

# PUBLIC HEALTH– ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE DEGREE FOR TRANSFER TO CSU

Top Code:

1201.00

The Associate in Science in Public Health for Transfer Degree focuses on disease and injury prevention strategies for community and individual wellness. The Public Health AS-T is designed to provide students a clear transfer pathway to the CSU within the health science field major and the completion of baccalaureate degree, with guaranteed admission to a CSU to a similar major with junior standing, and the ability to complete their remaining requirements within 60 semester or 90 quarter units. Additionally, the Public Health AS-T focuses on providing job related and introduction to the various career pathways within this field.

The public health field includes disciplines such as patient health navigator, health education outreach, epidemiology, biostatistics, health services, environmental health, behavioral health, and occupational health. Skill competencies include knowledge of public health models, health risk assessments, health screenings, health promotion programming, and surveillance of disease outbreaks in a community.

## Associate Degree for Transfer Requirements

- 60 semester or 90 quarter CSU-transferable units.
- Completion of the California State University-General Education-Breadth pattern (CSU GE-Breadth); OR the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC-CSU) pattern.
- A minimum of 18 semester or 27 quarter units in the major or area of emphasis as determined by the community college district.
- Obtainment of a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 2.0.
- All courses in the major must be completed with a grade of "C" or better, or P if the course is graded on a P/NP basis.

PLEASE NOTE: The courses that universities and colleges require for transfer vary. When selecting courses for transfer purposes, students should consult with Counseling Services to determine the particular transfer requirements of specific institutions.

## Program Outcomes

- Based upon behavior frameworks, identify and recommend health programs and interventions, and evaluate their effectiveness.
- Classify and distinguish preventive and risk factors for diseases and disabilities.
- Examine and apply behavior-changing practices to maximize health and wellness.
- Investigate and use research to review programs and evaluate strategies in public health awareness.

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Code	Title	Units
<b>REQUIRED CORE</b>		<b>14</b>
HED 044	HEALTH EDUCATION	
HED 050	INTRODUCTION TO PUBLIC HEALTH	
STAT 015	STATISTICS FOR BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS	
	or STAT 018 STATISTICS FOR BEHAVIORAL AND SOCIAL SCIENCES	
	or STAT 050 ELEMENTARY STATISTICS	
	or STAT 050H HONORS ELEMENTARY STATISTICS	
BIOL 003	HUMAN BIOLOGY	
	or BIOL 011 GENERAL BIOLOGY	
	or BIOL 011H HONORS GENERAL BIOLOGY	
<b>LIST A - SELECT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:</b>		<b>4</b>
CHEM 002A	CHEMISTRY – GENERAL, ORGANIC AND BIOCHEMISTRY I	
	or CHEM 022 INTRODUCTORY CHEMISTRY	
	or ANAT 025 HUMAN ANATOMY	
	or PYSO 001 HUMAN PHYSIOLOGY	
<b>LIST B - SELECT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:</b>		<b>3</b>
HED 051	HEALTH AND SOCIAL JUSTICE	
SOC 002	CONTEMPORARY SOCIAL PROBLEMS	
<b>LIST C - SELECT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:</b>		<b>3</b>
HED 052	DRUGS, HEALTH, AND SOCIETY	
HED 003	WOMEN'S HEALTH	
PSYC 025	HUMAN SEXUALITY	
<b>Required Subtotal</b>		<b>24</b>
CSU General Education or IGETC CSU Pattern		37-39
Transferable Electives (as needed to reach 60 transferable units)		

## General Education Requirements for the Associate in Science Degree for Transfer

- General Information (<https://curriculum.pasadena.edu/academic-programs-leading-degree-certificate/>)
- CSU Breadth (<https://curriculum.pasadena.edu/academic-programs-leading-degree-certificate/#csubreadthtext>)
- IGETC (<https://curriculum.pasadena.edu/academic-programs-leading-degree-certificate/#igetctext>)