

Health Sciences Programs:

Community & Public Health (B.A.)

Assessed by:

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Mission Statement & Goals of the Program

The mission of Health Sciences is to prepare students to become Health Education Specialists in providing health promotion and education in the Malone Community, in the local community, and in the global community. The goal is to promote preventative healthy lifestyles for all populations by informing and serving others through the professional practices of health education.

Student Learning Outcomes (7 National Responsibilities for Health Education Specialists)

- o Assess needs, assets & capacity for health education, and plan health education
- o Implement health education, and conduct evaluation & research related to health education
- o Administer & manage health education, and serve as a health education resource person
- Communicate & advocate for health and health education

Program Intended Learning	Means of Program Assessment &	Summary of Collected Data	Strengths & Weaknesses			
Outcomes (PILO)	Criteria for Success					
PILO #1	PILO #1	PILO #1	PILO #1			
#1) Assess needs, assets & capacity for health education, and plan health education	a) National Certified Health Education Specialist Examination (CHES) b) Supervisor Evaluation of Student	a) CHES Examination: Zero students took the CHES Examination in the April/October 2015 test cycle.	A: CHES EXAMINATION: Future: HED 435 – Strategies & Practices in Health Promotion was added to the curriculum in to strengthen this area. Students who			
	Health Educators	Assessing Needs, Assets & Capacity:	will take the CHES Examination in the future cycles will have had this			
	c) Student Intern/Educator Senior Exit Survey	Malone = National Average =	additional course. B & C: RESULTS of SUPERVISOR			
	d) OAE Health Education Teacher Licensure Examination	Plan Health Education: Malone = National Average =	SURVEY indicate a strong curriculum that well prepares			
	e) 7 Year External Review Report	b) Supervisor Evaluation: Students	students for entry level positions in Community & Public Health Promotion. Students were ranked high by supervisors in assessing needs, assets & capacity and planning health education. Seniors rated themselves somewhat lower on the same items. The addition of HED 435 – Strategies & Practices in Health Promotion has kept Supervisor Evaluations & Student Exit Surveys stable in terms of			
	Relationship to Themes (Visible/Viable/Vibrant) & Objectives VISIBLE a) Student Stakeholders = Increase awareness b) Internal Process = Develop marketing focus	are competent in both assessing needs, assets & capacity (3.73) and planning health education (3.67). Scores are similar to previous year. c) Senior Exit Survey: Students think they are competent in assessing needs, assets & capacity (3.16) and planning health				

c) **Organizational capacity** = Clarify brand promise

VIABLE

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PILO #3	PILO #3	A: CHES Examination:				
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c) Student Intern/ Educator Senior Exit Survey	National Average =	B & C: RESULTS of SUPERVISOR EVALUATION & SENIOR EXIT SURVEY				
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e) 7 Year External Review Report Relationship to Themes (Visible (Viable (Vibrant) &	b) Supervisor Evaluation: Students are competent in administering & managing health education (3.50)	Public Health Promotion. Students were ranked high by supervisors in administering & managing health education and serving as a health				
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PILO #4	PILO #4	PILO #4	A: CHES Examination:				
4) Communicate & advocate for health and health education	a) National Certified Health Education Specialist Examination (CHES) b) Supervisor Evaluation of Student Health Educators c) Student Intern/ Educator Senior Exit Survey d) OAE Health Education Teacher Licensure Examination e) 7 Year External Review Report Relationship to Themes (Visible/Viable/Vibrant) & Objectives VISIBLE a) Student Stakeholders = Increase awareness b) Financial resources = Invest in marketing expertise c) Internal Process = Develop marketing focus d) Organizational capacity = Clarify brand promise	a) CHES Examination: Zero students took the CHES Examination in the April/October 2015 test cycle. Communicating & Advocating: Malone = National Average = b) Supervisor Evaluation: Students are competent in communicating & advocating for health education (3.74). Score higher than previous year. c) Senior Exit Survey: Students think they are competent in communicating & advocating for health education (3.07). Scores are somewhat lower than last year. d) OAE Health Education Teacher Licensure Examination Zero students took the Examination in the 2014-15 cycle. Needed score = 220 Malone Ave =	Future: HED 435 – Strategies & Practices in Health Promotion was added to the curriculum in to strengthen this area. Students who will take the CHES Examination in the future cycles will have had this additional course. B & C: RESULTS of SUPERVISOR EVALUATION & SENIOR EXIT SURVEY indicate a strong curriculum that well prepares students for entry level positions in Community & Public Health Promotion. Students were ranked high by supervisors in communicating and advocating for health education. Seniors rated themselves somewhat lower on the same items. The addition of HED 435 – Strategies & Practices in Health Promotion has kept Supervisor Evaluations & Student Exit Surveys stable in terms of communicating and advocating for health education. D: OAE – Health Education Teacher Licensure Examination				

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Average on "Overall Responsibility" – Supervisor Evaluation of Student Health Educators (CHES #3)

Please rank the Student Health Educator on the 7 National Responsibilities identified below. Please circle the appropriate response using the scales provided.

		No Com	ot petent		Ver Compo	•	Not Obser																					
		1	2		3	4	0																					
Responsibility	2019 (n =)																2018 (n =)		2017 (n =)		2016 (n =5)		2015 (n =4)		2014 (n = 7)		Overall	
	$\bar{\mathbf{x}}$	SD	$\bar{\mathbf{x}}$	SD	$\bar{\mathbf{x}}$	SD	$\bar{\mathbf{x}}$	SD	$\bar{\mathbf{x}}$	SD	$\bar{\mathbf{x}}$	SD	$\bar{\mathbf{x}}$	SD														
I							3.73	.45	3.81	.40	3.76	.43	3.79	.04														
II							3.67	.47	3.73	.45	3.79	.41	3.76	.04														
III							3.66	.48	3.81	.40	3.80	.40	3.81	.01														
IV							3.88	.34	3.97	.18	3.49	.50	3.73	.34														
V							3.50	.51	3.78	.41	3.75	.43	3.77	.02														
VI							3.50	.51	3.94	.21	3.76	.43	3.85	.13														
VII							3.74	.45	3.90	.26	3.69	.46	3.80	.15														

AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITIES: The entry-level health educator, working with individuals, groups, and organizations is responsible for:

I: Assess needs, assets & capacity for health education

II: Plan health education

III: Implement health education

IV: Conduct evaluation & research related to health education

V: Administer & manage health education

VI: Serve as a health education resource person

VII: Communicate & advocate for health & health education

Average on "Overall" Responsibility – Student Intern/Educator Senior Exit Survey (CHES #3)

Please rank yourself as a Student Health Educator on the 7 National Responsibilities identified below. Please circle the appropriate response using the scales provided.

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Responsibility		2018 2017 2016 (n=) (n=) (n=5)				015 n = 4)		2014 n = 9)	Ov	erall				
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I							3.16	.68	2.96	.81	3.08	.73	3.02	.08
II							3.07	.64	2.97	.69	2.97	.69	2.97	.00
III							3.01	.62	2.93	.78	3.14	.77	3.04	.15
IV							2.96	.59	2.79	.78	3.13	.68	2.96	.24
V							3.14	.63	2.83	.94	3.19	.76	3.01	.25
VI							3.11	.51	3.02	.67	3.09	.83	3.06	.05
VII							3.07	.64	2.97	.84	3.06	1.84	3.02	.06

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