

Associate in Science for Transfer Degree: Public Health Science

The Student Transfer Achievement Reform Act (Senate Bill 1440, now codified in California Education Code sections 66746-66749) guarantees admission to a California State University (CSU) campus for any community college student who completes an “associate degree for transfer”, a newly established variation of the associate degrees traditionally offered at a California community college. The Associate in Arts for Transfer (AA-T) or the Associate in Science for Transfer (AS-T) is intended for students who plan to complete a bachelor's degree in a similar major at a CSU campus. Students completing these degrees (AA-T or AS-T) are guaranteed admission to the CSU system, but not to a particular campus or major. In order to earn one of these degrees, students must complete:

1. Completion of 60 semester units or 90 quarter units that are eligible for transfer to the California State University, including both of the following:
 - a. The Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) or the California State University General Education – Breadth Requirements.
 - b. A minimum of 18 semester units or 27 quarter units in a major or area of emphasis, as determined by the community college district.
2. Obtainment of a minimum grade point average of 2.0.

Associate Degrees for Transfer also require that students must earn a C or better in all courses required for the major or area of emphasis.

This degree may not be the best option for students intending to transfer to a particular CSU campus or to university or college that is not part of the CSU system. Students should consult with a counselor when planning to complete the degree for more information on university admission and transfer requirements. At the time of catalog publication, a student may earn an AS-T in Public Health. Additional majors are being developed. Please see a counselor or visit <http://www.canyons.edu> for more information.

Degree Student Learning Outcome:

Students will be able to demonstrate the core science and health education principles necessary to function in public health careers.

Program Requirements:

Units Required: 32

		Units:
HLHSCI-100	Health Education	3.0
HLHSCI-140	Introduction to Public Health	3.0
BIOSCI-100	General Biology	4.0
OR		
BIOSCI-100H	General Biology – Honors	4.0
CHEM-151	Preparatory General Chemistry	4.0
OR		
CHEM-151H	Preparatory General Chemistry – Honors	4.0
MATH-140	Introductory Statistics	4.0

OR		
MATH-140H	Introductory Statistics – Honors	4.0
PSYCH-101	Introduction to Psychology	3.0
OR		
PSYCH-101H	Introduction to Psychology – Honors	3.0

Plus eight units from the following two options:

BIOSCI-201	Introduction to Human Anatomy	4.0
BIOSCI-202	Introduction to Human Physiology	4.0
OR		
BIOSCI-204	Human Anatomy and Physiology I	4.0
BIOSCI-205	Human Anatomy and Physiology II	4.0

Plus three units from the following:

ECON-201	Macroeconomics	3.0
ECON-201H	Macroeconomics - Honors	3.0
ECON-202	Microeconomics	3.0
ECON-202H	Microeconomics – Honors	3.0
HLHSCI-243	Women and Health	3.0
PSYCH-230	Human Sexuality	3.0
SOCI-101	Introduction to Sociology	3.0
SOCI-101H	Introduction to Sociology – Honors	3.0