for HHS are holistic. This means that you are considered based not only on your high school academic rigor and achievement, but also your leadership and community contributions, health care passion and involvement, cultural understanding and experiences, and essay.

Admissions to the HHS program will occur on a rolling basis (applications are reviewed as they are received). Seats for each incoming cohort are limited.

Applications received by December 1 of each year will be given priority. After you submit your application, it will be reviewed and you may be invited for an interview. Once students interview, they may be invited to join the program.

Have more questions?

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