

## Cuyahoga Community College – Ohio University Plan

### Bachelor of Science in Integrated Healthcare Studies Pathway

The Integrated Healthcare Studies (BS IHS) degree is designed as a completion degree for individuals who have completed at least 60 semester hours in an allied health-related discipline; or for those students who have started an undergraduate health related program and have decided a more general health degree better suits their educational goals. The BS IHS program provides students a pathway to continue their education, increase career possibilities, and creates a pathway to graduate education. The Integrated Healthcare Studies program responds to the need of an increasingly complex state of the American healthcare system by providing opportunities for students to acquire vital knowledge and skills that will be critical in practicing and navigating the healthcare system. Not only is the healthcare system becoming more complex; healthcare professions, and healthcare support, are among the fastest growing occupations with the increased expectation that higher levels of education will be required.

#### Online Convenience. Ohio University Quality.

- Review study materials and submit assignments online.
- Learn from distinguished professors with clinical experience.
- Progress through the degree in consultation with an Ohio University academic advisor.
- Flexibility to choose classes for your specific needs and most IHS courses are held in 7 week increments.

### Admission Requirements

- Any associate degree or 60 semester (90 total quarter) hours from regionally accredited school
- Students must have completed at least one course in each of the following areas: 1) mathematics, logic, statistics, or quantitative reasoning 2) English composition 3) biological or natural sciences and 4) psychology, sociology, social work, or social sciences.
- Students must have completed at least 9 semester hours in additional courses with a health or medical focus such as: First Aid and CPR/AED, Medical Terminology, and courses with the Ohio University prefixes BIOS (Biological Sciences), HTCH (Health Technology), MAT (Medical Assisting Technology), HST (Human Services Technology) or HLTH (Health). Others will be considered.
- A minimum combined GPA of 2.0 from all prior college-level coursework.
- All official transcripts submitted to Ohio University at the time of application.

#### Financial Aid Information

Once a student has earned an Associate Degree, additional courses taken at Tri-C may not be eligible for Tri-C financial aid. In order to receive financial aid for the online bachelor's degree completion program with dual enrollment at Tri-C and Ohio University, you must complete the consortium agreement policy and form, and follow the instructions for submission. The current policy and form, as well as deadlines for submitting the documents, are available on OHIO's [Office of Student Financial Aid and Scholarships website](#).

#### Application Information

Apply [online](#) (non-refundable application fee due at application)

#### Submit all college-level transcripts to:

Undergraduate Admissions  
Ohio University  
Chubb Hall 120  
1 Ohio University Drive  
Athens, OH 45701

### Ohio University Contact Information

Undergraduate Admissions 740.593.4100

E-mail general questions to [transfer@ohio.edu](mailto:transfer@ohio.edu)

For more information on the partnership with Cuyahoga Community College, visit [www.ohio.edu/Tri-C](http://www.ohio.edu/Tri-C)



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## Degree Requirements

To qualify for the Bachelors of Science in Integrated Healthcare Studies degree, a student must have completed all Ohio University graduation requirements: general education, College, major, and residency. Students must complete minimum of 30 semester credit hours of Ohio University credit and a minimum of 50% of the major course requirements at Ohio University.

### Ohio University BRICKS General Education Requirements

BRICKS is Ohio University's general education program, and requirements must be fulfilled by all baccalaureate degree students. BRICKS includes a minimum of 38 credit hours across five categories: Foundations, Pillars, Arches, Bridges, and Capstone. Courses used to satisfy BRICKS requirements may be completed through Cuyahoga Community College or OHIO Online. The table below lists Cuyahoga Community College courses that have direct course equivalencies at Ohio University which meet BRICKS requirements. General education courses that may also satisfy program requirements are inside brackets. HIST courses marked with an asterisk (\*) will automatically equate to fill Pillars Humanities Texts and Contexts, but may alternately equate to fill Pillars Social and Behavioral Sciences. Work with your academic advisor to make adjustments.

OHIO BRICKS Requirement	Tri-C Course Numbers
<b>FOUNDATIONS</b> - Take one course from each listed category	
Written Communication	ENG 1010, ENG 101H
Advanced Writing	BADM 2010; BADM 201H, ENG 1020, ENG 102H, ENG 2151
Quantitative Reasoning	MATH 1190, MATH 1370, MATH 1410, MATH 1480, MATH 1490, MATH 1530, MATH 153H, MATH 1540, MATH 154H, MATH 1580, MATH 1620, MATH 162H; PHIL 1020
Intercultural Explorations	ANTH 1010; ENG 2730; [GEOG 1010]; HIST 1010*, HIST 101H*, HIST 1020*, HIST 102H*; THEA 2210, THEA 2220
<b>PILLARS</b> - Take one course from each listed category (minimum 3 credits each)	
Humanities: Texts and Contexts	ENG 2310, ENG 2320, ENG 2350, ENG 2360, ENG 2510, ENG 2520, ENG 2730; HIST 1010*, HIST 101H*, HIST 1020*, HIST 102H*; PHIL 1010, PHIL 101H, PHIL 2020, PHIL 202H, PHIL 2031
Humanities: Arts	ART 1010, ART 2020, ART 202H, ART 2030, ART 203H; MUS 1010, MUS 1030; THEA 2210, THEA 2220
Natural Sciences	BIO 1040 and BIO 104L, [BIO 1050], BIO 1500, BIO 150H, BIO 1510, [BIO 2060], BIO 2331, [BIO 2500]; CHEM 1010, CHEM 101H, CHEM 1020, CHEM 102H, CHEM 1300 or CHEM 130H and CHEM 130L, ESCI 1030 and ESCI103L, ESCI 1050, ESCI 1310 and ESCI 131L, ESCI 1410 or ESCI 141H and ESCI 141L; PHYS 1210, PHYS 2310
Social or Behavioral Sciences	ECON 2000, ECON 2010; GEOG 1000; HIST 1010*, HIST 101H*, HIST 1020*, HIST 102H*, HIST 1510, HIST 151H, HIST 1520, HIST 152H; POL 1010, POL 101H, POL 2030, POL 2070; [PSY 1010], [PSY 101H]; SOC 1010, SOC 101H, SOC 2010, SOC 201H; WST 1510
<b>ARCHES</b> - Take one course from each listed category (minimum 3 credits each)	
Constructed World	MATH 1380, MATH 1610, MATH 161H; PHIL 2010; PSY 2150; REL 1010; THEA 1010
Natural World	ANTH 1210; BIO 1060, BIO 1060, BIO 2341; CHEM 1310 or CHEM 131H and CHEM 131L; PHYS 1220, PHYS 2320
Connected World	ANTH 1010, ANTH 2110; CJ 1000; ECED 1010; GEOG 1010, GEOG 2030; PSCI 1010; [PSY 2010], [PSY 2040], PSY 2050, [PSY 2080]; SOC 2010, SOC 201H SOC 2020
<b>BRIDGES</b> - Take one course from each listed category (minimum 1 credit each)	
Speaking and Listening	COMM 1010, COMM 101H
Ethics and Reasoning	COMM 1010, COMM 101H
Diversity and Practice	COMM 1010, COMM 101H; PSY 2100; SOC 2550
Learning and Doing	ACCT 2830; [HLTH 1100]; PE 1400; [RESP 2960]; [SOC 2051], SOC 2410; THEA 1540, THEA 1550
<b>CAPSTONE</b> - Minimum 2 credits (no current equivalencies)	



### BRICKS and the Ohio Transfer 36

Students who complete the minimum requirements of the Ohio Transfer 36 (OT36, formerly the Ohio Transfer Module) at another college or university prior to enrollment in a degree-seeking program at Ohio University will receive transfer credit equivalent to fulfilling Ohio University's BRICKS general education requirements in Foundations (excluding the Advanced Writing component, which requires completion of TME 002 Second Writing), Pillars, and Arches. If you have not completed the OT36, your courses will be evaluated on a course-by-course basis and will apply toward general education requirements as appropriate.

## Integrated Healthcare Major Courses

Choose no more than 3 total courses at Cuyahoga Community College

### Foundational Courses

Complete all four courses with a minimum combined 2.0 GPA.

Courses completed through Cuyahoga Community College or OHIO Online.

OHIO Course Name	OHIO Course Number	Tri-C Course Number
Introduction to Public Health	HLTH 2000	
Survey of Human Disease	IHS 3020	
Overview of Healthcare Advocacy	IHS 3240	
Research and Evidence-based Practice in Healthcare	IHS 3520	

### Healthcare Professions and Services Courses

Complete two courses.

Courses completed through Cuyahoga Community College or OHIO Online.

OHIO Course Name	OHIO Course Number	Tri-C Course Number
Introduction to Communication Disorders	CSD 1080	COMM 2150
Foundations of Health Education	HLTH 2030	
Health System Organization, Financing, and Delivery	HLTH 2170	HIM 2410
Clinical Judgement I	NRSE 1111	
Introduction to Nutrition	NUTR 1000	DIET 1200 or DIET 2301
Introduction to Social Work and Social Welfare	SW 1000	SOC 2040

### Professional Skills Development Courses

Complete one course in each area.

Courses completed through Cuyahoga Community College or OHIO Online.

General education courses that may also satisfy program requirements are inside brackets.

OHIO Course Name	OHIO Course Number	Tri-C Course Number
Interprofessional Education and Practice in Healthcare (complete one of the following):	CFS 4070, IHS 2112, [IHS 2220], IHS 2820, IHS 3250, [IHS 4430], IHS 4510, IHS 4518	
Leadership and Critical Thinking (complete one of the following):	[EH 4710], [IHS 2215], IHS 4200, IHS 4303, [IHS 4447], HLTH 3350, [HLTH 4445], [T3 4725]	
Communication (complete one of the following):	[HLTH 3400J], [IHS 3700J], [NRSE 3700J]	
Additional Communication Requirement (complete one of the following):	[COMS 1030], COMS 2040, COMS 2050, COMS 2060, COMS 3060, COMS 3400, COMS 3410, COMS 4110, CSD 1110, CSD 1120, EH 4000, HLTH 2300, NRSE 3520	ASL 1010, ASL 1020, COMM 1000, [COMM 1010] or [COMM 101H], COMM 1210, MA 1010 or MA 1020



### Healthcare Perspectives Courses

Courses completed through Cuyahoga Community College or OHIO Online

OHIO Course Name	OHIO Course Number	Tri-C Course Number
Sociocultural (complete a minimum of four courses from the following):	[AAS 4693], CFS 2710, CFS 3800, CFS 4640, CFS 4670, CFS 4760, [COMS 1100], [COMS 1100C], [CSD 2140], CSD 3000, HLTH 2020, [HLTH 2020C], HLTH 2040, HLTH 2050, HLTH 2100, HLTH 2901, [HLTH 2230], [IHS 3230], IHS 3403, [IHS 3600], IHS 4245, [IHS 4246], IHS 4350, IHS 4400, IHS 4404, [IHS 4514], NRSE 3141, NUTR 4320, NUTR 4932, NUTR 4960, [SW 2601C], SW 3263, SW 3273, SW 3293, T3 4300	[HLTH 1100], PSY 2020, PSY 202H, [SOC 2051]
Global (complete a minimum of two courses from the following):	[BIOS 2250], BIOS 4440, [GEOG 1310], HLTH 2150, HLTH 4120, [IHS 2190], [IHS 2210], IHS 2235, [IHS 2290], [IHS 3010], IHS 3222, INST 2700, NRSE 2420	[BIO 2060], [GEOG 1010]

### Additional Requirements

Courses completed through Cuyahoga Community College or OHIO Online

OHIO Course Name	OHIO Course Number	Tri-C Course Number
Electives (Complete at least 4 courses)  Elective coursework provides students with opportunities to explore areas of interest, complete general education requirements, or earn credits toward a certificate or minor.	Work with Academic Advisor for appropriate course selection: [BIOS 1030], [BIOS 2210], EH 3200, EXPH 2280, EXPH 2290, HTCH 2000, HLTH 3400, HST 2980, IHS 3521, [IHS 3934], [PSY 1010], [PSY 1110], [PSY 2210], [PSY 2410], [PSY 2510], [PSY 2710], PSY 3250, [PSY 4720]	[BIO 1050], [BIO 2500], [RESP 2960], [PSY 1010] or [PSY 101H], [PSY 2010], [PSY 2040], [PSY 2080]
Capstone (BRICKS Capstone courses may also satisfy program requirements)	AAS 4693, EH 4710, IHS 4430, IHS 4447, PSY 4720, T3 4725	

### Disclaimer:

The information on this guide is based on the catalog requirements posted in the 2023-2024 Ohio University catalog and related Cuyahoga Community College equivalents as of the Last Updated date. All information is subject to change without notice. Students must complete a minimum of 120 total semester hours, are responsible for tracking their degree completion on their DARS, and are encouraged to work with an Ohio University academic advisor in their degree planning. Courses are subject to availability at each institution. It is suggested that students meet with an advisor to discuss course selection based on offered options.

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