

## Course Planning Specifics: Pre-Health

WPI offers pre-professional advising programs for students interested in joining the health professions, including pre-med, pre-vet, pre-dental, or pre-optometry. Students need to take specific courses, in addition to their major course work, to prepare for entry into professional schools and exams such as MCAT, DAT, GRE and OAT.

You need to also check the course requirements for your desired major and follow recommendations for that major. If consistent with your major, the suggested courses below will put you in a good position to fulfill the requirements for most subsequent health-related professional programs. Students with specific questions regarding these programs can contact Elizabeth Jacoby, [erjacoby@wpi.edu](mailto:erjacoby@wpi.edu), within the Office of Academic Advising. Please also consult with Prof. [Sakthikumar Ambady](#) regarding course selections if you are considering Biomedical Engineering as your major.

**Example of a typical course schedule (If have taken CH 1010/CH 1020, continue with the rest of the Chemistry sequence, CH 1030/CH 1040). This may vary based on your intended major. Please consult with the Pre-Health advisor with any questions you may have.**

<u>C term</u>	<u>D term</u>
CH1010 or CH 1030	CH1020 or CH 1040
GPS/HUA/SS	GPS/HUA/SS
MA or Major Course	MA or Major Course
PE (optional)	PE (optional)

# Course Planning Worksheet: Pre-Health

AP/IB/Transfer Credit: \_\_\_\_\_

## Abbreviation Key for Course Planning Tracker:

- **GPS** = Great Problems Seminar
- **HUA** = Humanities Course (includes AB, AR, CN, EN, GN, HI, HU, INTL, ISE, MU, PY, RE, SP, TH, WR)
- **SS** = Social Science Course (includes ECON, ENV, GOV, PSY, SD, SOC, SS)
- **BB** = Biology Course
- **PH** = Physics Course
- **CH** = Chemistry Course

Any courses marked with an asterisk (\*) are optional programs, and can be taken in addition to the three courses.

**Please Note:** The Great Problems Seminars are a two term sequence course. They are also **linked**. This means that when registering for a GPS course in C term, you must register for its second half in D term.

<u>C Term Selections</u>		<u>D Term Selections</u>	
	<u>(Include CRN)</u>		<u>(Include CRN)</u>
<b>CH1010 or CH 1030</b>		<b>CH1020 or CH 1040</b>	
<b>Math</b>		<b>Math</b>	
<b>GPS, HUA, SS</b>		<b>GPS, HUA, SS</b>	
<b>*Physical Education</b> (1/12 credit unit)		<b>*Physical Education</b> (1/12 credit unit)	
<b>*Military Science</b> (Must be affiliated with an ROTC unit)		<b>*Military Science</b> (Must be affiliated with an ROTC unit)	
<b>Back-ups</b>		<b>Back-ups</b>	