BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN HEALTH SCIENCES WITH A MAJOR IN MEDICAL GENETICS AND MOLECULAR BIOLOGY, ASSISTED REPRODUCTIVE TECHNOLOGY CONCENTRATION

Code	Title

Credits

The following requirements must be fulfilled: 120 credits, including 45 to 60 transfer credits to satisfy the University General Education and advanced standing requirements; and a minimum of 60 credits taken at GW.

University General Education Requirement

3 credits in critical thinking in the humanities.

6 credits in critical thinking, quantative reasoning, or scientific reasoning in the social sciences.

3 credits in quantitative reasoning (college algebra, statistics, or higher)

6 credits of English composition

A course with an approved oral communication component. This requirement is satisfied by completing CERT 3005 in the required major curriculum.¹

Writing in the disciplines (WID) coursework satisfied by MLS 3001W and (MLS 2007W or HSCI 2112W or HSCI 4112W) program requirements. 1

Program prerequisites

8 credits in general biology I and II with lab

8 credits in general chemistry with lab

3 credits in organic chemistry, clinical chemistry or biochemistry²

4 credits in microbiology with lab²

3 credits in biotechnology²

16 credits in elective and/or additional required courses

Core requirements for the major that must be taken at GW

CERT 3005	Current Topics in Biomedical Sciences
MLS 3000	Clinical Laboratory Mathematics
MLS 3001W	Professional Ethics for Medical Laboratory Scientists
MLS 4141	Immunology and Serology

MLS 4151	Molecular Diagnostics	
MLS 4158	Laboratory Management and Operations	
MLS 4170	Introduction to Molecular Biology	
MLS 4171	Human Genetics	
MLS 4172	Molecular Diagnostics Capstone	
MLS 4217	Molecular Techniques	
MLS 4242	Applications of Molecular Testing	
MLS 4266	Molecular Diagnostics Practicum	
And one course selected from the following:		
MLS 2007W	Microbes and Society	
HSCI 2112W	Writing in the Health Sciences	
HSCI 4112W	Research and Writing in Health Sciences	
Additional required courses for the hybrid program option only		
MLS 4251	Molecular Diagnostics Laboratory	
MLS 4252	Applications of Molecular Testing Laboratory	

¹This requirement is fulfilled at GW post matriculation.

²This requirement can be fulfilled with transfer credit or by completing the course at GW.

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Assisted reproductive technology concentration requirements			
CERT 3004	Endocrinology for Health Sciences		
CERT 4010	Clinical Human Embryology		
CERT 4012	Clinical Human Andrology		
CERT 4014	Human Reproductive Cryobiology		
MLS 4995	Independent Research in Biomedical Laboratory Science		