

Program Information

The emerging field of Integrative Health and Healing (IHH) has captured the interest of healthcare providers, practitioners and consumers. This program is designed for students, practitioners and learners seeking to understand the exciting, new field of Integrative Health and Healing. For assistance in program planning, or to explore additional transfer options, students should schedule a time to meet with an academic advisor. This degree may transfer in part or in its entirety to baccalaureate institutions. Students should meet with a representative of the transfer institution when planning their program. Graduates from this program will want to further their education by transferring this degree to earn a baccalaureate degree and then a master's degree in order to successfully practice in the field of Complementary Alternative Medicine.

Program Goals

By completing this program, students will achieve the following learning goals:

1. Demonstrate proficiency in oral and written communication, interpersonal skills, critical thinking and problem-solving skills;
2. Evaluate the fundamental principles of integrative health and healing, trends in holistic health, and the complexities of this emerging field;
3. Demonstrate an understanding of the interconnectedness of mind, body and spirit of the human system;
4. Describe holistic healing philosophies and healing through social, cultural, environmental and global perspectives of healing;
5. Evaluate the role of healing strategies for self-care as well as strategies in the healthcare system;
6. Describe ethical responsibilities in the practice of holistic healing;
7. Identify current scientific literature to support the emerging field of Integrative Health and Healing; and
8. Create and participate in a comprehensive internship project in which to apply classroom knowledge to workplace experience.

Developmental Courses

Some students may need preparatory course(s) in the areas of English, mathematics or reading. Courses numbered below 1000 will not apply toward this degree.

Completion Requirements

- A minimum of 60 semester credits in courses numbered 1000 or above.
- A minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 in courses numbered 1000 or above at ARCC.
- Satisfy residency requirements. See page 27.
- A minimum grade of C must be earned in all Program and General Education/MnTC Requirements.
- Completion of specific degree requirements.
- To receive your diploma, you must apply to graduate.
- The requirements of this program are subject to change without notice.

◆ *Course has prerequisite - see course schedule or catalog description.*

^ *Course requires Instructor permission.*

NOTE: You are encouraged to contact an academic advisor at 763-433-1230 for course planning assistance and information about transfer credit evaluation and transfer options.

Related Program Information

Many colleges require a 2.5 GPA or higher for admission.

Program Requirements: 30 credits

<input type="checkbox"/> BIOL 1104	The Human Body--Structure and Function	4
<input type="checkbox"/> IHH 1100*	Introduction to Holistic Healing	2
<input type="checkbox"/> IHH 1102	Energy Healing.....	3
<input type="checkbox"/> IHH 1103	Movement and Body Manipulation Therapies	3
<input type="checkbox"/> IHH 2100	Holistic Healing Systems	3
<input type="checkbox"/> IHH 2101◆	Mind/Body Connections	3
<input type="checkbox"/> IHH 2102	Food as Medicine/Biologically Based Therapies.....	3
<input type="checkbox"/> IHH 2103	Spirituality and Healing.....	3
<input type="checkbox"/> IHH 2297◆^	Internship	3

* *Introduction to Holistic Healing is strongly recommended as a first course or concurrently with other courses.*

Electives: Choose from the following for a minimum of 3 credits:

<input type="checkbox"/> HCCC 1000	Introduction to Healthcare Careers.....	3
<input type="checkbox"/> IHH 2104	Health and Wellness Coaching Skills	2
<input type="checkbox"/> IHH 2105**	Basics in Business and Ethics in Holistic Healing...	3
<input type="checkbox"/> IHH 2106**	Introduction to Qigong	3
<input type="checkbox"/> IHH 2107**	Healing Touch	3
<input type="checkbox"/> Select any HPER course.....		1-3

***Please note courses are offered every other year. Please see college catalog appendix for specific semester and year offered.*

General Education/MnTC Requirements: 30 credits

Complete a minimum of 30 credits from the Minnesota Transfer Curriculum (MnTC), including all courses listed. You must complete at least one course in six of the ten goal areas. One course may satisfy more than one goal area, but the course credits may be counted only once.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 1. Communication | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 1120◆ OR ENGL 1121◆ | 4 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CMST 1110 OR CMST 2215 OR CMST 2220 | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 2. Critical Thinking | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3. Natural Science | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4. Mathematical/Logical Reasoning | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 5. History/Social/Behavioral Sciences | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 6. Humanities/Fine Arts | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 7. Human Diversity | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> PSYC 1110 | 4 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 8. Global Perspective | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 9. Ethical/Civic Responsibility | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 10. People and the Environment | |

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Program Sequence:

The sequence that follows is suggested for full-time students. Part-time students will need more time to complete this program. Most program courses are offered online or in the evening.

	Fall Semester	Spring Semester
1 st YEAR	BIOL 1104.....4	IHH Elective or GenEd ...3-4
	IHH 1100.....2	IHH 2102.....3
	IHH 1102.....3	ENGL 1120/11214
	IHH 1103.....3	PSYC 11104
	GenEd or IHH Elective ...3-4	TOTAL 14-15
	TOTAL 15-16	
2 nd YEAR	Fall Semester	Spring Semester
	CMST 1110/2215/2220.....3	IHH 2101.....3
	GenEd8	IHH 2103.....3
	IHH 21003	IHH 22973
	TOTAL 14	GenEd7
		TOTAL 16

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