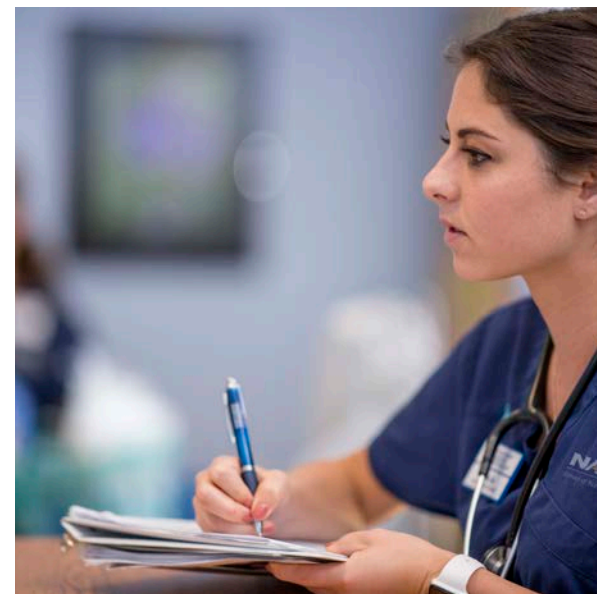
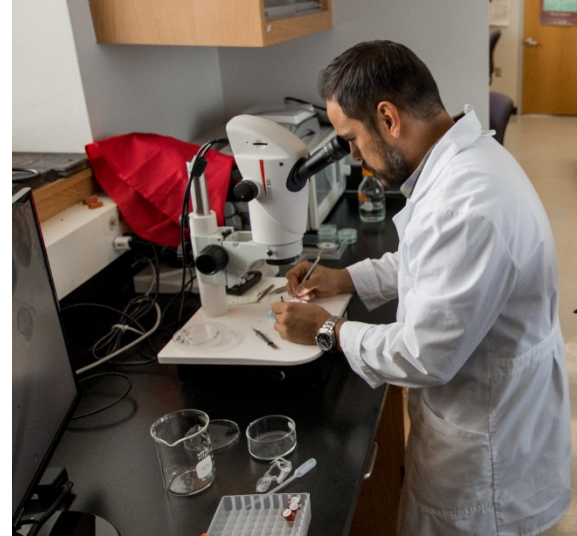


# Welcome



**BRING YOUR  
ASPIRATIONS**



# Pursue a career in compassion

Preparing students for all facets  
of healthcare and health  
promotion.





# what we offer

**35** degree programs  
and certificates

**6** departments

**4** community clinics



# CHHS Departments

**We offer the training and skills to make a difference**

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## Undergraduate

**Dental Hygiene**

## Undergrad and Grad

**Communication  
Science and  
Disorders**

**Health Sciences**

**Nursing**

## Graduate

**Athletic Training**

**Occupational  
Therapy**

**Physical Therapy**

**Physician Assistant  
Studies**



# The CHHS Experience

## We offer hands-on learning opportunities

Land a clinical rotation at an organization like the **Indian Health Service**.

Gain real-world experience at the **National Institutes of Health**.

**Volunteer** to serve the underserved in a **clinical setting**.

Collaborate with faculty to **conduct research** designed to improve patient care.

Pursue an advanced degree at our cutting-edge **Phoenix Biomedical Campus**.

Learn at our state-of-the-art facilities, including our Nursing Simulation Labs in Flagstaff, Tucson, and Yuma.



# who we are

Our programs in healthcare  
are well established,  
nationally accredited,  
and of the highest  
educational quality.



# CHHS Faculty

## Engaged experts who are:

- motivated scholars and professionals
- focused on students and their success
- proud to be mentors
- active researchers in a multitude of areas and fields

*"Our faculty are leaders in championing healthcare innovation and sustainable practice."*



**Dr. O'neil Guthrie**

### **Communication Sciences and Disorders**

- Associate Professor
- Director of the Cell and Molecular Pathology Laboratory
- Conducting research to help repair cells damaged by noise and prevent hearing loss



**Dr. Dirk de Heer**

### **Health Sciences**

- Associate Professor
- Working to address whether physical therapy utilization is associated with downstream health outcomes in large national databases



# CHHS Students

## Fostering success through:

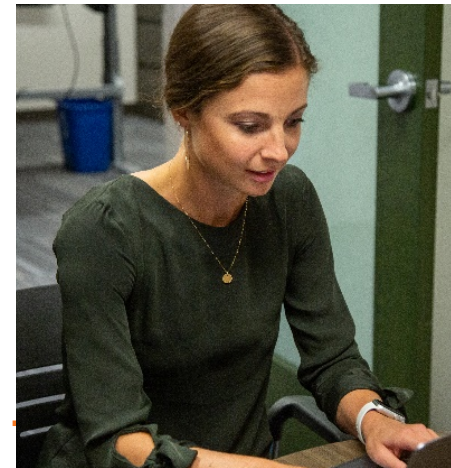
- hands-on experiences
- access to mentors
- connection to academic resources
- financial support
- meaningful opportunities in and out of the classroom



**Mia Ornelas**

### Nursing

- Undergraduate researcher
- Research focuses on protecting substance-exposed newborns and their mothers.



### Interdisciplinary Health PhD

- Conducting research to understand how exercise programs can be implemented to fight diabetes, obesity, and other health issues.
- Using applied statistics certificate to analyze data critical to her research.

“At NAU, there are a ton of research opportunities to be able to help different communities of people live better lives.” – Taylor Lane

# CHHS Outcomes

## Readying the next generation of professionals

Prepare to pass state and national board exams and launch your successful healthcare career.

### Job growth

- Employment of healthcare occupations is projected to grow 14% from 2018 to 2028, much faster than the average for all occupations
- This growth will add 1.9 million new healthcare jobs.

– Bureau of Labor Statistics

### Community involvement

- Through community impact, our CHHS graduates gain a wide perspective on the role quality healthcare plays in AZ and beyond.
- Last year, our students performed 566,000 hours of service in our communities.

For the last three years, all 13 accredited CHHS programs have licensure examination pass rates **higher than the national average.**

# Ready to be a Lumberjack?

For more information:  
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