ALLIED HEALTH - ADMINISTRATION/ MANAGEMENT TRACK

Program Requirements
The Allied Health degree program requires the completion of a minimum of 120 units. Lower-division courses from your community college will be applied, as appropriate, up to a maximum of 64 units. A minimum of 32 units must be in upper-division courses at Towson University. The final 30 units must be taken at Towson University. The overall program structure follows.

University Core Curriculum Requirements
Students must complete Towson University’s Core Curriculum requirements as specified in this catalog. In general, a graduate from one of the Maryland community college associate's degree programs included in the Allied Health Program will need to complete several Core Curriculum courses in addition to those that are transferred. Some of the required Core Curriculum courses will be satisfied through program core and track requirements.

REQUIRED COURSES (18 UNITS)
All students must complete 18 units of required courses in the program. Courses are available online.

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Tracks (18 UNITS)
Students choose one of six tracks. Other course selections are possible, subject to the approval of the program director. Each student’s program of study and the courses he or she chooses must be approved by an Allied Health adviser. Students are required to take a capstone course (AHLT 450) at or near the end of their Towson studies. This course is required among the 18 units of the track. Students are also required to take an ethics class in their track.

Lists of courses in the tracks below are representative, not comprehensive. Students in any track may also complete units as AHLT 495/AHLT 496.

Administration/Management Track (18 units)
Students may choose from a broad array of courses in the fields of healthcare management, accounting, management, marketing, finance and related areas. (This track may be taken completely online. Courses which may be taken online are indicated with a 1.)

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1 May be taken online.
2 Health Care Management minor status required.

Students choosing this track may be able to earn a minor in Health Care Management.

Allied Health/Respiratory Therapy Suggested Four-Year Plan

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