

Meta-Major: Health Sciences and Health Careers

Associated Programs: Exercise Science, Fire Technology, Health Information Management, Health Science, Medical Assistant, Nursing, Occupational Therapy Assistant, Paramedic Technology, Radiologic Tech., Respiratory Care

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Divisions

Nursing and Allied Health
636-584-6616

Associated Programs

- Fire Technology
- Health Science
- Occupational Therapy Assistant
- Paramedic Technology
- Radiologic Technology
- Respiratory Care

Science

636-584-6626

Associated Programs

- Health Information Management
- Medical Assistant

Business, Education, Social Science and Technology

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Associated Programs

- Exercise Science

Accreditation

East Central College is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools
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OVERVIEW

EAST CENTRAL COLLEGE offers many different programs of study within the area of health sciences and health careers. Overall, this meta-major offers coursework providing a good foundation for health studies and encourages critical thinking while promoting interdisciplinary collaboration. Students will explore a full range of opportunities within health-related fields, offering them a chance to learn more about academic requirements for each program and professional requirements of associated career options in order to choose the degree path most appropriate to their interests.

Though students should be aware that admission to some programs within the **ECC Health Sciences and Health Careers Meta-Major** requires a rigorous and competitive applications process, others are open to all students and can lead to excellent future academic and career options of their own. Certificates, two-year transfer degrees, applied science degrees and pre-licensure programs are all options within this large, diverse field of study.

SUGGESTED FIRST SEMESTER SCHEDULE

The health programs and suggested schedule below are intended for full-time students; however, part-time study is also available. After the first semester, students will take courses aligned with their preferred program of study. See individual fact sheets for more information.

COURSE		HOURS
FS 1000	Campus Orientation	0
FS 1001	Foundation Seminar	1
EN 1223	English Comp I* or	
EN 1233	English Comp I (Honors)*	3
	Mathematics Requirement*	3
SC 1000	Laboratory Safety for Students	0
	Science Requirement*	4-5
	Program Requirement (if applicable)**	3
TOTAL HOURS		14-15

* Curriculum listed above may be subject to change based on placement results.

** Program-specific courses vary per degree and certificate; refer to individual program fact sheets for more details.