

**Rowan College of South Jersey
Academic Certificate in
Health Science
Transfer Program Requirements
Suggested Four Semester Sequence of Courses**

The Academic Certificate program in Health Science is designed for individuals who completed, or are on track to complete, a post-secondary accreditation or state licenses health education program. This program provides a career and degree pathway for those individuals who are certified or are in the process of earning a certification in a health profession. Individuals who are, or are in training, as pharmacy technicians, dental assistants, emergency medical technicians, LPNs, phlebotomists, medical assistants, radiographers, etc., and military trained health practitioners may consider this program. This program allows for the granting of four college credits for a current Home Health Aide (HHA), Certified Nurse's Aide (CNA) or other Healthcare credential with a positive employer review. Students who have completed this Health Science Academic Certificate will receive an additional point toward the selective nursing admission criteria. Students who have completed the program will be able to:

- Analyze and interpret scientific data.
- Write and verbally communicate scientific principles and concepts using technology and terminology appropriate to the discipline of study.
- Locate, critically evaluate and make informed conclusions about scientific literature

First Year

Fall Semester

		Credits
___BI 101 OR	General Biology I OR	
___CH 101	General Chemistry I	4
___EN 101	English Composition I	3
___PY 101	General Psychology	3
___HS 115	Basic Nutrition	3
___SO 201	Intro to Sociology	3
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Spring Semester

___BI 106	Anatomy & Physiology I	4
___HS 101	Elements of Healthcare Careers	3
___PY 207	Human Growth & Development	3
___	Healthcare Credential Evaluation*	4
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Total Minimum Credits: 30/31

*If less than 4 credits are awarded for the healthcare credential evaluation, take HS 140 or HS 103 to meet the 4 credit minimum.

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Required Core and Elective Courses

<u>Communications</u>		<u>Credits</u>
EN 101	English Composition I	3
<u>Science</u>		
BI 101 OR	General Biology I OR	
CH 101	General Chemistry I	4
BI 106	Anatomy & Physiology I	4
<u>Social Science</u>		
PY 101	General Psychology	3
PY 207	Human Growth & Development	3
SO 201	Intro to Sociology	3
<u>Program Courses</u>		
HS 101	Elements of Healthcare Careers	3
HS 115	Basic Nutrition	3
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