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1. **Contact Person** (Name, Email Address, Phone Number)

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1. **Proposed Change** (for undergraduate curricular changes please provide an 8-semester plan (appendix A), if applicable)

This is a verbiage update to two pages of the bulletin to reflect practice.

1. **Effective Date**

9/15/2022

1. **Justification –** *Please provide details as to why this change is necessary.*

The professional track for the BS in Health Studies allows students who have earned an Associate of Applied Science Degree in any allied health profession, not just PTA (Physical Therapy Assistant), to pursue this degree. It was recommended we update the verbiage to keep the AAS options flexible, which is what we’ve been doing for years in practice, but had not formally updated the bulletin to reflect this.

**Bulletin Changes**

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| **Instructions**  |
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**BEFORE**

Major in Health Studies

Bachelor of Science

(Professional Track)

A complete 8-semester degree plan is available at https://www.astate.edu/info/academics/degrees/

University Requirements:

See University General Requirements for Baccalaureate degrees (p. 47)

First Year Making Connections Course: Sem. Hrs.

PTA 1013, Making Connections in Rehab Services 3

General Education Requirements: Sem. Hrs.

See General Education Curriculum for Associate of Applied Science and Baccalaureate degrees

(pp. 79-81)

Students with this major must take the following for BS degree:

MATH 1023, College Algebra or MATH course that requires MATH 1023 as a prerequisite

BIO 2203 AND 2201, Human Anatomy and Physiology I and Laboratory

PHYS 2054, General Physics I

PSY 2013, Introduction to Psychology

COMS 1203, Oral Communication (Required Departmental Gen. Ed. Option)

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~~Physical Therapist Assistant Program~~ Any qualifying associate of applied science degree in an allied health profession: Sem. Hrs.

~~PTA~~ AAS Degree Requirements 38

Major Requirements: Sem. Hrs.

CLS 4212, Interpreting Laboratory Data 2

HP 3233, Preventive Health 3

HP 3343, Quality Improvement in Healthcare 3

HP 3353, Public Health: Principles and Practice 3

HP 3453, Healthcare Navigation and Advocacy 3

HP 3463, Introduction to Pharmaceuticals 3

HP 3673, Critical Issues in Health 3

HP 3783, Issues in Mental Health 3

HP 4103, Patient Education in Health Care 3

HP 4213, Chronic Illness 3

HP 4323, Patient Safety 3

HP 4443, Healthcare Management 3

HP 4543, Healthcare Service Delivery 3

PHIL 3713, Ethics in Health Professions OR

DPEM 3503 Principles of Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Management

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Sub-total 41

Required Support Courses: Sem. Hrs.

HP 2112, Introduction to the United States Healthcare System 2

Electives: Sem. Hrs.

Electives (must include at least 4 upper-level hours) 6

Total Required Hours: 125

### Before:

### Program Prerequisites

Two separate degree tracks are available for the BSHS: The Professional Track and Non-Professional Track. The Professional Track requires students to have an Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree in an allied health related field (examples include, but are not limited to, Physical Therapist Assistant, Occupational Therapist Assistant, Paramedic). The Non-Professional Track does not require students to hold an AAS degree.

 **AFTER**

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PTA 1013 or CLS 1003 or UC 1013 Making Connections 3

General Education Requirements: Sem. Hrs.

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**Appendix A, 8-Semester Plan**

(**Referenced in #2** - **Undergraduate Proposals Only)**

*Instructions: Please identify new courses in italics*.

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| **Arkansas State University-Jonesboro****Degree:****Major:****Year:** |
| Students requiring developmental course work based on low entrance exam scores (ACT, SAT, ASSET, COMPASS) may not be able to complete this program of study in eight (8) semesters. Developmental courses do not count toward total degree hours. **Students having completed college level courses prior to enrollment will be assisted by their advisor in making appropriate substitutions. In most cases, general education courses may be interchanged between semesters.** A minimum of 45 hours of upper division credit (3000-4000 level) is required for this degree. |
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