

REHABILITATION SCIENCES, M.SC.

Rehabilitation Sciences

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Academic Staff: Please refer to the Rehabilitation Sciences website (<https://umanitoba.ca/rehabilitation-sciences/research-and-scholarly-activity/#our-researchers>) for current staff listing.

Rehabilitation Sciences Program Information

The College of Rehabilitation Sciences currently offers a Master of Science (Rehabilitation Sciences) degree program. The purpose of this program is to provide research training to individuals in the field of rehabilitation.

The College of Rehabilitation Sciences, along with the Faculty of Kinesiology and Recreation Management, offers a multi-faculty Ph.D. in Applied Health Sciences. (<https://catalog.umanitoba.ca/graduate-studies/graduate-studies/applied-health-sciences-phd/>)

Admission Information

Admission to the Faculty of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies

Application and Admission Procedures are found in the Academic Guide (<https://catalog.umanitoba.ca/graduate-studies/academic-guide/application-admission-registration-policies/>).

Admission requirements for Master's students are found in the Master's Degrees General Regulations (https://catalog.umanitoba.ca/graduate-studies/academic-guide/masters-degrees-general-regulations/#Admission_FGSMasters) section of the Guide.

Rehabilitation Sciences M.Sc. Admission Requirements

Admission requirements include a 4 year Baccalaureate degree or equivalent in Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Respiratory Therapy, or a related discipline (e.g., kinesiology, biomedical engineering, exercise science).

Application Information

Students should complete and submit their online application with supporting documentation by the date indicated on the Rehabilitation Sciences M.Sc. program of study (<https://umanitoba.ca/explore/programs-of-study/rehabilitation-sciences-msc/>) page.

Degree Requirements

All students must include REHB 7280 Rehabilitation Theory and Research Design (3 credit hours) as part of the required 12 credit hours of coursework. The remaining 9 credit hours are to be chosen by the student through consultation with the advisor.

A reduction from the minimum of 12 credit hours to 6 credit hours (REHB 7280 plus 3 additional credit hours) may be permitted for students entering the program with an entry-to-practice degree at the Master's level. In such cases, a specific program of study must be proposed by the primary advisor and approved by the Program Chair.

Expected Time to Graduate: 2-4 years

Progression Chart

Course	Title	Hours
Year 1		
GRAD 7300	Research Integrity Tutorial	0
GRAD 7500	Academic Integrity Tutorial	0
REHB 7280	Rehabilitation Theory and Research Design	3
Courses chosen in consultation with the advisor		9
Hours		12
Year 2		
GRAD 7000	Master's Thesis	0
Hours		0
Total Hours		12

Registration Information

Students should familiarize themselves with the Faculty of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies 'GRAD' courses applicable to their program (<https://catalog.umanitoba.ca/graduate-studies/registration-information/>). If you have questions about which GRAD course(s) to register in, please consult your home department/unit.

Prior to registration, all new and returning students must meet with their advisor to determine their program of study. All course additions and withdrawals (registration revisions) must be approved in the same manner.

Not all courses will be offered each year. Please check the Aurora catalog to find out when a course is offered.

Regulations

Students must meet the requirements as outlined in both Supplementary Regulation and BFAR documents as approved by Senate.

Supplementary Regulations

Individual units may require specific requirements above and beyond those of the Faculty of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies, and students should consult unit supplementary regulations (<https://umanitoba.ca/graduate-studies/supplementary-regulations/>) for these specific regulations.

Bona Fide Academic Requirements (BFAR)

Bona Fide Academic Requirements (BFAR) (<https://catalog.umanitoba.ca/graduate-studies/academic-guide/academic-performance-general/#BFAR>) represent the core academic requirements a graduate student must acquire in order to gain, and demonstrate acquisition of, essential knowledge and skills.

All students must successfully complete:

- GRAD 7300 prior to applying to any ethics boards which are appropriate to the student's research or within the student's first year, whichever comes first; and
- GRAD 7500 within the first term of registration;

unless these courses have been completed previously, as per Mandatory Academic Integrity Course (<https://catalog.umanitoba.ca/graduate-studies/academic-guide/academic-performance-general/#GRAD7500>) and Mandatory Research Integrity Online Course (<https://catalog.umanitoba.ca/graduate-studies/academic-guide/academic-performance-general/#GRAD7300>).

Students must also meet additional BFAR requirements (<https://umanitoba.ca/graduate-studies/student-experience/core-academic-requirements/#additional-requirements-by-program>) that may be specified for their program.

General Regulations

All students must:

- maintain a minimum degree grade point average of 3.0 with no grade below C+;
- meet the minimum and not exceed the maximum course requirements, and
- meet the minimum and not exceed the maximum time requirements (in terms of time in program and lapse or expiration of credit of courses).