HEALTH SCIENCE

DOCTOR OF HEALTH SCIENCE (D.H.SC.)



Program Features

- 55 total credits
- can be completed in three years

Program Format

- online (distance learning format)
- limited face-to-face residential institutes

Program Highlights

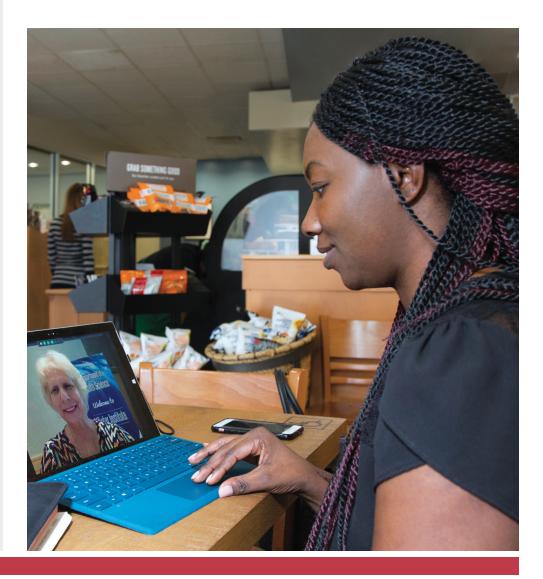
- Enhance your student leadership and health care knowledge through research and academic inquiry with current and practical health care models.
- Develop expertise in evidence-based practice, global health, telehealth, and health care education.
- Apply evidence-based practice to professional and clinical activities.

Expand Your Career, Globally.

Gain in-depth knowledge and the expertise to manage current issues in health care with the distance-learning Doctor of Health Science (D.H.Sc.) program at Nova Southeastern University (NSU). Identify and understand the ongoing changes in the health care environment and the impact such changes have on clinical practice, education, administration, and research. Choose from several concentrations, including global health, education for the health care professionals, and telehealth, with limited face-to-face residential institutes.

Receive an inspiring educational experience. Enhance your understanding of diverse populations. Develop leadership skills to carve out a role in the rapidly changing environment. Recognize and evaluate alternative forms of health care practice within the United States and worldwide.

Get the NSU edge.



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Core Courses—Block One (16 Credits)			Credits	DHS	8250	Independent Study B	1-4
Four of the following are required.				DHS	8700	Comparative International Health Systems	4
DHS	8000	Clinical Competencies in the Delivery of		DHS	8775	Survey of Health Law	4
		Health Care to Diverse and Special Populations	4	DHS	8820	Telehealth Concepts, Applications	
DHS	8030	Community Health Promotion and				and Future Trends	4
		Disease Prevention	4	DHS	8825	Technological Infrastructures of Telehealth	4
DHS	8040	Professionalism and Health Care Ethics	4	DHS	8830	Strategic Planning for Telehealth	
DHS	8090	Health Policy, Planning and Management	4			Programs and Services	4
DHS	8095	Global Health Policy	4	DHS	8835	Telepresence	4
DHS	8110	Community Environmental and		DHS	8900	Narrative Medicine	4
		Occupational Health	4	Other Program Requirements (2 credits)			
Core Courses—Block Two (8 credits)				Choose one option.			
Two of the following courses are required.				DHS	8120	Doctoral Analysis	2
DHS	8400	Global Health Issues	4	DHS	8121	Scientific Writing	2
HSP	9006	Evidence-Based Medical Practice	4	DIIS	0121	Scientific Writing	2
DHS	8750	Patient Safety	4				
DHS	8190	Health Care Education	4	CONCENTRATIONS INCLUDE:			
DHS	8800	Health Care Informatics	4	Education in Health Care Professions Designed to provide the opportunity to meet your personal and professional			
DHS	8810	Global Epidemiology	4				
, 3,				goals while gaining the knowledge and skills you need to perform in an			
_	xperiential (9 credits)			academic arena.			
DHS	8125	Preparation Forum	1				
DHS	8130	Internship	4	Global Health			
DHS	8140	Practicum	4	Designed for those interested in exploring health care from a global perspective.			
Residential Institutes (8 credits)					Telehealth		
DHS	8010	Statistics and Research Methods	4	Designed to train you in the practice, coordination, and delivery of telehealth through initiatives, programs, and services while emphasizing the utilization			
DHS	8071	Conflict Resolution for Healthcare Leaders	4				
				and management of health information systems and technologies in the delivery of patient care.			
Electives (12 credits)					ry oi patie	nt care.	
The following is a sampling of elective courses. Concentration course requirements vary.				Genei	alist		
Choose three electives for a total of 12 credits.				Designed to provide flexibility in curriculum design to accommodate your			
DHS	8100	Alternative and Complementary Medicine	4	overall interest, employment, and education goals through maximum elective course availability.			
DHS	8180	Medical Writing	4				
DHS	8195	Academic Health Program Development	4				
DHS	8200	Independent Study A	1–4	*Effoctiv	ve fall 2020		
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This publication should not be viewed as a substitution for official program requirements and outcomes. A student is responsible for meeting the curriculum and program requirements in the student catalog that are in effect when the student enters the program.

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