

Associate in Science in Science for Health Professions ^{NOTE 1}
at Delaware County Community College
to Bachelor of Science in Health Information Management
at Temple University College of Public Health
(Effective Spring 2022)

DCCC Recommended Course			Temple Equivalent	
First Semester		Credits	First Semester	
ENG 100	English Composition I	3	ENG 0802	Analytic Reading & Writing
BIO 110 OR BIO 150	General Biology I OR Recommended: BIO 150: Human Anatomy and Physiology I ^{NOTE 2}	4	BIOL 1112 OR KINS 1223	Introduction to Biomolecules, Cells and Genomes OR Human Anatomy & Physiology I
MAT 121 OR MAT 128 OR MAT 151 OR MAT 152 OR MAT 160	Introduction to Probability and Statistics OR Algebra OR College Algebra OR Precalculus OR Calculus I	3-4	MATH L*** OR MATH 0702 OR MATH L*** OR MATH L*** OR MATH 1041	Lower Level Elective -MATH OR Intermediate Algebra OR Lower Level Elective -MATH OR Lower Level Elective -MATH OR Calculus I
CHE 101 OR CHE 110	Introduction to General Chemistry I OR General Chemistry I	4	CHEM 1021/ CHEM1023 OR CHEM 1031/ CHEM 1033	Introduction to Chemistry & Introduction to Chemistry Laboratory I OR General Chemistry I & General Chemistry Laboratory I
Semester Total:		14-15		
Second Semester			Second Semester	
ENG 112	English Composition II: Writing About Literature	3	ENG 2001	Interpreting Literature
	Laboratory Science Required Elective: Recommended: BIO 151: Human Anatomy & Physiology II ^{NOTE 2}	4	KINS 1224	Human Anatomy & Physiology II
	Mathematics Required Elective: Recommended: MAT 210: Statistics ^{NOTE 3}	3-4	MATH 1013	Elements of Statistics
	Any transferable Diversity and Social Justice AND Global Understanding designated Social Science or Humanities course	3		Dependent upon course selection ^{NOTE 8}
COMM 100 OR COMM 111	Interpersonal Communication OR Public Speaking	3	CSCD T*** OR CSI 1111	Elective- CSCD OR Public Speaking
Semester Total:		16-17		
Third Semester			Third Semester	
	Mathematics/Science Required Elective	3-5		Dependent upon course selection ^{NOTE 8}
	Laboratory Science Required Elective	4-5		Dependent upon course selection ^{NOTE 8}
	Social Science Elective	3		Dependent upon course selection ^{NOTE 8}
	Humanities Elective	3		Dependent upon course selection ^{NOTE 8}
DPR 100 OR DPR 101	Recommended: DPR 100: Introduction to Information Technology ^{NOTE 4} OR Introduction to Computer Science	3	SCTC L*** OR CIS L***	Lower Level Elective-SCTC OR Lower Level Elective- CSI
Semester Total:		16-19		
Fourth Semester			Fourth Semester	
	Mathematics/Science Required Elective	3-5		Dependent upon course selection ^{NOTE 8}
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	Social Science Elective	3		Dependent upon course selection ^{NOTE 8}
	Open Elective: Recommended: AHM 233: Medical Terminology ^{NOTE 5}	3	HIM 1101	Medical Terminology

	Open Elective: Recommended: AHM 102: Introduction to Health Care <small>NOTE 6, 7</small>	3	HIM 2203	U.S. Health Care Systems
	Semester Total:	15-19		
	Total:	61-70		

Notes:

1. Students who complete the A.S. in Science for Health Professions are included in the DCCC-Temple GenEd-to-GenEd Transfer Agreement and therefore have satisfied all of the GenEd requirements at Temple. Students should work with a DCCC transfer advisor to select approved courses to fulfill the DCCC degree requirements. Students who completed the program prior to Fall 2011, must get certified by DCCC's Transfer Office.
2. It is strongly recommended students select DCCC's BIO 150: Human Anatomy and Physiology I and BIO 151: Human Anatomy and Physiology II as Laboratory Science Electives as these courses will fulfill major requirements KINS 1223: Human Anatomy and Physiology I and KINS 1224: Human Anatomy and Physiology II at Temple. Students transferring without BIO 150 and BIO 151 may need additional time to degree completion.
3. It is strongly recommended students select DCCC's MAT 210: Statistics. MAT 210 transfers to Temple as MATH 1013: Elements of Statistics and will satisfy a major requirement at Temple. Students transferring without MAT 210 may need additional time to degree completion.
4. It is strongly recommended student select DPR 100: Introduction to Information Technology. Temple's Health Information Management Department will accept DCCC's DPR 100: Introduction to Information Technology, as fulfilling the HIM 1055: IT Applications for Health requirement for the B.S. in HIM degree through a DARS exception. A grade of C or higher is needed in DCCC's DPR 100. Students transferring without DPR 100 may need additional time to degree completion.
5. It is strongly recommended students select AHM 233: Medical Terminology. AHM 233: Medical Terminology transfers to Temple as HIM 1101: Medical Terminology and satisfies a major requirement. Students transferring without AHM 233 will need additional semesters at Temple to complete the degree.
6. It is strongly recommended students select AHM 102: Introduction to Health Care. AHM 102: Introduction to Health Care transfers to Temple as HIM 2203: U.S. Health Care Systems and satisfies the requirements for HPM 2214: Politics and Payment in the US Healthcare System through a DARS exception. Students transferring without AHM 102 may need additional time to degree completion.
7. Students completing AHM 102: Introduction to Health Care must request approval for a course substitution from the STEM Dean at DCCC to ensure that completion of this course satisfies graduation requirements at DCCC.
8. Students are encouraged to consult Temple's Transfer Equivalency Tool to see how selected coursework might transfer:
<http://admissions.temple.edu/transfer-equivalency-tool>

If the suggested classes are successfully completed and an Associate in Science in Science for Health Professions is awarded from DCCC, the remaining two years in the **BS Health Information Management Program** follows: ^{Note a}

Remaining requirements at Temple University		
Fifth Semester		Credits
HIM 2215	Health Information Management IT Fundamentals	3
HIM 3101	Health Record Documentation	3
HIM 3106	Pathophysiology	3
HIM 3107	HIM Leadership and Strategic Management	3
HIM 3111	Statistics and Research in Healthcare	3
HRPR 1001	Public Health: The Way We Live, Work and Play	3
		Semester Total:
		18
Sixth Semester		
HIM 3113	Healthcare Database Design and Development	3
HIM 3203	Electronic Health Record Systems	3
HIM 3208	International Classification of Disease	3
HIM 3216	Clinical Procedures and Pharmacology	3
HIM 3271	Professional Development	1
HIM 3297	Health Information Management Human Resource Management [WI]	3
		Semester Total:
		16
Seventh Semester		
HIM 4101	Health Informatics: Infrastructure and Standards	3
HIM 4102	Legal Aspects of Health Information Management	3
HIM 4105	Current Procedural Terminology Coding	3
HIM 4113	Healthcare Reimbursement Systems	3
HIM 4121	Healthcare Data Analytics	3
HIM 4207	Healthcare Quality Improvement	3
		Semester Total:
		18
Eighth Semester		
HIM 4202	Health Information Management Project Management	3
HIM 4104	Health Information Management Operations Management	3
HIM 4206	Intermediate Coding	3
HIM 4286	Management Internship	4
HIM 4298	Health Information Management Senior Seminar (WI)	3
		Semester Total:
		16
<i>Credits transferred from the A.S. in Science for Health Professions at Delaware County Community College:</i> ^{Note a}		61-70
<i>Remaining credits to complete the B.S. in Health Information Management at Temple University:</i>		68
Total Credits Completed to Satisfy the Requirements for the B.S. in Health Information Management: ^{Note b}		129-138

Notes: Students following this plan are under the GenEd-to-GenEd General Education Program

- a) The Bachelor of Science in Health Information Management is **Fall Start Only**. While the intent of this agreement is that students who complete the A.S. in Science for Health Professions at DCCC will be able to start the B.S. in Health Information Management HIM professional courses in their first fall semester, students must have all prerequisites completed before beginning these courses. Students who transfer to Temple in a fall semester and who have not completed all prerequisite courses at DCCC will not be able to start the HIM professional courses until the next Fall term, which will delay time to degree completion. Additionally, students who transfer to Temple in a spring semester will not be able to start the HIM professional courses until the Fall which will delay time to degree completion.
- b) To earn a Bachelor of Science in Health Information Management, a student must complete a minimum of 123 credits.
- c) All inquiries about the undergraduate program and application are handled through the Office of Undergraduate Admissions. If you have specific questions about your application or the admission process, please call 215-204-7200.
- d) Inquiries specific to the Temple Bachelor of Science in Health Information Management program or specific course requirements can be directed to Karen McBride at 215-204-5803, kmcbride@temple.edu, or www.temple.edu/him.
- e) Temple University requires that all undergraduate degree candidates complete [45 hours of the last 60 hours of the degree or program](#) as matriculated students at Temple University. If a matriculated student previously took Temple courses on a non-matriculated basis, those courses are counted towards this requirement.
- f) Per Temple's Transfer Policy for [Permission to Complete a Course at Another Institution after Matriculation](#), students who transfer 60 credits or more cannot receive permissions to transfer additional course work.