

CHOOSE A DEGREE IN HEALTH SCIENCE TO ADVANCE YOUR EDUCATION AND CAREER

- Associate of Science in Health Science
- Associate of Applied Science in Health Science



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World-Class Education Online

Whether saving lives on the battlefield, at sea, or in armed-forces hospitals, enlisted medical personnel have a long history of providing exceptional patient care.

Purdue Global delivers targeted, innovative solutions designed to meet the academic needs of today's military students.

Our focus: maximizing the skills you have and building new ones.

We recognize the value of your military training and want to help you reach your educational goals faster. For medical personnel, we have evaluated various military occupations and mapped them to specific degree programs, significantly reducing the time it takes to earn your associate's degree.

Purdue Global Offers Two Degree Options to Fit Your Goals

Apply your allied health occupation and military medical training toward an associate's degree in health science. Advance your military medical career with a program uniquely designed for servicemembers and veterans of the Army, Coast Guard, Navy, and Air Force.

Associate of Science in Health Science

As a military student with a health science occupational specialty and valuable military medical training, the Associate of Science in Health Science (ASHS) can help further your educational goals.

With a focus on the important role of health care and industry-related technical information, the curriculum in the associate's degree program builds upon your military medical training to help you achieve an associate's degree while putting you on the fast track toward earning your bachelor's and later a master's.¹

If you are looking to continue your studies, Purdue Global offers six unique bachelor's degrees and five master's programs in the field of health science. Once you earn your ASHS, you will be eligible to complete a related bachelor's program in as few as 10–12 courses.

Associate of Applied Science in Health Science

The Associate of Applied Science in Health Science program is focused on awarding you the most credit possible for your prior training. Earn your associate's degree in as few as 5 courses when applying credit for your allied health occupation toward degree requirements.²

The degree plan offers flexibility to apply credit from prior institutions, credit by examination, and experiential learning toward degree requirements, helping you earn an associate's degree faster and apply it immediately to your career.

If you are looking for advancement in a military or civilian occupation, the Associate of Applied Science in Health Science puts you on the right track toward immediate career progression.



Choose the Associate's Degree That's Right for You

	AS IN HEALTH SCIENCE
Program Objective	Designed for military servicemembers and veterans focused on earning an associate's degree and progressing toward completing a bachelor's
Program Duration ²	Earn your associate's degree in 9 courses or less when applying credit for your allied health occupation toward degree requirements
Transfer Credit Options	Prior military medical and health science training put you on a path toward advancing your education
Key Outcomes	 Best option to immediately continue toward one of the following bachelor's degrees: Health Information Management Health Care Administration Health Science Health and Wellness Health Education and Promotion Nutrition



AAS IN HEALTH SCIENCE

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Prior military medical and health science training put you on a path for career advancement

Allows greater flexibility to apply credit from prior institutions, credit by examination, and experiential learning toward degree requirements

Best option to immediately apply for advancement in a military or civilian career. Jobs include:

- · Health education specialist
- Community health worker
- Emergency medical technician (EMT)
- Medical assistant



Our Curriculum

Purdue Global's number one priority is delivering a high-quality education. We utilize both program- and course-level assessment tools to determine whether our curriculum and teachings are delivering the desired outcomes for student success.





I was looking for a higher education while juggling military duties, father duties, full time work. Having to wear all these hats, Purdue's structure and course load allows me to complete degrees efficiently while still maintaining the educational needs. This has helped me create new pathways for my plan and has limited unnecessary restructuring of my own, at times, hectic life."

-Travis Dennison, BS in Health Science, 2020

Both of our associate's degrees in health science are designed to encourage online interaction between students and faculty. This helps make your experience more engaging and relevant and allows you to focus on gaining the interactive skills for the careers these programs support.

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Additional Program Information

- No entrance exams are required.
- Terms are 10 weeks.
- Elective courses include anatomy and physiology, chemistry, nutrition, bioethics, environmental health, public health, and immunology.
- Other elective courses are available.
- An optional preprofessional concentration can serve as a first step on the path to a graduate or advanced degree, providing many of the foundational courses they require.³
- Most classes have a weekly interactive seminar; however, alternate options are available for added flexibility.
- Our online library houses thousands of documents, tools, and databases.
- No-cost tutoring and study tools are offered in math, writing, science, and technology.
- The program culminates with an original capstone project that demonstrates your ability to apply your knowledge and skills to real-world scenarios.



More Intel About Purdue Global

Backed by the power of Purdue University, Purdue Global delivers a fully personalized online experience that's tailored to the unique needs of the adult learner. It's built specifically for working adults who want a degree they can be proud of, and one that employers will respect. We have signed Executive Order 13607 and comply with the principles of excellence for educators instructing servicemembers, veterans, spouses, and families.

Tuition and Fees

At Purdue Global, we believe you have earned a quality education through your service and should not have to pay excessive out-of-pocket expenses to reach your educational goals.



Military tuition rates cannot be combined with other Purdue Global tuition reductions or ExcelTrack pricing. Per-credit tuition reductions are based on standard tuition rate of \$371.00. As a result, we offer significantly reduced tuition rates for servicemembers, including Guard and Reserve, and veterans. We also waive our technology fees for current members of the military enrolled in undergraduate programs.

The Purdue Global Commitment

Purdue Global wants you to make an informed decision about your education. As a new undergraduate student, you will have a chance to experience real classes before deciding if you will stay and pursue your studies. If you withdraw during the introductory period, you will have no financial obligation.⁴



Military Student Support Center

Our team is trained to:

- Assist with military educational benefits
- Help you make the most of prior coursework
 and training
- Work with you in the event of unforeseen circumstances, such as deployment or a change of station





Career Resources

Our Career Services Department offers interview workshops, networking tools, resume reviews, and various other resources. We encourage students to become familiar with and utilize these resources early in their academic careers. Purdue Global awards credit for your military education and training.

Visit PurdueGlobal.edu/Military

to see how many credits you have earned.



For comprehensive consumer information, visit Info.PurdueGlobal.edu. Purdue Global does not guarantee employment placement or career advancement. Actual outcomes vary by geographic area, previous work experience and opportunities for employment. Student testimonial was obtained by Purdue Global. The views and opinions expressed are those of the individual; student experiences may vary.

- 1 The University cannot guarantee that students will be granted admission to any future programs. Speak to an Advisor about transfer credit opportunities and see the University Catalog for the Prior Learning Assessment policy.
- 2 The 5-course determination is based on the transfer of 65 quarter credit hours toward the 90-credit AAS in Health Science. As of February 2020, of the 149 U.S. military occupation codes evaluated by Purdue Global across Army, Coast Guard, Navy, and Air Force, 40% had 5 courses remaining to complete the degree.

The 9-course determination is based on the transfer of 48 quarter credit hours toward the 90-credit AS in Health Science. As of February 2020, of the 149 U.S. military occupation codes evaluated by Purdue Global across Army, Coast Guard, Navy, and Air Force, 44% had 9 or fewer courses remaining to complete the degree.

Coursework reduction reflects an educational mapping based on the credit recommended by the Medical Education & Training Campus (METC) for occupation duties. Credit awards will vary based on occupation, skill level, completed military courses as listed on your official Joint Services Transcript(s), and applicable prior learning that can apply toward degree requirements. Purdue Global does not guarantee transferability of credit from any of these sources. All credits must be validated on official transcript(s) to be eligible for transfer.

- 3 Students are responsible for understanding the requirements of optional certification exams. The University cannot guarantee students will be eligible to sit for or pass exams. In some cases, work experience, additional coursework beyond the Purdue Global program, fieldwork, and/or background checks may be necessary to be eligible to take or to successfully pass the exams.
- 4 Classes count toward a degree if satisfactorily completed. No credits are earned if the student withdraws during the introductory period (3 weeks for new qualifying undergraduate students), which begins day one of the first term. Students who choose to continue their studies at Purdue Global will need to meet specific requirements. Graduate programs not included. Additional terms may apply to international and non-U.S. citizen students. For further information, see the University Catalog.