

Prehealth careers. Advisement is available for students interested in preparing for health careers in occupational therapy, chiropractic medicine, radiological technology, related areas, or as a physician's assistant. While these programs are not offered at California State University, Fresno, most, if not all, prerequisites are. Students should seek academic and career advisement early in their academic programs.

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www.fresnostate.edu/csm/arc/pre-professional/

For preoccupational therapy and other prehealth careers, see the Interdisciplinary Health and Rehabilitation Sciences (IHRS) major, under the Physical Therapy Department, or contact the IHRS undergraduate adviser, **Dr. Cheryl Hickey, 559.278.3030**. Students seeking information on other undergraduate and graduate allied health programs, please contact the College of Health and Human Services Advising and Career Development Center:

Advising and Career Development Center
College of Health and Human Services
McLane Hall, Room 194
559.278.5027
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See more at www.fresnostate.edu/csm/arc/pre-professional/.

Prelegal. Most fully accredited law schools require a bachelor's degree for admission. Since a prelegal program providing a broad cultural background is recommended by the law schools, any baccalaureate major, depending on the student's interest, may be chosen from the university offerings. (See Degrees and Programs.) Law schools suggest courses, but not necessarily a major, in the following: written and oral English, American and English constitutional history, world history, accounting, business administration, elementary logic, mathematics, statistics, economics, political science, philosophy, science and foreign language. A score on the Law School Admission Test (LSAT) is required before students can be accepted into law school. It is recommended that the LSAT be taken no later than December of the student's senior year. In addition, most law schools require a personal statement and letters of recommendation that address academic skills and preparation for the study of law. For further information consult a prelaw adviser and law school catalogs.

For a list of prelaw advisers, contact the University Advising Center in Joyal Administration, Room 224.

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Prelibrarianship/Library Science. The field of library science offers many career opportunities to people of different academic backgrounds, interests, and skill sets. Library science is the profession that collects, organizes, preserves, and provides access to the print and digital records of our society. Librarians work with a wide variety of people and materials (books, music, media, databases, websites, maps, archives and more). Professional opportunities include service in academic, public, and school libraries as well as libraries and information centers in corporations, medical/research centers, law firms, and museums. Librarians also work in web development, information systems, knowledge management, and publishing. Technological proficiency, as well as an interest in lifelong learning and staying current with emerging technological trends, is essential. The required education for an entry-level librarian position is a master's degree in library and information science (MLIS or MLS). Entrance requirements for these programs vary.

For additional information about library schools, their requirements and programs, and library career opportunities, contact the library science adviser:

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Premedical. Requirements for admission to medical school vary somewhat from one medical school to another and change from time to time, but a well-balanced liberal education is usually specified. Any major will do; choose a major according to your interests. Some aptitude and university training in science and English are essential in medicine. The minimum requirements in these subjects specified by most medical schools can be satisfied by specific courses in biology (BIOL 1A-1B/1BL), chemistry (CHEM 1A/1AL-1B/1BL, 128A-B, 129A and often 129B), physics (PHYS 2A-B), and two semesters of English. A course in bio-