School of Public Health

- Know which major you intend on applying to. Use [www.sph.umd.edu](http://www.sph.umd.edu) to review all 4 majors in the School of Public Health.

- Use the **Transfer Credit Services database** ([http://www.transfercredit.umd.edu/](http://www.transfercredit.umd.edu/)) to see how your courses transfer.

- Use the Recommended Transfer Program option on **ARTSYS** ([http://artsys.usmd.edu](http://artsys.usmd.edu)) to view the MD community college courses that will apply to UMD degree requirements.

- Meet with the Pre-Transfer Advising Office to review transcripts for applicable classes in your major ([www.transferadvising.umd.edu](http://www.transferadvising.umd.edu))

- Review the **four-year plan** for your intended major. This will show you what courses students take each semester in order to graduate on time. ([http://www.4yearplans.umd.edu/](http://www.4yearplans.umd.edu/))

- Review the **general education** requirements. ([http://www.gened.umd.edu/](http://www.gened.umd.edu/))
  a. The benefit to getting an AA from a Maryland community college is that should you earn an AA and be admitted to UMD your lower level general education requirements may be considered satisfied – you can review the policy in full below: [http://www.gened.umd.edu/documents/GenEdTransferPolicy.pdf](http://www.gened.umd.edu/documents/GenEdTransferPolicy.pdf)
  b. Often, getting an general studies AA versus an AA in a specific major or field is a better fit for students interested in transferring, as you can potentially include as electives in that AA program courses that would transfer to UMD to satisfy major requirements.
  c. If you already have an accredited bachelor’s degree, your general education requirements at UMD will be considered satisfied – should you be admitted to the university. You would need to complete the major requirements to earn a degree from UMD. You can review the policy above.

- Contact the **Office of Undergraduate Admissions** for all questions about the transfer application and chances of admission. [www.admissions.umd.edu](http://www.admissions.umd.edu); 301-314-8385; applymaryland@umd.edu
  a. Application
  b. Deadlines
     - Fall: priority deadline 3/1; final deadline 6/1
     - Spring: priority deadline 8/1; final deadline 11/15
  c. Transfer Academic Excellence Scholarship (TAES)
     - Deadline 3/1
  d. Maryland Transfer Advantage Program (MTAP)
     - mtap@umd.edu
     - The online application is open twice a year, due on either 6/1 or 11/15
  e. International Credit
     - OUA will evaluate international credit upon admission to the university
     - Contact Tamarie Tomaski (ttomaski@umd.edu) with further questions
Behavioral & Community Health

If you are planning to transfer into the Kinesiology major, you should have completed the following requirements prior to attending UMD.

The courses listed below are UMD course numbers. When you are choosing classes, please review the UMD Transfer Credit Services Database to make sure your courses transfer to UMD to the courses listed below.

FUNDAMENTAL STUDIES
- Fundamental English (ENGL101)
- Fundamental MATH (MATH 113, 115, 220, 140)

DISTRIBUTIVE STUDIES
- Humanities- DSHU (2)
- Scholarship & Practice- DSSSP (1)
- I-Series- SCIS (2)
- Diversity- DVUP (2)

MAJOR COURSES
- Principles of Molecular & Cellular Biology (lecture and lab) (BSCI170, BSCI171)
- Human Anatomy & Physiology 1 (lecture and lab) (BSCI201)
- Human Anatomy & Physiology 2 (lecture and lab) (BSCI202)

Some introductory Behavioral & Community Health courses may be offered at your school. Here is a list of the following that may be able to take at your Community College
- Introduction to Public & Community Health (HLTH130)
- Personal & Community Health (HLTH140)
- Introduction to Health Behavior (HLTH230)

**If admitted to UMD, please register for an early Orientation **