

## Health Sciences

Open University in Scotland

### Content

This degree examines the science behind health, from individual health to global issues like epidemics or the treatment of dementia. You'll study the science that underpins the function of the human mind and body. Explore the incidence, diagnosis and treatment of disease and disability, and examine the maintenance and improvement of health in different populations. This course is particularly relevant if you work in a health-related profession or aspire to work in one.

### Start Date

October, February

### Qualification

Degree

### Study Method

Online learning

### Award Title

BSc Hons

### Course Length

Flexible

### Faculty

General

### Department

Health and Social Care

### Entry Requirements

There are no formal qualifications required to study this degree. Computer and internet access required.

If you're new to study or to the OU, it is recommended that you start with a course at Level 1.

### SCQF Level

10

## SCQF Points

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## Progression Routes

While the BSc (Honours) Health Sciences (Q71) is not attached to a specific professional accreditation, it provides a broad base of scientific knowledge and skills appropriate to occupations such as biomedical research, diagnostic services, health promotion, health and safety, health therapy, and health services administration and management. If you're aiming for leadership, managerial or professional roles, this degree course is useful as a stepping-stone to postgraduate research training, or vocational courses such as public health or medicine.

## Combination Courses

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