

THE COLLEGE OF HEALTH

The College of Health (COH) supports the mission and vision of the university by offering fully accredited undergraduate and graduate professional programs in the healthcare-related fields of Occupational and Physical Therapy and Nursing. Students interested in careers in Nursing can pursue an undergraduate degree or choose from several tracks at the graduate level. Occupational Therapy students may transfer into the program and earn a bachelor's degree on their way to earning their Masters of Occupational Therapy. Occupational and Physical Therapy students may qualify for early entry and earn a bachelor's degree on the way to earning their Doctor of Physical Therapy or Occupational Therapy (Applicant Status). These programs also have the option for direct entry into the professional programs for those who meet admissions criteria.

COH Mission

The Husson University College of Health inspires and prepares students for contemporary, evidence-based, and ethical practice in the health professions.

We foster student success by promoting:

- Professional identity
- Self-directed learning
- Critical reflection and scholarship
- Practice focused on the individuals, families, groups and populations we serve
- Integration of specialized technology
- Cultural competence, social justice, and advocacy for our clients and our professions.

COH Vision

The College of Health aspires to shape our students into compassionate and effective practitioners, leaders, and scholars who value inter-professional collaboration, lifelong learning, and global engagement.

Accreditation

Our programs are fully accredited or approved by one of the following agencies:

The Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE)

The Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education (CAPTE)

The Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education (ACOTE)

The Maine State Board of Nursing

Admissions Criteria

Each of our programs has admissions criteria unique to the discipline. Refer to your program of interest for detailed information about the qualifications for admission to the program.

Programmatic Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate proficient skills and knowledge in the areas of Interprofessional Practice and the Practice of Care.
- Students will demonstrate proficient skills and knowledge in Biomedical Sciences

- Students will demonstrate proficient skills and knowledge in Social/Behavioral /Administrative sciences.
- Students will demonstrate proficient skills and knowledge in Clinical Sciences.

Sarah Bedi 2020

"BSN, Mississippi University for Women"

N/A

"BSN-DNP, University of Mississippi Medical Center School of Nursing"

Jennifer Bochynski 2023

"DPT, State University of New York, Buffalo"

Samuel Caito III 2017

"BS, University of Rochester"

"Ph.D., University of Rochester"

Kimberly Davis 2003

"BS, University of New England"

MSO.T. University of New Hampshire

"OTD, Rocky Mountain University of Health Professions"

Lauren Fysh 2022

"BS, Husson University"

"MS, Husson University"

Angela Hartsig 2018

"BS, University of Michigan"

"Pharm.D., University of Michigan"

Chad Howland 2017

"BS, Lyndon State College"

"MS, University of Vermont"

"D.Sc., Andrews University; DPT, University of St. Augustine"

Katey Howland 2014

"BS, University of New England"

"MS, University of New England"

"Ed.D., University of St. Augustine"

Diane Jenks 2017

"BSN, St. Petersburg College"

"MSN, Western Governors University"

Cavenaugh Kelly 2014

"BS, University of Southern Maine"

"MS, Lewiston Auburn College"

"Ph.D., University of Maine"

Stephanie Laprino 2017

"BS, Husson University"

"MSPT, Husson University"

"DPT, Husson University"

Heidi Moyer 2025

"BS, Northern Arizona University"

"DPT, Angelo State University"

Alicia Murray 2017

"BSN, University of Maine"

"MSN, St. Joseph College"

"DNP, Quinnipiac University"

Valerie Sauda 2014

"BA, University of Southern Maine"

"MSN, University of Southern Maine"

"Ph.D., University of Maine"

Wayne Scott 2009

"BA, University of Delaware"

"MPT, University of Delaware"

"Ph.D., University of Delaware"

Stephanie Seeley-Bishop 2022

"BSN, Husson University"

"MSN, Husson University"

Ben Sidaway 1996

"B.Sc., Loughborough University of Technology"

"MA, University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill & MSPT. Husson College"

"Ph.D., Penn State University"

Michelle Slike 2022

"BS, Husson University"

"MHA, St. Joseph's College"

"DPT, Husson University Ed.D., Liberty University"

Megan Smith 2023

"BS, University of Maine"

"MSN, University of Maine"

Andrea Sorenberger 2024

"BA, Elmira College"

"MOT, University of Southern Maine"

"OTD, Rocky Mountain University of Health Professions"

Kimberly Steinbarger 2008

"BS, Daemen College"

"MHS, University of Indianapolis"

"DHSc, Drexel University"

Ellen Trubey 2023

"BS, Andrews University"

"MSPT, Andrews University"

Tricia VanKirk 2022

"BS, University of Maine"

"MS, University of Maine"

"Ph.D., University of Maine"

Jill Vaughn 2019

"BS, University of Rhode Island"

"MSN, University of Rhode Island"