

## Health Sciences (OU Certificate)

Open University in Scotland

### Content

If you're interested in the scientific and social aspects of disease and disability, this certificate is for you. It integrates biological, chemical and physical sciences with psychology, health statistics and social sciences to investigate the underlying causes and solutions in a range of conditions – from pain and addiction to lung disease and cancer.

### Start Date

October , February

### Qualification

Other

### Study Method

Online learning

### Course Length

Flexible

### Faculty

General

### Department

Health and Social Care

### Entry Requirements

There are no formal entry requirements to study this qualification. However, this is an OU level 2 certificate. You should ensure that you have adequate study skills, such as gained from OU level 1 study or its equivalent, before you begin.

Computer and internet access required.

### SCQF Level

7

### SCQF Points

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## Progression Routes

As well as an understanding of some of the science that underpins health, you'll develop skills in basic scientific literacy and numeracy, locating and interpreting scientific data, and using a computer to find and communicate information. The certificate also offers a sound foundation for progressing to an honours degree in a relevant area.

## Combination Courses

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