# Transfer Guide for the Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences (BSHS)

**120 Credits in Semester Hours Required**

**20 Credits in Clinical Coursework Required for Admittance to Program**

**Policy Date: 03/01/2008**

## BSHS Requirements

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<th><strong>ARTS &amp; SCIENCES (60 Credits)</strong></th>
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<td>(W)Written English Requirement (3 credits)</td>
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<td>Ethics Requirement (3 credits)</td>
<td>PHIL 135</td>
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**Humanities (6 credits)**

- ART 100, 101, 124, 160, 224, 260, 261; ASL 145-150B; BUS 287B; CH 201, 202; COM 113, 215; DAN 101; ENGL 190, 200, 223, 231, 232, 250, 261, 266, 267, 271, 275; HUM 101; JOUR 101, 201; MUS 111, 121, 123, 124, 221; PHIL (except PHIL 135); THEA 100, 105, 180; all foreign language coursework

**Social Sciences (6 credits)**

- ANTH 101, 201, 202, 210; BUS 110B; CPD 117; CH 203; CRJ 101, 102, 230, 270; ECO 100, 102, 103; GEOG 106; HDFS 201, 202; HIST 101, 102, 105, 106, 111, 207, 217, 247, 295; MGT 212; PSC 103, 105, 108, 208, 231, 295; PSY (except PSY 210); SOC (except SOC 210)

**Statistics (3 credits)**

- STAT 152

**Natural Sciences/Math (6 credits)**

- AST 102/110L 109, 110, 120; BIOL (all); CHEM (all); ENV 100; GEOG 103, 104; GEOL (all); MTH 120 or higher; PHYS (all)

**Arts & Sciences Electives (33 credits)**

- Any transferable course classified as humanities, social sciences or natural sciences/math

## Health Science Component (59 credits)

**Health Science Transfer Credit**

*Up to 32 credits accepted in transfer (20 credits minimum required)*

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<th><strong>WNC Coursework</strong></th>
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<td><strong>Eligible Programs:</strong> AAS Health Information Technology, AAS Nursing, or a minimum of 20 credits in WNC degree-applicable clinical health sciences coursework</td>
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## ExCELSIOR College Coursework

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<th><strong>Information Literacy (1 credit)</strong></th>
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<td><strong>INL*102 Information Literacy</strong></td>
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## Health Sciences Core (15 Credits)

- HSC*320 Health Care Issues in Cult. Diverse Pops
- HSC*431 Intro to Health Care Delivery Systems
- HSC*310 Wtg & Comm in the Health Science Prof
- HSC*365 Research for Evidence-Based Practice
- HSC*445 Introduction to Health Care Informatics

## Health Sciences Concentration (9 credits)

Choose one concentration area. Students enrolling with less than 32 health transfer credits can make up needed credit with additional coursework offered in another concentration area.

**Gerontology**
- HSC*416 Intro to Gerontology: Phys, Psych, & Social Asp of Aging
- HSC*426 Gerontology: Social Policy & Aging
- HSC*436 Gerontology: Provision of Services to an Older Adult Pop

**Management**
- HSC*414 Budget and Finance in Health Care Orgs
- HSC*418 Mgmt of HR in Health Care Orgs
- HSC*440 Leadership and Mgmt in Health Care Seminar

**End of Life Care**
- HSC*406 Principles & Concepts in End of Life Care
- HSC*408 Death, Dying and Bereavement
- HSC*410 Symptom Mgmt in End of Life Care or
- HSC*420 Spirituality in Life Transitions

**Health Education**
- HSC*413 Principles of Teaching and Learning
- HSC*424 Health Care Education: Methods & Strategies
- HSC*434 Health Literacy Issues and Solutions

## Health Sciences Capstone (3 credits)

- HSC*464 Health Sciences Capstone

**TOTAL TRANSFERABLE CREDITS = 92**

**EXCELSIOR COLLEGE CREDITS = 28**

**TOTAL DEGREE CREDITS = 120**

**Note:** Excelsior College puts no limit on the number of credits a student can transfer as long as that of credit meets degree requirements and comes from a recognized source. Therefore, any credit completed in addition to those pursued with SAC will be considered for transfer as long as it meets degree requirements [www.excelsior.edu/waystoearncredit](http://www.excelsior.edu/waystoearncredit)

The first step in becoming an Excelsior College student is to apply by submitting an Undergraduate Application, which requires the inclusion of all official transcripts of prior college credits. Once an application is reviewed, an evaluation summary outlining what is still needed to complete this degree will be provided to the student. Upon receiving the results of this report, a student may enroll at any time. To apply to Excelsior College please visit [http://ccpartnerships.excelsior.edu](http://ccpartnerships.excelsior.edu)
Information about Excelsior College and its degree programs, including transfer options and currently available courses and examinations can be accessed on our website www.excelsior.edu

As part of the Excelsior/WNC partnership program, students are required to take a minimum of 12 credits in Excelsior College coursework.