

PRE-PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT OPTION

This option is offered within the following major(s):

- BioHealth Sciences - College of Science (<http://catalog.oregonstate.edu/college-departments/science/school-life-sciences/microbiology/biohealth-sciences-bs-hbs/>)

The BioHealth Sciences major with the Pre-Physician Assistant option is designed to meet most or all of the requirements for admission to PA programs across the U.S. Satisfactory completion of the pre-PA option facilitates, but does not guarantee, admission to a PA program. Admission to physician assistant school is very competitive and student selection is based on grades, GRE scores, clinical experiences and more. Students are urged to carefully check admission requirements at their schools of interest and work closely with admission representatives in order to make sure they are meeting all requirements.

Students may not study the Pre-Physician Assistant option alongside any other option offered with the BioHealth Sciences major (Pre-Medicine/Pre-Podiatry, Pre-Pharmacy, Pre-Clinical Laboratory Science, Pre-Dentistry, Pre-Optometry, Pre-Physical Therapy).

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Courses may be used to meet requirements for the BHS core and/or bacc core. For the Pre-Physician Assistant option, ST 201 meets the BHS core requirement for a statistics course. H 312, if chosen, will meet the bacc core requirement for a synthesis class in the Contemporary Global Issues category.

Code	Title	Credits
BI 331 & BI 332 & BI 333	ADVANCED HUMAN ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY and ADVANCED HUMAN ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY and ADVANCED HUMAN ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY	9
BI 341 & BI 342 & BI 343	ADVANCED HUMAN ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY LABORATORY and ADVANCED HUMAN ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY LABORATORY and ADVANCED HUMAN ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY LABORATORY	6
H 312 or H 320	*HIV/AIDS AND STIS IN MODERN SOCIETY INTRODUCTION TO HUMAN DISEASE	3
PSY 350 or PSY 381	HUMAN LIFESPAN DEVELOPMENT ABNORMAL PSYCHOLOGY	4
ST 201	PRINCIPLES OF STATISTICS	4
ST 202	PRINCIPLES OF STATISTICS	4
Total Credits		30

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Baccalaureate Core Course (BCC)

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