

HEALTH AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

About the College

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The College of Health and Human Development (HHD) prepares students to succeed in careers in clinical healthcare professions, public health, human services, education, law and in the business of hospitality, recreation, tourism, healthcare and related services. Students explore the integration of the life and health sciences, the social and behavioral sciences, and organizational management and leadership skills in our academic programs. Experiential education through internships and project-based courses connects students with businesses, organizations and Penn State alumni in the field. Students have direct contact with patients, clients, families and consumers through global and cultural learning opportunities and service-learning programs. Innovative courses and undergraduate research opportunities with outstanding faculty who are respected scholars and leaders in their fields create a stimulating intellectual environment for students. An education in HHD is dedicated to all aspects of human health and wellness, improving the quality of human life, and addressing the challenges and opportunities the future presents. Our students and alumni are truly committed to helping people live their best lives.

MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE COLLEGE (<https://hhd.psu.edu/>)

Mission and Goals

The College of Health and Human Development is a collaborative community of faculty, staff, students, and alumni that seeks to improve human health, development, and the quality of life for all people through innovative education, interdisciplinary research, and effective outreach with a scope that encompasses cells to society and conception through the end of life.

MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE MISSION AND GOALS OF THE COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT (<https://hhd.psu.edu/about/strategic-plan/>)