

UNVR 195A – EXPLORING CAREERS IN THE HEALTH PROFESSIONS

Web Page Resources. The URLs (web page links) listed below are included on the Pre-health Professions Advising Center web page: <http://www.prehealth.arizona.edu>

The following URLs contain health career descriptions.

These URLs are listed in order of career information quality and completeness (1 = highest).

1	Occupational Outlook Handbook, 2002-03 Edition (Search in the “Professional and Related” category)	http://stats.bls.gov/oco/home.htm
2	Wisconsin Health Careers	http://www.wihealthcareers.org/Career_occ_toc.html
3	Illinois Health Careers	http://www.ioicc.state.il.us/healthcareers/default_HlthOcc.htm
4	New York Career Zone - includes video clips	http://www.nycareerzone.org/index.jsp
5	North Carolina Health Careers	http://www.nchealthcareers.com/browse.asp
6	Florida Health Careers	http://flahec.org/hlthcareers/
7	Center for Health Careers	http://www.chc.hcwp.org/occubull.htm
8	Georgia Health Careers	http://www.sowega-ahec.org/career_guide/toc.html
9	Missouri Health Resource Partners – use “Select Career” drop-down menu	http://www.healthresource.org/frame3HCdir.html
10	AMA American Medical Ass’n: Careers in Allied Health	http://www.ama-assn.org/ama/pub/category/2322.html
11	Louisiana Health Careers Directory	http://www.lahealthcareers.com/index2.htm
12	UCLA Career Center (careers listed at left border)	http://career.ucla.edu/gradschool/health/
13	Oregon Healthcare Careers	http://www.oregonhealthcarecareers.net/
14	Stanford, CA Health Careers	http://www-med.stanford.edu/school/smisp/nojawa/explore/alphadex.html
15	Kansas Health Careers	http://wichita.kumc.edu/KHC/allied.html
16	Fun Facts about Health Careers	http://www.gahec.org/aheckids/facts.htm
17	TeleHealth (North Carolina)	http://eahec.ecu.edu/telehealth/hce.html
18	Health Professions.com	http://www.healthprofessions.com/careers/
19	Careers in Health Care	http://www.nmsu.edu/~soahec/manual/contents.html
20	Career Descriptions – “What Do They Do?”	http://www.whatdotheydo.com/
21	Student-Doctor Network	http://medstudents.net/imsl.html
22	University of Arizona Health Sciences Center	http://www.ahsc.arizona.edu/
23	CAAHEP Health Occupational Profiles	http://www.caahep.org/programs/profiles.htm

The URLs listed below do NOT contain career descriptions, but provide links to several websites on health careers.

24	Health Care Disciplines & Education (Canadian “list of lists”)	http://www-hsl.mcmaster.ca/tomflem/disciped.html
25	Health Profession Web Sites (professional organizations)	http://www.eiu.edu/~premed/links.htm
26	Health Profession Web Sites	http://www.franklincoll.edu/bioweb/healthws.htm
27	Resources for Health Careers Students	http://www.career.cornell.edu/students/grad/health/resources/resources_TOC.html
28	NAAHP Nat’l Assoc. of Advisors for the Health Professions	http://www.naahp.org/NAAHPlinks.html
29	Internet Resources for Pre-Health Students (Syracuse Univ.)	http://www-hl.syr.edu:80/hpap/intsites.htm

Search Engines:

Search Method #1: Click on the “Search” button in your browser’s menu (either Internet Explorer or Netscape). Type in the topic for which you are searching (i.e., health careers, dentistry, medical technology, nutritionist, etc.) then click on “go” or “SEARCH.” Sometimes it helps to link words with a “+” (i.e., nurse+practitioner).

Search Method #2: You may choose to use one of many available search engines (some listed below) that may be helpful in locating information on various health careers:

Google — <http://www.google.com> [This is one of the best and fastest search engines.]

HotBot (Lycos) — <http://hotbot.lycos.com/>

MetaCrawler — <http://www.metacrawler.com/>

Yahoo — <http://www.yahoo.com/>

DO NOT USE “Ask Jeeves” because the connecting links are too difficult to print as your “sources”