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Faculty of Health - Keele Campus

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Faculty of Health

Dean:

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Associate Deans:

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Office of the Associate Deans:

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General Information

In 2005, York University's Senate and Board of Governors approved a new Faculty of Health. This major new initiative represents an exciting opportunity for undergraduate and graduate students with varied interests and academic backgrounds to examine health and health care from a multi-disciplinary perspective.

The new Faculty will offer a range of perspectives on health drawn from natural science, social science, nursing, humanities, management and administration. The Faculty's vision is driven by the following principals and goals:

- to promote York's expertise in teaching, research, and practice in health by bringing it together in one Faculty;
- to foster the development of new academic programs in health at York that capitalize on existing strengths among faculty members across the University; and,
- to create an academic environment and culture that will support the continual development of novel, innovative and multidisciplinary approaches to health and health care.

A distinctive Faculty of Health brings together a range of perspectives on health drawn from the sciences, social sciences, nursing, management and administration, humanities and informatics. This multi-disciplinary approach creates opportunities to explore a wide variety of health issues ranging from public policy decisions to the search for better clinical interventions.

A variety of methods for studying health and social phenomena will be used in the Faculty, ranging from experimental and epidemiological techniques to clinical case studies, oral histories and ethnographic observation. Research will focus not only on hospitals and clinics but communities, homes, farms, schools, factories and the global economic environment.

Programs of Study

The following degree programs comprise the Health Faculty:

Health Studies

Bachelor of Health Studies with Honours, all majors

Health Studies provides a comprehensive understanding of current health care challenges and the skills to address them, from three different concentrations - Health Management, Health Informatics and Health Policy.

Kinesiology and Health Sciences

Bachelor of Arts with Honours, majoring in Kinesiology and Health Science

Bachelor of Science with Honours, majoring in Kinesiology and Health Science

Kinesiology and Health Science provides a broad curriculum, including practicum courses dealing with game strategy, injury assessment and event management.

Nursing

Bachelor of Science in Nursing, all streams

Nursing offers four ways to achieve the BScN, including a collaborative option, a second-degree entry option, a post-RN BScN part-time option and a new BScN designed to meet the needs of internationally educated nurses.

Psychology

Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Arts with Honours, majoring in Psychology

Bachelor of Science and Bachelor of Science with Honours, majoring in Psychology

The Psychology Program enables you to choose from the extensive range of in-class and Internet courses covering the broad range of health-related topics including cancer care, autism, cardiovascular disease, eating disorders, bullying, clinical treatments, HIV/AIDS, SARS, rehabilitation psychology and depression.

Degree Requirements

Degree requirements for the 2006-2007 academic year reflect the program requirements as they existed within the originating Faculty. Each program within the Faculty of Health adheres to specific degree requirements. To determine the requirements for your program refer to the detail below.

Health Studies

Bachelor of Health Studies with Honours, all majors

Originating Faculty: Atkinson Faculty of Liberal and Professional Studies

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Kinesiology and Health Sciences

Bachelor of Arts with Honours, majoring in Kinesiology and Health Science

Originating Faculty: Faculty of Arts

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Bachelor of Science with Honours, majoring in Kinesiology and Health Science

Originating Faculty: Faculty of Science and Engineering

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Nursing

Bachelor of Science in Nursing, all streams

Originating Faculty: Atkinson Faculty of Liberal and Professional Studies

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Psychology

Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Arts with Honours, majoring in Psychology

Originating Faculty: Faculty of Arts

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Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Arts with Honours, majoring in Psychology

Originating Faculty: Atkinson Faculty of Liberal and Professional Studies

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Bachelor of Science and Bachelor of Science with Honours, majoring in Psychology**Originating Faculty:** Faculty of Science and EngineeringSee page [499](#).**Bachelor of Science and Bachelor of Science with Honours, majoring in Psychology****Originating Faculty:** Atkinson Faculty of Liberal and Professional StudiesSee page [337](#).**Academic Standing**

Academic standing requirements for the 2006-2007 academic year reflect the program requirements as they existed within the originating Faculty. Each program within the Faculty of Health adheres to specific academic standing requirements. To determine the requirements for your program refer to the detail below.

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A central purpose of the University is to teach students to think independently and critically. Cheating and other forms of academic dishonesty run counter to this purpose and violate the ethical and intellectual principles of the University; they are therefore subject to severe penalties. For more information, refer to the Senate Policy on Academic Honesty (see University Policies and Regulations section of this calendar or <http://www.yorku.ca/secretariat/policies/>).

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