



SHOCKER PATHWAY



WSU Tech to Wichita State: Associate of Arts (AA) to Pre-Dental Hygiene, Bachelor of Science (BS) [H28Z]

➔ General Education: Wichita State University Policy

	WSU Course	WSU Tech Course	CR	Grade	Sem/YR	Notes
Foundation Courses <i>Must be completed with a C/2.0 or better within the first 48 hours of college coursework.</i>	ENGL 101 College English 1	ENG 101 Composition I	3			
	ENGL 102 College English 2	ENG 120 Composition II	3			
	COMM 111 Public Speaking	SPH 101 Public Speaking	3			
	MATH 111 College Algebra, MATH 112 Pre-calculus, MATH 123 Trigonometry	MTH 112 College Algebra or MTH 113 College Trigonometry	3			Pre-calculus not available at Tech.
Divisional Courses	Fine Arts -	ART 100, MUS 110 or THR 100	3			
	Humanities -		3			300+ level course
	Social/Behavioral Science - PSY 111	PSY 101 General Psychology	3			
	Math & Natural Science - BIOL 223/HS 290	BIO 150 Human Anatomy & Physiology	5			
Additional Courses At least 9 hours must be numbered 300 or higher	Gen Ed Division 1 - CHEM 103	CHM 110 General Chemistry	5			M/NS.
	Gen Ed Division 2 - SOC 111	SOC 101 Principles of Sociology	3			
	Gen Ed Any Division -		3			300+ level course
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NOTE: Students who have completed an AA or AS through a Kansas Community College may choose to fulfill general education requirements by completing two 300-level courses at Wichita State University.

Transfer students should confirm general education needs with CHP advisor.

A total of 62 hours of prerequisites + general education courses + electives are necessary to meet the 120 total hour requirement for the BSDH.

➡ Science Prerequisites

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These courses require a grade of 2.0 (C) or higher. Must be complete by the end of spring semester prior to starting program.	+CHEM 103 Chemistry w/ Lab	CHM 110 Gen. Chem.	5			Gen Ed
	+BIOL 223 or HS 290 Human A&P w/ Lab	BIO 150 Human A&P	5			Gen Ed
	+BIOL 220 Microbiology w/ Lab	BIO 160 Microbiology	5			Gen Ed
	*HS 301 Pharmacology	No Equivalent	3			See WSU advisor for prerequisites.

+Chemistry, Anatomy & Physiology, Microbiology and Nutrition courses taken more than 10 years ago must be repeated.

*Pharmacology taken over 5 years ago must be repeated.

➡ Additional Prerequisites

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These courses require a grade of 2.0 (C) or higher. Must be complete by the end of spring semester prior to starting program.	*PSY 111 General Psychology	PSY 101 General Psychology	3			
	*SOC 111 Intro to Sociology	SOC 101 Intro Sociology	3			
	MLS 203/303 Medical Terminology	ALH 101 Med. Term	3			
	+PHS 331 Dietetics and Nutrition	ALH 110 Nutrition	3			

+Chemistry, Anatomy & Physiology, Microbiology and Nutrition courses taken more than 10 years ago must be repeated.

➡ Program Application and Admission Requirements

Students considering the Dental Hygiene program are strongly encouraged to meet with a Wichita State University College of Health Professions advisor spring of their freshman year to discuss the application process if they wish to enter the program their junior year.

After completion of general education coursework and 15 hours at WSU, students may choose to be awarded the Associate of Arts.

Minimum Overall GPA of 2.75 or higher.

Competitive Overall GPA of 3.6 or higher.

Admission to the WSU Dental Hygiene program is competitive. Please see program website for application instructions, deadlines, and additional information: www.wichita.edu/dh

AA Graduation Requirements

Earn credit for **60** cumulative hours.

Earn a minimum of **15** hours at WSU.

Earn a minimum of **48** hours in Liberal Arts and Sciences coursework.

Complete all general education requirements.

Maintain an overall, WSU and cumulative GPA of 2.00 or higher.

BS in Dental Hygiene Graduation Requirements

Earn credit for **120** cumulative hours. *Elective hours needed.*

Earn credit in a minimum of **60** hours at a 4-year institution.

The Dental Hygiene professional program totals 58 credits.

Transfer students may need additional coursework to meet this requirement.

Earn credit in a minimum of **45** hours of upper-division coursework at a 4-year institution.

Complete all general education requirements.

Maintain an overall, WSU, and program GPA of 2.0 or higher.

At least 24 of last 30 or 50 of last 60 credit hours must be completed at WSU.

Advising Resources

WSU Tech Academic Advisor:

Shelby Berry

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College of Health Professions Advising Center

www.wichita.edu/chpadvising

316.978.3304 option 2

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Connect with Shocker Pathway Resources

www.wichita.edu/academics/adult_learning/shocker_pathway.php

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Suggested Course Sequence at WSU Tech for WSU Gen Ed Policy

	WSU Tech Course	CR	Prerequisite	Notes
WSU Tech Semester 1 – Fall	ENG 101 Composition I	3	Qualifying entrance score	If not eligible for ENG 101 take first English course available
	MTH 112 College Algebra	3	Qualifying entrance score	If not eligible for MTH 112 take first math course available
	BIO 150 Human Anatomy & Physiology	5		
	PSY 101 General Psychology	3		
	SPH 111 Public Speaking	3		Suggested to take during summer to lighten course loads.
WSU Tech Semester 2 – Spring	ENG 120 Composition II	3	ENG 101 w/ C or better	
	BIOL 160 Microbiology	3		
	SOC 101 Principles of Sociology	3		
	Social/Behavioral Science	3		
	Fine Arts	3		
WSU Tech Semester 3 – Fall	CHM 110 General Chemistry	5		
	ALH 101 Medical Terminology	3		
	ALH 110 Principles of Nutrition	3		
	Humanities -	3		
	ORI 003 Shocker Pathway Transfer & DH Application	0		<i>DH application due early in Fall semester for next fall application period. Start ASAP.</i>
Courses to Finish AA at WSU	General Education - Upper Division	6		
	HS 301 Pharmacology	3	A&P and Chemistry	
	Gen Ed or Electives as Needed	6		