Health Education Teaching Endorsement Licensure Pathways and the VT-HEC Health Program

The following table identifies the Vermont Agency of Education endorsement requirements for candidates seeking to add health endorsement to their current teaching credentials so they can teach Health Education in Vermont schools. The table considers the various educational backgrounds and the health endorsement requirements needed to add the endorsement.

18 Credits: Vermont Higher Education Collaborative (VT-HEC) Health Education Coursework

- Personal and Community Health Concepts
- Principles and Methods for Teaching Effective Health Education
- Nutrition and Food Education
- Human Sexuality and STD Prevention
- Substance Misuse Prevention
- Injury and Violence Prevention

Current Vermont Teaching Endorsement	Coursework	Required Field Experience	Additional Requirements
Physical Education Science: Biology	18 credit of Health Coursework (Note: Nutrition may not be necessary if already on college transcript)	60 hour practicum in Health Education	Praxis II: Health Education First Aid CPR-AED
Many licensed educators such as: Elementary Education English Language Arts Mathematics School Counselor Social Studies	 Anatomy and Physiology* Six VT-HEC Health courses *Anatomy and Physiology is not offered through VT-HEC 	60 hour practicum in Health Education	Praxis II: Health Education First Aid CPR-AED
School Nurse School Social Worker	 Meet Vermont's Core Teaching Standards Requirements Anatomy and Physiology Six VT-HEC Health courses 	60 hour practicum in Health Education Student Teaching (480 hrs.)	Praxis Core or Approved Alternate Praxis II: Health Education First Aid CPR-AED