



HEALTH SCIENCE NAVIGATOR, ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE - PRE-RESPIRATORY CARE

Program Code: 2135B

Career Pathway: Health Sciences

Location(s): General education courses are available at all BC locations. Program specific courses for this program are offered at the A. Hugh Adams Central Campus or Online (<https://www.broward.edu/about/locations/>)

Program Entrance Requirements: HS Diploma or GED.

Program Description: The AS degree in Health Navigator is designed to prepare students for employment as health navigators, medical and service managers, and biller and coders. Content includes but is not limited to communication skills, leadership skills, human relations, employability skills, principles of health insurance, introduction to computer literacy, health care organization, medical ethics, legal aspects, and health and safety. Positions can be found in hospitals, clinics, and insurance companies.

ADDITIONAL PROGRAM INFORMATION

The 60-credit AS degree is intended to provide a completion point for every student not admitted into their HS program of choice. Enrollment in this program does not guarantee admission to any limited access programs. Students will be eligible to be employed as both a Health Navigator and Biller and Coder. A capstone is required, which may require a background check.

1. Health Navigator Specialist, Technical Certificate 6375
2. Health Science Navigator, Associate of Science - Pre-Respiratory Care 2135B

Course	Title	Credits	6375
Course ENC1101	Title COMPOSITION I	Credits 3	6375
Course AMH2010 or AMH2020 or POS2041	Title HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES TO 1877 or HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES SINCE 1877 or NATIONAL GOVERNMENT	Credits 3	6375
Course BSC2085	Title ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY I	Credits 3	6375
Course BSC2085L	Title ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY I LABORATORY	Credits 1	6375
Course CHM1032	Title GENERAL CHEMISTRY SCIENCE ALLIED FIELDS	Credits 3	6375
Course GE Course	Title General Education Mathematics Core	Credits 3	6375
Course HSC1531	Title MEDICAL TERMINOLOGY ¹	Credits 3	6375 X
Course RET1024	Title INTRODUCTION TO RESPIRATORY CARE	Credits 1	6375
Course HSC1000	Title INTRODUCTION TO HEALTH SCIENCE ¹	Credits 3	6375 X
Course GE Course	Title General Education Humanities Core	Credits 3	6375
Course Elective	Title Health Science Elective	Credits 3	6375
Course HIM1253C	Title CODING I ¹	Credits 3	6375 X
Course CGS1060C	Title COMPUTER AND INTERNET LITERACY ²	Credits 3	6375
Course GE Course	Title General Education Speech	Credits 3	6375 X
Course HIM2232C	Title CODING II ¹	Credits 3	6375 X
Course Elective	Title Health Science Elective	Credits 3	6375
Course HSA2010	Title ISSUES AND TRENDS IN PUBLIC HEALTH ¹	Credits 3	6375 X

Course HSC2669	Title PREVENTION AND COMMUNITY HEALTH ¹	Credits 3	6375 X
Course HIM2012	Title HEALTH RECORDS LAW ¹	Credits 3	6375 X
Course HIM2728C	Title CODING III ¹	Credits 3	6375
Course Elective	Title Health Science Elective	Credits 1	6375
Course HSC2810	Title HEALTH SERVICES PRACTICUM ¹	Credits 3	6375 X
Total Credits		60	6375 31

¹ Indicates courses are only delivered online.

² Students must satisfy the Digital Literacy requirement by testing out, completing a Credit for Prior Learning portfolio, or passing CGS1060C. Students who test out are required to take an approved Program Elective. (<https://catalog.broward.edu/programs-study/health-science-navigator-diagnostic-medical-sonography-as/#progelec>)

Notes:

In addition to the courses marked, students must also complete BSC2085L ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY I LABORATORY to earn TC 6375.

See General Education course information here (<https://catalog.broward.edu/academic-affairs/associate-science-general-education-graduation-requirements/>).

In accordance with Florida Statute and Florida Administrative Code, students may need to satisfy the Civic Literacy Graduation Requirement. Visit the Civic Literacy Graduation Requirement page at broward.edu/civic-literacy (<https://students.broward.edu/resources/civic-literacy/>).

PROGRAM Electives

Course	Title	Credits
HUN1201	HUMAN NUTRITION	3
GEY2615	PSYCHOLOGY OF AGING	3
HUS2535	ELDER ABUSE AND AGING	3
HIM2728C	CODING III	3
HUS2442	DRUG AWARENESS AND EDUCATION	3
HUS2401	SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND TREATMENT	3
HLP1081C	TOTAL WELLNESS	2
SYG2010	SOCIAL PROBLEMS	3
MCB2010	MICROBIOLOGY	3
MCB2010L	MICROBIOLOGY LABORATORY	1
CHM1032	GENERAL CHEMISTRY SCIENCE ALLIED FIELDS	3
CHM1032L	GENERAL CHEMISTRY FOR SCIENCE ALLIED FIELDS LAB	1
GEB2430	BUSINESS ETHICS	1
BSC2085L	ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY I LABORATORY	1
BSC2085	ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY I	3
BSC2086	HUMAN ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY II	3
BSC2086L	HUMAN ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY II LABORATORY	1
RTE1000	INTRODUCTION TO RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY	3
PHY1001	APPLIED PHYSICS	3
PSY2012	GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY	3
SYG2000	PRINCIPLES OF SOCIOLOGY	3

Students are strongly encouraged to meet with an advisor (<https://students.broward.edu/resources/advising/>) to create a personalized educational plan.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

CREDIT FOR PRIOR LEARNING

Accelerate your path to completion with these options:

- Credit by exam
- Earned industry certifications
- Prior Learning Assessment
- And much more...

RELATED INDUSTRY CERTIFICATIONS

Upon completing this program, graduates will be eligible to sit for the following industry certifications/licenses: N/A

GET AN INTERNSHIP

After completing your first year of coursework make sure to visit Employment Solutions (<https://broward.edu/career/>) for internship opportunities and helpful tools like virtual job shadow, to help take your career to the next level!

- Get an Internship (<http://broward.edu/studentresources/career/Pages/Find-a-job-or-internship.aspx>)
- Virtual Job Shadow Tool (<http://www.broward.edu/studentresources/career/Pages/default.aspx>)

MEDIAN WAGE AND JOB GROWTH OUTLOOK

Broward College has Career Coach (<https://www.broward.edu/careercoach/>)! It is designed to help you find a good career by providing the most current local data on wages, employment, job postings, and associated education and training.

FUND YOUR EDUCATION

This program is Financial Aid (<https://www.broward.edu/admissions/financial-aid/>) eligible. Scholarships (<https://www.broward.edu/admissions/financial-aid/scholarships/>) may be available.

PROGRAM LEARNING OUTCOMES

Graduates from this program will be able:

- Graduates will be able to demonstrate an understanding of the healthcare system including administrative duties.
- Graduates will demonstrate proficiency with professionalism in terms of service, clinical outcomes, and safety.
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