Medical or Health Related Options (2022-2023)

Are you interested in a Medical Program, but unsure about your major?

Did you know that you can major or minor in any subject to prepare for Medical School?

You will need more than the prerequisites required by your graduate program to work in the medical field or health profession. An excellent way to become more well-rounded is to complement your major with a minor that can broaden your understanding of the populations you will be working with.

Below are some examples, so you can see the wide variety of majors and minors offered within the Thomas Harriot College of Arts & Sciences:

- If you want to help deepen your awareness of the ways people engage with health and illness, consider Medical Humanities (minor), Philosophy, Psychology, or Religious Studies.

- If you want to deepen your awareness in both the social dimensions of health and medicine – especially useful for careers in public health, public policy, and social services – consider Medical Sociology (minor), Political Science, or Sociology.

- If you want to help analyze health and disease issues among today’s culturally and ethnically diverse populations, consider Medical Anthropology (minor) African and African American Studies, Anthropology, Gender Studies (minor), or Gerontology (minor).

- If you want to dive deeper into science, consider Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Composite Natural Science (minor), Neuroscience, or Pharmaceutical Methods & Technology (minor).

This is not an exhaustive list — it is meant to help you explore the possibilities!

Talk to your Academic Advisor or email THCASadvising@ecu.edu to explore further.