



**ANTHROPOLOGY
HEALTH EMPHASIS**

EMPHASIS DESCRIPTION

The health emphasis satisfies the curricular requirements of medical and other health-related professional programs while at the same time educating students about the interactions between biological, environmental and social factors that influence health and illness. Students will be given the theoretical background to study human adaptation and maladaptation from an evolutionary perspective, in addition to studying the effects of culture on health.

REQUIRED CLASSES

**Indicates a prerequisite*

Statistics (Select one of the following)

***ECON 3640** Probability & Statistical Inference (QB)

FCS 3210 FCS Statistics (QB,QI)

***PSY 3000** Statistical Methods Psychology (QB,QI)

SOC 3112 Social Statistics (QB,QI)

***MATH 1070** Introduction to Statistical Inference (QB)

***MATH 3070** Applied Statistics (QA,QB,QI)

Required Introductory Anthropology

ANTH 1010 Culture & the human experience (BF)

ANTH 3001 Anthropology as a Major & Career (1 credit)

PLUS at least two of:

ANTH 1020 Human Origins: Evolution and Diversity (SF)

ANTH 1030 World Prehistory: Intro to Archaeology (BF)

ANTH 1050 The Evolution of Human Nature (SF)

Upper Division Geographical (Select a minimum of 6 credits)

Choose any two classes from ANTH 3111-3961

Upper Division Health Emphasis Topical (Select two courses)

ANTH 4252 Human Biology

PLUS at least one of:

ANTH 4133 Maternal and Child Health

ANTH 4291 Evolution of Human Health

ANTH 4234 Genes, Health & Human History

ANTH 4450 The Biology of Human Growth & Development

Health Emphasis Topical Electives (Select 3)

ANTH 2221 Birth, Death and Populations

***ANTH 3211** Biology of Native Americans

ANTH 4133 Maternal and Child Health

ANTH 4183 Sex and Gender (DV)

ANTH 4193 Medical Anthropology

ANTH 4234 Genes, Health and Human History

ANTH 4271 Human Osteology

***ANTH 4272** Forensic Anthropology

ANTH 4291 Evolution of Human Health

ANTH 4334 Population Issues in Anthropology

***ANTH 4461** Behavioral Ecology and Anthropology

ANTH 4470 Evolution of The Family

ANTH 4481 Evolutionary Psychology

***ANTH/BIOL 5221** Human Evolutionary Genetics (QI)

ALLIED HOURS

All courses must be at least 3 credit hours

Natural Science (select three courses)

Any courses from Biology, Chemistry, and/or Physics

Electives - select two 3-credit courses from the following departments or classes:

Any courses from **BIOL, CHEM, PHYS, PSY, or NUIP**

***HSP 5000** Health, Society and Policy Capstone

PBHLTH 4500 Public Health: A Global Perspective (IR)

PHIL 3520 Bioethics (HF)

SOC 3671 Sociology of Health

SOC 3673 Social Epidemiology (QB, QI)

At least 18 credit hours of ANTH courses be taken in-residence.

For the GPA requirement, students must maintain a cumulative GPA of 3.0

CAREER OUTLOOK

Health Sciences

Medical

Dental

Veterinary

Occupational Therapy

Chiropractic Medicine

Optometry

Podiatry

Physician Assistant

Public Health

Genetic Counseling

Forensics

SCHOLARSHIPS

Thanks to the generous donations given by industry & alumni, the Anthropology department offers several scholarships to incoming and continuing students.

To apply, please visit:

<https://csbs.utah.edu/students/scholarships/index.php>

CONTACT INFORMATION

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