Information sessions are designed to introduce you to the health career of your choosing. You’ll meet the program director, learn more about your career pathway, admission requirements and program curriculum, application requirements (prerequisite and support courses), selection criteria, pre-admission exams (if any), program costs, financial aid, and counselor contacts. Attendance at an information session within one year of your application submission is mandatory. Please be sure to register for an information session to record your attendance. You are responsible to remember when you attend an information session. Information session attendance is valid for one calendar year from the date of attendance.

All information sessions will be held via Zoom.

To join a session, register in advance, by clicking on the Zoom Registration Link for your desired program information session. Select date of the session, provide your first & last name and email address. You will receive a confirmation email with meeting ID and URL link to join the Zoom meeting. Registration is required, attendance will be taken during the session as well. This is a mandatory part of the application process. Prior to the info session, install Zoom on your device. Click on https://zoom.us/test and enter the requested information to get started.


Virtual walk-in advising with counselors: Russ Kinningham & Lani Suzuki-Severa
In-person counseling is currently suspended. Virtual walk-in advising hours are offered on Mondays through Thursdays 9:00am-11:30am and 1:00-3:00pm. Please go to Express Kiosk for Health Sci & EMS using this link, http://go.hawaii.edu/KwV. Students will be seen on a first-come, first-served basis. Appointments (phone/Zoom) may be scheduled by calling 808-734-9224 and leaving your name, UHID, program of interest, and phone number. Questions/appointment requests can also be emailed to hlthsci@hawaii.edu.

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Mark Nartatez, Program Faculty

Masai and Island of Hawaii Cohort Applicants: Contact Maui EMS Training Center 808-344-4063 or Hawaii EMS Training Center at 808-935-9002

Jeff Zuckernick, Program Director

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Tiffany Kawaguchi, Bennett Zazzara, Program Director

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Jung Eun Kim, Program Director

Program Websites and Documents

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Mobile Intensive Care Technician

No info session during Summer 2022

ZOOM Registration Link: MICT Program Information Sessions

Leaugeay Barnes, Program Director

Community Health Worker

Visit CHW Website for More Info:

CHW Website: http://go.hawaii.edu/bQA

Admissions and advising, Curriculum

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4/5/2022
Pre-Health Preparation and Application Information

Interested students should attend one or more of the mandatory Information Sessions to learn more about the different Health Sciences and EMS programs and their admission requirements. Once qualified for a program of interest, applicants must submit a UH System application (if not currently enrolled within the UH System) and a KCC Selective Admission Application for the program of interest by the posted deadline. Students on probation or suspension or having a GPR below 2.0 at KCC are not eligible to apply. Priority selection is given to Hawai‘i State residents; nonresidents will be considered after all qualified residents have been accommodated. A grade of “C” or higher must be maintained in all prerequisites, support courses, and program requirements to continue in the programs.

Dental Assisting (IDENT) Program

Dental Assistants work with dentists during examination and treatment of patients. They prepare patients for various procedures, pass and retrieve instruments and materials, operate the high-volume evacuation system, and implement OSHA-recommended infection control procedures. Dental assistants are often responsible for providing follow-up oral health care information to patients.

Length of Program: The Certificate of Achievement can be completed in two semesters.

Average Starting Salary: $15.18 per hour.

Qualification: ACCUPLACER ReadWritePlacer score of 5 or higher and participation in a scheduled personal advising session.

Application Period: Fall Entry: December 1 – June 30.

Selection Process: Students are selected on a BEST QUALIFIED, FIRST ACCEPTED basis. Selection is based on total qualifying scores in rank order from the highest until admission quota is reached.

Program Cost Estimate*: Resident: $13,773.00. Non-Resident: $22,314.00

Financial Aid: This program qualifies for Federal Financial Aid (FAFSA).

Medical Laboratory Technician (MLT) Program

MLTs are associate degree laboratory professionals that perform a wide variety of routine laboratory procedures and work in both public and private clinical and research laboratories. Medical Technologists (MT) and Clinical Laboratory Assistants (MLA) are baccalaureate degree laboratory professionals who perform routine as well as high level complex laboratory testing and are trained to assume managerial positions.

Length of Program: Once accepted, the Associates of Science degree can be completed in six months (one year and one semester).

Average Starting Salary: $20 per hour.

Prerequisites: ENG 100 or ESL 100, MATH 103 (or higher), BIOL 130 or ( BIOL 171 or PHYH 141+142), CHEM 161 + 162, MLA, and a C+ or better in one semester once the prerequisites have been met.

Selection Process: Students are selected on a BEST QUALIFIED, FIRST ACCEPTED basis. Selection is based on total qualifying scores in rank order from the highest until admission quota is reached.

Program Cost Estimate*: Resident: $9,602.00. Non-Resident: $21,900.00

Financial Aid: This program qualifies for Federal Financial Aid (FAFSA).

Occupational Therapy Assistant (OTA) Program

Occupational therapy assistants (OTAs) work under the supervision of a registered and licensed occupational therapist with clients to improve their independence in activities of daily living, including work or play/leisure as a result of injury, illness, the aging process, developmental delay, poverty, or cultural differences. Occupational therapy assistants work in hospitals, clinics, rehabilitation centers, public and private schools, nursing homes, home care settings and emerging areas in the field. They may be employed as activity coordinators of care facilities for older adults.

Length of Program: The Associates of Science degree can be completed in two years.

Average Starting Salary: $23.50 per hour.

Prerequisites: Minimum 2.75 KCC GPA, ENG 100, MATH 100 or higher, PHYH 141+142, 142L+142L, and HLTH 118. Please view the OTA Admission & Advisory document for additional application requirements.

Application Period: Fall Entry: April 1 to May 31

Selection Process: Students are selected on a BEST QUALIFIED, FIRST ACCEPTED basis. Selection is based on total qualifying scores in rank order from the highest until admission quota is reached.

Program Cost Estimate*: Resident: $10,181.00. Non-Resident: $22,165.00

Financial Aid: This program qualifies for Federal Financial Aid (FAFSA).

Physical Therapist Assistant (PTA) Program

PTAs work with patients under the supervision of a Licensed Physical Therapist and implements therapeutic programs that may include the application of physical agents (such as heat, cold, water, electricity) as well as massage, exercise, and functional activities. Physical therapy patients are those who have not developed or have lost the ability to carry out everyday life skills due to disability, accident, injury, or illness.

Length of Program: Once accepted, the Associates of Science degree can be completed in two years.

Average Starting Salary: $14–17 per hour.

Prerequisites: ENG 100, MATH 103 (or higher), PHYH 141 + 142, 142L + 142L, SP 181, HDFS 230, HLTH 125, HLTH 290 + 290L, PTA 101, and an A+S approved Humanities course.

Additional General Education and Support Courses: None. Please view the PTA Admission and Curriculum handout to see the highest until admission quota is reached.

Program Cost Estimate*: Resident: $7,240.00. Non-Resident: $17,240.00

Financial Aid: This program qualifies for Federal Financial Aid (FAFSA).

*Cost estimates based on AY 2021-2022 tuition rates.

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