Health & Humanity

This major is intended for students interested in fields that inform the health profession and in related questions about health and human experience. Courses in this interdisciplinary major meet many of the requirements for admission to professional programs in medicine, nursing, and other fields.

**BACHELOR OF ARTS (BA) REQUIREMENTS OVERVIEW**

**Six Core Courses**
- General Biology — Organismal Biology and Evolution
- General Biology — Cell Biology and Physiology
- General Chemistry A & B
- Molecular Biology
- Evolution, Ecology, and Culture

**One Experiential Learning Course**
- Leadership in the Community
- Practicum in Geriatric Care

**Select one module from Group A or Group B. Students can tailor coursework to their interests with focuses in ONE of the following areas:**
- Group A Modules (four courses): Bioethics; Global Health; Health, Gender, and Ethnicity; Health and Aging; Health and Mind
- Group B Modules (five courses): Biological Sciences; Biochemistry; Biotechnology

**Additional Elective Courses are required such that the student takes at least 9 total courses from the offered modules. Students must take at least 2 courses in Group A and 2 courses in Group B.**

**EXPERIENTIAL OPPORTUNITIES**

- **Medical Internship Requirement:** All students must participate in a medical internship during their time at USC to better understand the how health issues relate to different fields.
- **Ethnographics Lab:** The Ethnographics Laboratory is a part of the Center for Visual Anthropology which provides archival and computer facilities for students and faculty who work with nonlinear editing systems and interactive media in anthropology.
- **Study Abroad:** Understand how health affects people around the globe by living in countries including Brazil, Chile, South Africa, or Ireland.

For additional information, including all major requirements, please consult the USC Catalogue or https://dornsife.usc.edu/health-and-humanity/