

## Health and Social Studies

Lews Castle College UHI

### Venues

Lews Castle College Campus  
Virtual Learning Environment (VLE)

### Content

This course focuses on topical health issues including sociology, psychology, public health, rural health issues and health care ethics. If you are looking to follow a career in health or social work, or you'd like to specialise in a particular area, this course is for you.

In the first year you will be introduced to the many factors that influence health and wellbeing. You can then progress to the generic rural health or health and welfare stream of the degree.

The second and third years allow you to tailor your course to subjects of specialist interest, depending on whether you choose the Health Studies, Rural Health, or Health and Welfare route.

### Start Date

September, January

### Qualification

Degree

### Study Method

Distance and Flexible learning  
Part time (day)

### Award Title

BA Hons

### Course Length

8 years or more

### Department

Health and Wellbeing

### Entry Requirements

3 Highers, or Foundation Apprenticeship Social Services and Healthcare plus 1 Higher, or relevant national qualifications at SCQF Level 6.

## SCQF Level

10

## Progression Routes

MA Health and Wellbeing

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