



### Overview

Need a little extra help before entering a postsecondary health program? Don't have all the necessary pre-requisites? Or are you a returning student who wants to "ease into" college with refresher courses?

Confederation College's Pre-Health Sciences program can help! The program is divided into two streams: the Pathways to Certificates and Diploma stream, which is also known as the college stream, and the Pathways to Advanced Diplomas and Degrees stream, which is also known as the university stream.

The Pathways to Certificates and Diplomas stream is for students who want to go on to college health programs such as Practical Nursing, Paramedic and/or Dental Hygiene.

The Pathways to Advanced Diplomas and Degrees program is for students who wish to attend a university program or certain college programs such as Collaborative Bachelor of Science in Nursing and Medical Radiation Technology. If the program you wish to apply to upon your completion of the Pre-Health Sciences program requires a Physics credit, you must apply to the Pathways to Advanced Diplomas and Degrees stream.



### Top Highlights

- Upgrade your skills and learning to prepare you for a career in health care
- Get a head start on your future programs with a solid understanding of health care and related topics



### Learner Testimonial

I am a first year paramedic student and graduate of the pre-health sciences program. I feel that pre-health has not only helped to prepare me to advance in my path in the health field but has also increased my drive and passion to pursue my goals in the health field.

Jake Elliot / Alumnus / 2011

# Pre-Health Sciences

## Admission Requirements

- Ontario Secondary School Diploma (or equivalent) with courses from the College (C), University (U), University/College (U/C), or Open (O) preparation levels with Grade 12 English (C/U) Level.
- or successful completion of the Mature Student Assessment.
- or successful completion of the General Education Development Test (GED).
- or appropriate credits from the Academic and Career Entrance program (ACE).

Note: Some Health programs require a minimum grade in each required course. Please refer to the individual program page for specific program requirements.

## Alternative Pathways

If you are interested in pursuing the following programs, you must apply to the Pre-Health Sciences-Pathway to Advanced Diplomas and Degrees program:

- BScN Collaborative Nursing program
- Kinesiology program at Lakehead University
- Medical Radiation Technology (MRT) program

If you are interested in pursuing any of the other Health programs offered at Confederation College, it is recommended that you apply for the Pre-Health Sciences-Pathway to Certificates and Diplomas program.

## Certificates and Diplomas (“College”) Stream

### College Stream First Semester

CS 050	College Writing
MA 021	Pre-Health Mathematics I (College Preparation)
PH 145	Introduction to Health Care in Canada
PH 147	Pre-Health Introductory Biology I
PH 148	Chemistry I
GE	General Elective

### College Stream Second Semester

MA 216	Pre-Health Mathematics II (College Preparation)
PH 246	Pre-Health Introductory Biology II
PH 248	Chemistry II
PH 249	Human Biology

*One of the following:*

CS 217	Communications for Health Professionals
GE	General Elective

Upon completion of the certificate, students will be eligible to apply to Health Science programs. Eligibility will be dependent on academic achievement and specific program requirements.

## Advanced Diplomas and Degrees (“University”) Stream

### University Stream First Semester

CS 050	College Writing
MA 106	Pre-Health Mathematics I (University Preparation)
PH 145	Introduction to Health Care in Canada
PH 147	Pre-Health Introductory Biology I
PH 153	Advanced Chemistry I

*One of the following:*

PH 144	Pre-Health Physics I
GE	General Elective

### University Stream Second Semester

CS 217	Communications for Health Professionals
MA 206	Pre-Health Mathematics II (University Preparation)
PH 246	Pre-Health Introductory Biology II
PH 249	Human Biology
PH 253	Advanced Chemistry II

*One of the following:*

PH 244	Pre-Health Physics II
GE	General Elective

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