

# Medical Humanities and Health Studies

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## Minor Contact

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## Minor Code - U145

The Medical Humanities and Health Studies Minor is an interdisciplinary minor. It is housed in the English department, where administrative oversight is provided. Collaborating participants include the departments of Communication Studies; Disability Studies; English; Geography; Gerontology; Philosophy; Psychology; Sociology; Social Work; and Women's and Gender Studies.

Three disciplines must be represented, with a minimum of nine hours taken at the 300 level or above. Students must earn a GPA of 2.0 across all courses applied to the minor. No prerequisite coursework is required to declare the minor.

Code	Title	Hours
<b>Core Courses</b>		<b>6</b>
Select a minimum of 6 hours from the following courses:		
ANTH 358	Anthropology of Health and Illness	
COMM 309	Health Communication	
ENGL 172	Literature of the Human Body	
GERO 212	Introduction to Gerontology	
GERO 412	Public Policy of Aging	
PHIL 331	Health Care Ethics	
PSYC 101	Introduction to Psychology	
WRIT 407	The Writing of Health and Medicine	
WRIT 408	Rhetoric and Science	
<b>Electives</b>		<b>9</b>
Select 9 hours from the following elective courses:		
CLAS 250	Language for Health Professions	
COMM 317	Communication and Aging	
COMM 409	Advanced Health Communication	
DISB 380	Disability and the Family	
DISB 381	Lifespan Disability Policy	
DISB 385	Disability and Society	
DISB 482	Disability in the Community	
ENGL 170	Literature of Minds and Selves	
ENGL 180	Literature of Love, Sex, and Gender	
GERO 410	Rural Gerontology	
GERO 418	Aging, Women and Culture	
PHIL 130	Current Moral Problems	
PHIL 314	Philosophy of Sex and Gender	
PSYC 241	Introduction to Human Development	
SOC 312	Death and Dying	
SOWK 403	Social Issues of Public Health	
SOWK 404	Social Work Practice and End of Life Care	
WGST 242	Women's Health and Fitness	
*Or additional courses from the Core Courses list.		

Total Hours

15