

<b><u>HEALTH SCIENCES CORE COURSES (24 hours)</u></b>		<b><u>Hrs</u></b>	<b><u>Sem</u></b>	<b><u>Grade</u></b>
HSCI 701	Theories & Methods of Health Science Research	3	_____	_____
HSCI 702	Health Sciences Scholarship & Literature	3	_____	_____
HSCI 703	Quantitative Research Methods & Statistics I	3	_____	_____
HSCI 704	Research Mentorship	1	_____	_____
HSCI 705	Ethical Issues in Health Sciences	3	_____	_____
HSCI 710	Healthcare Delivery Systems	3	_____	_____
HSCI 735	Evidence Based Practices in Health Sciences	3	_____	_____
HSCI 815	Qualitative Research Methods & Analysis	3	_____	_____
HSCI 850	Dissertation Mentorship	2	_____	_____
<b><u>LEADERSHIP &amp; POLICY COURSES (15 hours)</u></b>				
HSCI 715	Cultural Competency in Health Sciences	3	_____	_____
HSCI 720	Principles & Theories of Teaching in the Hlth Professions	3	_____	_____
HSCI 725	Leadership in Professional Practices	3	_____	_____
HSCI 730	Risk Management in Health Sciences	3	_____	_____
HSCI 745	Health Policy	3	_____	_____
<b><u>APPLIED RESEARCH &amp; EXPERIENCE COURSES (21 hours)<sup>1,2</sup></u></b>				
HSCI 798	Practicum & Applied Doctoral Research Preparation	3	_____	_____
HSCI 898	Practicum	3	_____	_____
HSCI 888	Applied Doctoral Research Project I	5	_____	_____
HSCI 889	Applied Doctoral Research Project II <sup>3</sup>	5	_____	_____
HSCI 890	Applied Doctoral Research Project III <sup>3</sup>	5	_____	_____
<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>		<b>60</b>		

**Graduation Requirements**

Complete 60 hours

A maximum of 50% of a post-graduate and doctoral degree may be transferred if approved and allowable, including credit from an earned degree from Liberty University on the same academic level

3.0 GPA

No grades lower than B- may be applied to the degree

Degree must be completed within 7 years

Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

**Offered in Online Format**

**Notes**

*All applicable prerequisites must be met*

<sup>1</sup>Applied Research & Experience courses may not be fulfilled with Transfer Credit or Course Substitution.

<sup>2</sup>Once the student enters the Applied Research & Experience phase, they must maintain continuous enrollment (Fall, Spring, and Summer semesters) until all degree requirements are completed.

<sup>3</sup>Students must maintain enrollment in HSCI 889 (Fall, Spring, and Summer semesters) until deemed ready for enrollment in HSCI 890.

*Suggested Course Sequence on second page*

**SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE**

**First Semester**

HSCI 701	3	
HSCI 702	3	
HSCI 703	3	
HSCI 704	<u>1</u>	
Total	10	

**Second Semester**

HSCI 705	3	
HSCI 710	3	
HSCI 715	<u>3</u>	
Total	9	

**Third Semester**

HSCI 720	3	
HSCI 725	3	
HSCI 730	<u>3</u>	
Total	9	

**Fourth Semester**

HSCI 735	3	
HSCI 745	3	
HSCI 815	<u>3</u>	
Total	9	

**Fifth Semester**

HSCI 798 <sup>1</sup>	3	
HSCI 850	2	
HSCI 898 <sup>1</sup>	<u>3</u>	
Total	8	

**Sixth Semester**

HSCI 888 <sup>1</sup>	<u>5</u>	
Total	5	

**Seventh Semester**

HSCI 889 <sup>1,2</sup>	<u>5</u>	
Total	5	

**Eighth Semester**

HSCI 890 <sup>1,2</sup>	<u>5</u>	
Total	5	

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