DISABILITY STUDIES MINOR

for the Undergraduate Minor in Disability Studies

**department website:** http://www.kch.illinois.edu/
**department faculty:** Kinesiology & Community Health Faculty (https://ahs.illinois.edu/kch-directory-update/)
**college catalog page:** Applied Health Sciences (http://catalog.illinois.edu/schools/ahs/academic-units/)
**college website:** http://www.ahs.illinois.edu/

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Programs in Community Health and Kinesiology

Undergraduate Programs:

**major:** Community Health, BS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/community-health-bs/)
- **concentration:** Community Health: Health Education & Promotion, BS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/community-health-bs/health-education-promotion/)
- **concentration:** Community Health: Health Planning & Administration, BS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/community-health-bs/health-planning-administration/)
- **concentration:** Community Health: Rehabilitation Studies, BS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/community-health-bs/rehabilitation-studies/)

**major:** Kinesiology, BS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/kinesiology-bs/)
- **concentration:** Kinesiology: Teacher Certification, BS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/kinesiology-bs/teacher-certification/)

**major:** Interdisciplinary Health Sciences, BS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/interdisciplinary-health-sciences-bs/)
- **concentration:** Interdisciplinary Health Sciences: Health & Aging, BS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/interdisciplinary-health-sciences-bs/health-aging/)
- **concentration:** Interdisciplinary Health Sciences: Health Behavior Change, BS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/interdisciplinary-health-sciences-bs/health-behavior-change/)
- **concentration:** Interdisciplinary Health Sciences: Health Diversity, BS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/interdisciplinary-health-sciences-bs/health-diversity/)

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**minor:** Interdisciplinary Aging (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/minors/interdisciplinary-aging/)

**minor:** Health Administration (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/minors/health-administration/)

**minor:** Public Health (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/minors/public-health/)

**joint degree:** Community Health, BS and Public Health, MPH (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/community-health-bs-public-health-mph/)

**joint degree:** Community Health, BS and Epidemiology, MPH (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/community-health-bs-epidemiology-mph/)

**joint degree:** Kinesiology, BS and Public Health, MPH (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/kinesiology-bs-public-health-mph/)

**joint degree:** Kinesiology, BS and Epidemiology, MPH (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/kinesiology-bs-epidemiology-mph/)

**joint degree:** Interdisciplinary Health Sciences, BS and Public Health, MPH (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/interdisciplinary-health-sciences-bs-public-health-mph/)

**joint degree:** Interdisciplinary Health Sciences, BS and Epidemiology, MPH (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/interdisciplinary-health-sciences-bs-epidemiology-mph/)

Graduate Programs:

**degree:** Kinesiology, MS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ms_kines/)

**degree:** Kinesiology, PhD (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/graduate-majors/kinesiology/#doctoratetext)

**degree:** Community Health, MS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/graduate-majors/community-health/ms-comm-health/)

**degree:** Community Health, PhD (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ahs/community-health-phd/)

**degree:** Rehabilitation, MS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/graduate-majors/community-health/ms-rehab/)

**degree:** Public Health, MPH (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/graduate-majors/community-health/master-pub-health/)

**degree:** Epidemiology, MPH (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ahs/epidemiology-mph/)

**joint degree:** Community Health, BS and Public Health, MPH (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/community-health-bs-public-health-mph/)

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The undergraduate Minor in Disability Studies focuses on the physical, behavioral, biological, and social aspects of disability and chronic health conditions. The minor can include coursework from a broad array of departments, thus accommodating students from different disciplines across the campus. There are no prerequisites for this minor. The curriculum blends cultural and clinical perspectives of disability in society to allow for multiple
approaches to understanding disability and to enable individual tailoring to meet students’ varied career interests (e.g., medicine, nursing, physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech/hearing therapy).

Students must take at least six hours of advanced (300-level or 400-level courses) and six hours of coursework must be distinct from credit earned for the student’s major or another minor. Additional information regarding a minor in Disability Studies can be found here (https://ahs.illinois.edu/disability-studies-minor/).