

DANCE IN MEDICINE CERTIFICATE

The UF Center for Arts in Medicine, in conjunction with the School of Theatre and Dance, offers an undergraduate certificate in Dance in Medicine to UF students. Completion of this certificate shows intentionality and commitment to interdisciplinary exploration and an awareness of the value of arts to health and well-being.

About this Program

- **College:** Arts (<https://catalog.ufl.edu/UGRD/colleges-schools/UGART/>)
- **Credits:** 13-14
- Student Learning Outcomes (SLOs) (<https://public.tableau.com/app/profile/uf.oipr4918/viz/UFStudentLearningOutcomesCertificatesOnly/StudentLearningOutcomes/?publish=yes>)

Certificates must comply with the Certificate Policy.

Center Information

The University of Florida Center for the Arts in Medicine is committed to advancing research, education, and practice in arts in medicine, locally and globally. Through ongoing interdisciplinary research, training programs, and dynamic academic programs the Center advances its mission to further the field of arts in health.

More Info (<https://arts.ufl.edu/academics/center-for-arts-in-medicine/>)

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Map (<https://campusmap.ufl.edu/#/index/3260>)

Curriculum

- Dance in Medicine Certificate
- Music in Medicine Certificate
- Visual Arts in Medicine Certificate

Students have access to these unique types of learning experiences: hands-on practical experience with patients and/or community members, exposure to arts in health-related fields, the opportunity to develop career readiness skills such as oral and written communication, leadership, collaboration, and problem solving. In addition, students will interact with patients and/or community members, arts in health leaders, artists, healthcare professionals, arts administrators, and non-profit organizations.

The certificate is different than a minor because students receive hands-on applied experience. Making the choice to complete the certificate shows intentionality and commitment to interdisciplinary exploration and an awareness of the value of dance to health and well-being in society.

Students should apply by their sophomore year and must complete an intake meeting with the Center for Arts in Medicine's Academic Program Specialist.

Students must attain a 3.0 GPA in the required courses, all of which have prerequisites.

Required Courses

Code	Title	Credits
Foundational Course ¹		3
Select one:		3
DAA 1000	Fundamentals of Dance Technique	
DAN 2100	Dance Appreciation	
DAN 2390	Global Dance Perspectives	
DAN 3775	Dance in Medicine	3
DAA 2000-4000	Any level of any technique course	2-3
HUM 2592	Introduction to the Arts in Medicine in a Global Context	3
HUM 3940L	Arts in Medicine Practicum 1	2
Total Credits		16-17

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¹ DAN 2390 is recommended for Dance majors and minors. DAA 1000 or DAN 2100 is otherwise recommended.
