

PRE-CHIROPRACTIC

PRE-PROFESSIONAL ADVISING CENTER



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Pre-chiro students have at least two academic advisors- an academic major advisor and a pre-professional advisor.

The major advisor's primary goal is to help students understand what they must do to complete the requirements of their major (bachelor's degree).

The pre-professional advisor's primary goal is to help students understand what they must do to become competitive applicants to chiropractic professional schools.

Information on Majors

Students interested in a career in chiropractic medicine will select one of the 250 majors offered at K-State and declare their pre-chiro designation.



While a particular major is not required for application to Chiropractic Medicine programs. At K-State, the most common majors are:

- **Athletic Training and Rehabilitation Sciences, Biology, Integrative Physiology, Kinesiology, Life Sciences**

PREREQUISITE COURSES

HOURS

ENGL 100	EXPOSITORY WRITING I	3
ENGL 200	EXPOSITORY WRITING II	3
BIOL 198	PRINCIPLES OF BIOLOGY	4
BIOL 441	HUMAN BODY I	4
BIOL 442	HUMAN BODY II	4
OR		
KIN 360	ANATOMY & PHYSIOLOGY	8
CHM 210	CHEMISTRY I	4
CHM 230	CHEMISTRY II	4
CHM 350	GENERAL ORGANIC CHEMISTRY	3
CHM 351	GENERAL ORG. CHEMISTRY LAB	2
OR		
CHM 531	ORGANIC CHEMISTRY I	3
CHM 532	ORGANIC CHEMISTRY LAB	2
PSYCH 110	GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY*	3
SOCIAL SCIENCES/HUMANITIES ELECTIVES		12

RECOMMENDED COURSES

BIOCH 521	GENERAL BIOCHEMISTRY	3
ACCTG 231	MANAGERIAL ACCOUNTING	3
BIOL 443	CADAVER TEAM	2

- Requirements at individual chiropractic schools vary, visit with your health professions advisor for details
- We highly recommend that all pre-requisite courses be taken for a grade
- Some schools require pre-requisite courses to be completed at the undergraduate level
- For information about honors courses please visit: <https://www.k-state.edu/ksuhonors/courses/>

COMMON CHIROPRACTIC SCHOOLS K-STATE STUDENTS ATTEND

Cleveland University - Kansas city

Logan University

Palmer University

Parker University



SOURCE: KSU COLLEGE-TO-CAREER STATISTICS

ADVICE FOR PRE-CHIROPRACTIC STUDENTS

- Take the highest-level courses available to you, particularly in math and science
- Study to learn, not to memorize; work to develop critical thinking skills and effective study habits.
- Learn about your desired health career through shadowing, seeking out a job that is relevant to your desired pre-health profession, or research the profession thoroughly online.
- Volunteer and serve your community
- Broaden your knowledge to develop an appreciation for different ways of thinking and living through reading or interacting with those who have different backgrounds, socioeconomic status or lifestyles.

STUDENT INVOLVEMENT

The Pre-Chiropractic Club provides an opportunity to meet other pre-chiropractic students and become involved both professionally and socially. The club holds regular meetings that feature guest speakers from professional schools, community service agencies and providers.

Pre-Health Student Ambassadors promote pride in and develop awareness of options within pre-health among prospective students, parents, alumni and the general public. The Ambassadors are a group of undergraduate students who volunteer their time and talents at special K-State events.

Alpha Epsilon Delta is the National Health Preprofessional Honor Society and welcomes all students engaged in the pursuit of pre health professional development, provides a forum for students with common interests, and extends a program of service to benefit the college/university community.

HELPFUL INFORMATION FOR CHIROPRACTIC SCHOOL

A bachelor's degree is not required to enter chiropractic school, but it is required for licensure in many states (including Kansas).

A lot of Chiropractic schools offer dual programs, certificate programs, and or teach in a way that enables students to test for other credentials (ex: Physical Therapy)

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Students who complete chiropractic school will receive a Doctor of Chiropractic (DC) degree.



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