

Minor in Information Science

for Health and Medicine-Related Majors

What is information science?

Information science is dedicated to connecting information, data, and human behavior. This interdisciplinary work supports better decision-making, discoveries, and overall productivity.

How can I expand my career opportunities?

Combining your studies in health and medical fields with information science empowers you to:

- Analyze health data to improve programs
- Help healthcare organizations implement and manage information systems
- Study needs, behaviors, and patterns in populations

Boost your career potential to take on roles such as public health consultant, public health analyst, program director (for international relief organizations and local endeavors, research, and evaluation specialist.

Learn More

View required courses, electives, and more at: www.dins.pitt.edu/academics/minor-information-science

How many credits is the minor?

15 credits (or five courses) is all it takes to add technical expertise to your professional capabilities!

Do I need to have computer programming experience?

No! All students take one introductory programming course, which can be waived based on previous college-level programming course(s).

The four other classes are electives that can be chosen to fit your studies and professional goals.

What types of classes will I take?

Classes include Human-Centered Systems, Data Analysis, Cloud Computing, Social Computing, Information Visualization, IT Project Management, Security and Privacy.

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