Health

This sheet has sample occupations, work settings, employers, and career development activities associated with this major. Some of these options may require additional training and career planning. You are not limited to these options when choosing a possible career path.

Sample Occupations

**Physicians**
- Allergist/Immunologist
- Biomedical Engineer
- Cardiologist
- Chiropractor
- Dentist
- Dermatologist
- Endocrinologist
- Epidemiologist
- Exercise Physiologist
- Family Practitioner
- Gastroenterologist
- Geneticist
- Gerontologist
- Gynecologist/Obstetrician
- Hematologist
- Medical Examiner
- Naturopathic Doctor
- Neonatologist
- Neurologist
- Oncologist
- Ophthalmologist
- Orthopedic Medical Physician
- Pathologist
- Pediatrician
- Podiatrist
- Psychiatrist
- Radiologist
- Rheumatologist
- Surgeon
- Urologist
- Veterinarian

**Assistants**
- Dental Hygienist
- Medical Assistant
- Occupational Therapist Assistant
- Optometric Assistant
- Physical Therapist Assistant
- Physician Assistant

**Nurses**
- Clinical Nurse
- Emergency Room Nurse
- School Nurse
- Registered Nurse

**Aides**
- Geriatrics Aide
- Home Health Aide
- Nurse's Aide
- Psychiatric Aide

**Therapists**
- Art Therapist
- Audiologist
- Genetic Counselor
- Inhalation/Respiratory Therapist
- Massage Therapist
- Music Therapist
- Occupational Therapist
- Physical Therapist
- Speech and Language Pathologist

**Technicians**
- Biomedical Equipment Tech
- Cardiovascular Technologist
- Cytotechnologist
- Dental Lab Technician
- Emergency Medical Technician (EMT)
- Health Information Tech.
- Medical Technician
- Nuclear Med. Tech.
- Optician
- Pharmacy Technician
- Phlebotomist
- Physical Therapy Technician
- Psychiatric Technician
- Radiologic Technician
- Surgical Technician

**Allied Health Careers**
- Athletic Trainer
- Dietician/Nutritionist
- Food & Health Inspector
- Medical Photographer
- Mental Health Counselor
- Personal Trainer
- Pharmaceutical Sales Worker
- Pharmacist
- Pharmacologist
- Rehabilitation Counselor
- Sports Psychologist

**Administration**
- Athletic Director
- Health Care Management
- Health Serv. Administrator
- Human Resources Manager
- Medical Secretary
- Risk Manager

**Information Dissemination**
- Author
- College Teacher
- Columnist
- Health Educator
- Medical Librarian
- Patient Representative

Sample Work Settings

- Assisted Living Facilities
- Blood Banks
- Drug Abuse Facilities
- Emergency Response Services
- Health Maintenance Organizations
- Home Health Care
- Insurance Companies
- Medical/Dental Practices
- Migrant Health Projects
- Pharmaceutical Firms
- Poison Control Center
- Prison Health Service
- Public Health Services
- Vision, Speech & Hearing Clinics
- Vocational/Rehabilitation Centers

Sample Employers

- American Red Cross
- Capital Regional Medical Center
- Cigna
- Department of Veterans Affairs
- Florida Blue
- Florida Department of Health

Sample Websites

- HealthCare Careers
  www.health-care-careers.org
- Medical/Healthcare Jobs
  www.nationjob.com/medical
- National Library of Medicine
  www.nlm.nih.gov
Sample Career Center Library Resources

Sample Books
101 Careers in Public Health..................................IIB 31-0000 S4
Careers for Health Nuts..................................................IIA CF-H4
Careers for Scientific Types.............................................IIA CF-S3
Careers in Counseling and Human Services.....IIB 21-1010 C7
Getting into Medical School..................................IIB 29-1060 B7
Health Careers Today..............................................IIB 29-1000 G4
Healthcare Practitioners...............................................IIB 29-1000
Introduction to Public Health Management, Organizations, and Policy.................IIB 11-9111 J6
Medical School Admission Requirements...................IIBC2 M41
Opportunities in Holistic Health Care Careers...............................IIB 29-1199.01 G5
Opportunities in Occupational Therapy Careers.................................................IIB 29-1122 A2
Social Work Career Development..................................IIB 21-1020 D6
Your First Year as a Nurse.............................................IIB 29-1111 C3

Self Exploration and Career Information

To explore values, interests, and skills:

FOCUS 2
www.career.fsu.edu/Students/Plan-Your-Career/Explore-Majors-and-Careers/FOCUS2

Sigi3
www.career.fsu.edu/sigi
(Obtain a User ID from a Career Advisor)

To explore occupational outlooks and salaries:

NACE Starting Salaries Survey Data
www.nacweb.org/salary-resources/starting-salaries.aspx

Occupational Outlook Handbook
www.bls.gov/oo
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Salary.com
www.salary.com

SeminoleLink Plus! Services
www.career.fsu.edu/seminolelink

See additional resources in Career Center Advising Module Sheets:
www.career.fsu.edu/Resources/Module-Sheets

Sample Professional Organizations

American Dental Association -
Chicago, IL
www.ada.org

American Medical Women's Assn. -
Alexandria, VA
www.amwa-doc.org

American Medical Association -
Chicago, IL
www.ama-assn.org

American Public Health Association -
Washington, DC
www.apha.org

American Nurses Association -
Washington, DC
www.nursingworld.org

American Health Info. Management Association - Chicago, IL
www.ahima.org

For other related professional organizations, go to FSU Libraries database at lib.fsu.edu; select Find a Database; search for Gale Databases; choose Associations Unlimited.

Connecting Majors, Skills, and Occupations

- View learning outcomes associated with your major in the FSU Undergraduate Academic Program Guide Learning Compact:
  www.learningforlife.fsu.edu/smalcs/learningcompacts.cfm
- Explore the connection between occupations and skills in O*Net:
  www.onetonline.org
- Use the FSU Career Portfolio to document transferable skills you develop through your major and other experiences:
  www.portfolio.fsu.edu
- Use ProfessioNole to learn more about industry demands, career expectations, and opportunities from professionals:
  www.career.fsu.edu/professionole

Additional Information

Florida State University Career Guide
www.career.fsu.edu/Resources/Career-Guides

Library Links
www.career.fsu.edu/Resources/Career-Center-Library

Career Guides by Topic
www.career.fsu.edu/Resources/Career-Guides

Steps to Career Success
http://www.career.fsu.edu/Steps-to-Career-Success/