

2025 Academic Completion Plan

(Applies to Students enrolling during the Academic Year beginning in August 2025)

Bachelor of Science Healthcare Science/DPT 3+3

Semester 1	Credits	Semester 2	Credits
HCS320 Healthcare Science and Cultural Competency fulfills the University Human Diversity Requirement.			
HCS220: Health and Wellness over the Lifespan	3	HCS330 Healthcare Literacy and Advocacy	3
BIO107/117 Anatomy and Physiology I with Lab	4	BIO108/118 Anatomy and Physiology II with lab	4
SRH 101/160 – Search Seminar	3	PSY 101 Intro to Psychology	3
THE105 – GENERAL EDUCATION	3	COM103 or 233 – GENERAL EDUCATION	3
COM 101 – GENERAL EDUCATION	3	PHI105 – GENERAL EDUCATION	3
TOTAL	16	TOTAL	15
Complete 5 hours of Community Service		Complete 5 hours of Community Service	
Semester 3	Credits	Semester 4	Credits
GENERAL EDUCATION (World Language)	3	HCS329 Healthcare Science/Cultural Competence	3
HCS205 Healthcare Informatics	3	BIO211 Kinesiology	4
BIO208 Neuroscience	3	CHE105 General Chemistry II	3
CHE104 General Chemistry I	3	CHE111 General Chemistry II Lab	1
CHE110 General Chemistry I Lab	1	GENERAL EDUCATION (THE/PHI 200 Level Ethics/Morality)	3
GENERAL EDUCATION (Art/Mus/Theater)	3	GENERAL EDUCATION (World Language II)	3
TOTAL	16	TOTAL	17
Complete 5 hours of Community Service		Complete 5 hours of Community Service	
Declare intention to attain DPT			
Semester 5	Credits	Semester 6	Credits
HCS430 Capstone (Can take this in 5 th or 6 th semester)	3	GENERAL EDUCATION (MAT208)	3
AT433 Exercise Physiology	3	GENERAL EDUCATION (HIS/POS)	3
GENERAL EDUCATION (Lit)	3	PSY208 Human Development	3
GENERAL EDUCATION (THE/PHI 200-400 level)	3	BIO216 Nutrition	3
PHY110 General Physics with Lab	4	PHY111 General Physics II with Lab	4
TOTAL	16	TOTAL	16
Complete 5 hours of Community Service		Complete 5 hours of Community Service	
Semester 7	Credits	Semester 8	Credits
DPT500 Gross Anatomy and Histology *	5	DPT502 Kinesiology*	4
DPT503 Applied Physiology for Practice *	5	DPT509 Foundations of Clinical Exam*	4
DPT504 Practice Management I	3	DPT516 Musculoskeletal Practice I	3
DPT508 PT Procedures I *	4	DPT520 Neuromuscular PT Practice	3
DPT522 Foundations of Clinical Practice *	1	DPT528 Cardiopulmonary Practice I*	3
*Coursework applied towards the BS in HCS		DPT523 Clinical Practice I *	1
TOTAL	18	TOTAL	18
Complete 5 hours of Community Service		Complete 5 hours of Community Service	

NOTES:

- Academic Completion Plans may not be accurate for declared second majors, depending upon the semester you declare. Completion of such additional major(s) could increase time to degree completion.
- Minors must be declared by the time specified in the current Alvernia Course Catalog and you must meet with your *minor advisor* to determine when the necessary classes are offered since you may not add additional time to degree completion beyond the completion of your major courses to complete the minor.
- The Alvernia 15.4460 Graduation Policy and the current Alvernia Course Catalog detail graduation requirements, honors at graduation, and eligibility to participate in the Commencement Ceremony.
- The Graduation Application is available on-line in myAlvernia on the 'Academics' tab. Seniors must submit the Graduation Application to the Registrar's Office as follows: **October 1 for May Graduation; December 1 for August graduation; and March 1 for December graduation.**

Additional Curriculum Information Resources

Course Catalogs

Students must refer to the Course Catalog for the year they enrolled (matriculated) at Alvernia for program requirements. Students may elect to move to a later year with permission from the Department Chair and Dean and notice to the Registrar. General academic policies in the Course Catalog may be revised by Alvernia during a student's matriculation based on continuously improved practices or federal and state laws and regulations. All such changes will apply to students regardless of matriculation year.

Academic Completion Plans

Academic Completion Plans (formerly 8-semester plans) provides the course timing by semester for each program. Courses will be scheduled based on the Academic Completion Plans and students must enroll in the specific courses listed during the semester indicated.

AUAdvise

Degree Audit [uAcheive](#) remains the official source for each student's curriculum audit and provides the opportunity using the "what if" function to run scenarios for major changes or additions of minors.

EAB Navigate

[EAB Navigate](#) is the official tool faculty, advisor, navigators, and administrators use for alerts as well as student meeting and advising session discussion notes. This tool, together with the student's degree audit from uAchieve comprises the student file that follows the student throughout their matriculation and is accessible by advisors, navigators, and other administrators for official purposes.