

PRE-HEALTH



NO. 7

U.S. News & World
Report 2020



WHY CHOOSE **PRE-HEALTH** AT BRYANT?

If you are interested in a health care career, Bryant can help you create your path to achieve post-graduate success.

▶ *Benefit from working with a Pre-Health Advisor who can help you with course selection and schedules as well as guide you through the application process for medical school, physician assistant or other graduate programs.*

▶ *Participate in Bryant's health care mentor match program and connect with faculty who have expertise in all the areas of the health care industry that most interest you.*

▶ *Explore course offerings in health, medicine, and science. Take an EMT course for credit and start accruing critical direct patient care contact hours as early as your first year.*

COLBY NORRIS '19

*Medical Student at Uniformed Services
University of the Health Sciences
Bethesda, MD*



MAJOR: Biology, Pre-Health Track; Psychology

MINOR: Management

HOMETOWN: Toano, VA

PATH: Women's Softball; Honors Program; Senior Advisory Committee, Student Government; Science Tutor; Female Senior Scholar-Athlete of the Year Award; RI INBRE SURF Research Fellowship; Excellence in Biology Commencement Award; Commissioned Officer in the United States Air Force.

"The Biology and Psychology departments helped me in every part of my application. It sincerely takes a village to get accepted to medical school, and I am grateful that Bryant provided me with the very best one."



WHAT SETS BRYANT'S PROGRAM APART?

1 Meaningful, Mentored Learning Opportunities

- Benefit from one-on-one mentoring and guidance from our inspiring expert faculty. Work with Bryant's Pre-Health Advisor and award-winning teacher-scholars to design your academic path.
- Start working toward attaining direct patient contact hours required for some post-graduate programs by taking an EMT course as early as freshman year.
- Participate in 10-week, paid summer fellowships and engage with scientists at other area universities and research hospitals on real-world research funded by the National Science Foundation, National Institutes of Health and NASA

2 Facilities That Make a Difference

- From your first year, you have access to laboratory equipment, which is unheard of at larger schools.
- Work in our 8,300-square-foot complex that includes wet labs and six individualized research labs.
- Enhance your research through the use of equipment such as a scanning electron microscope, a rotary microtome, compound and dissecting microscopes, a fully equipped molecular geochemistry lab with two fume hoods, and more.



3 Real-World Outcomes

- The quality of our Pre-Health Program results in a large percentage of graduates going on to top graduate and pre-professional schools.
- Special agreements guarantee you interviews with Western New England School of Pharmacy and Bryant's Master of Science in Physician Assistant Studies programs.



- Whether you volunteer in a nearby hospital or shadow a doctor on rounds in the emergency room, the real-world experience you gain through the Pre-Health Program will impress medical and graduate school admission counselors.

Among Our Distinguished Faculty:



KIRSTEN HOKENESS, Ph.D.

*Professor of Science and Technology
Biology Department Chair
Pre-Health Advisor*

- Fields of interest include immunity, health, and disease.
- Awarded research funding from RI IDEa Network for Excellence in Biomedical Research.
- Recipient of *Providence Business News* 40 Under Forty award recognizing excellence in her field and community involvement.

BRYANT GRADUATES ARE IN DEMAND

In leading graduate programs and employers including:

- > Bryant University Master of Physician Assistant Studies Program
- > Case Western University Accelerated Masters of Nursing Program
- > Duke University Second Degree Accelerated Nursing Program
- > Epivax
- > Lipscomb University Pharmacy Doctoral Program
- > Massachusetts General Hospital Accelerated BSN/NP Program
- > Medtronic Corp.
- > Northeastern University Biology Ph.D. Program
- > University of Birmingham, UK, Medical School
- > University of Massachusetts Medical School
- > University of Rhode Island Pharmacy Doctoral Program
- > University of Toledo Molecular Biology Ph.D. Program
- > Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences
- > UTHealth School of Dentistry

To learn more about Pre-Health or other programs at Bryant, please contact:

Office of Admission • 401.232.6100 • 800.622.7001 • admission@bryant.edu