

Concordia College, Moorhead Suggested Pre-Chiropractic Curriculum

90 semester credits at bachelor's degree level:

A minimum of 90 semester credits (135 quarter credits) at the bachelor's degree level at a college or university accredited by a regional accrediting agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education or an equivalent foreign institution.*

24 semester credits in the Life and Physical Sciences:

A minimum of 24 semester credits (36 quarter credits) in the Life and Physical Sciences. Of these 24 semester credits (36 quarter credits), at least half must include a lecture and lab component.

Minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 on the best of the 90 semester credits:

A minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale on the best of the 90 semester credits (135 quarter credits) completed. The best 90 credits must include the 24 semester credits (36 quarter credits) of Life and Physical Sciences.

Prerequisites

Required courses in the Life and Physical Sciences

- General Chemistry I (with lab) CHEM 127 General Chemistry I (4 credits)
- Biology I (with lab) BIOL 121 Cell Biology (4 credits)
 * Other biology courses listed below will also fulfill this requirement.

Recommended additional courses in the Life and Physical Sciences

- General Chemistry II (with lab) CHEM 128 General Chemistry II (4 credits)
- Organic Chemistry I (with lab) CHEM 341 Organic Chemistry I (4 credits)
- **Biology II** (with lab) BIOL 122 Evolution and Diversity (4 credits)
- **Biology** (with lab) BIOL 306 Human Anatomy & Physiology (4 credits)
- Exercise Science EXS 350 Physiology of Exercise (4 credits)
- Exercise Science EXS 467 Biomechanics of Human Motion (4 credits)
- Physics I (with lab) PHYS 111 General College Physics I (4 credits)
- Nutrition FND 321 Nutrition (4 credits)
- Medical Terminology GRS 399 Classical Background of Scientific Term (2 credits)

Students may check with the Office of Admissions to review science prerequisites. (10/2023)