MEDICAL ANTHROPOLOGY MINOR

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Anthropology is the integrative study of human beings at all times and in all places. Anthropological expertise has special application for hidden histories and the ancient past; the intersection of human biology and ecology; and the way communities create and use meaning, values, and history in everyday life. We support studies, research, and professional applications in these areas with three programs of foundational training: archaeology; human biology, ecology, and evolution; and sociocultural anthropology.

The medical anthropology minor is especially appropriate for those planning careers in medicine and health professions.

Department Programs
Major
- Anthropology Major, B.A. (http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/programs-study/anthropology-major-ba/)
- Medical Anthropology Major, B.A. (http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/programs-study/medical-anthropology-major-ba/)

Minors
- General Anthropology Minor (http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/programs-study/general-anthropology-minor/)
- Heritage and Global Engagement Minor (http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/programs-study/heritage-global-engagement-minor/)
- Medical Anthropology Minor (p. 1)

Graduate Programs
- Ph.D. in Anthropology (http://catalog.unc.edu/graduate/schools-departments/anthropology/)

Requirements
In addition to the program requirements listed below, students must:
- take at least nine hours of their minor "core" requirements at UNC–Chapel Hill
- earn a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.000 in the minor core requirements. Some programs may require higher standards for minor or specific courses.

For more information, please consult the degree requirements section of the catalog (http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/general-education-curriculum-degree-requirements/#degreerequirementstext).

### Core Requirements

Five three-hour courses taken from the following list: 15

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Students planning on a minor in medical anthropology should inform the department's director of undergraduate studies. For more information about medical anthropology see the department website (https://anthropology.unc.edu/medical-anthropology-minor/).

See the program page here (http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/programs-study/anthropology-major-ba/#opportunities) for special opportunities.