

2019-2020 HEOA CONSUMER INFORMATION DISCLOSURES

The United States Department of Education (ED) requires all institutions of higher education who receive federal student financial assistance to disclose certain information to consumers, such as students, prospective students, parents, and employees. This is done in accordance with the Higher Education Act of 1965 (HEA, as amended by the Higher Education Opportunity Act of 2008 (HEOA)). [Visit the HEOA site for more information.](#)

General University Information

Academic Programs

[Program Offerings](#)

Instructional Facilities

The University's principal facility resides on a 25-acre site in Bloomington, Minnesota. The 300,000-square-foot facility includes ten lecture halls, biological science laboratories, methods laboratories, library, computer labs, athletic facilities, swimming pool, auditorium, cafeteria and three clinical environments.

The University maintains additional clinical facilities around the Twin Cities metropolitan area. A campus map can be found [here](#).

Faculty

[Faculty Directory](#)

Accreditation, Approvals, and Licensing

Northwestern Health Sciences University is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission, a regional accreditation agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education.

[Accreditation, Approvals, and Licensing](#)

Consumer Information on College Navigator Website

Find Northwestern Health Sciences University on [College Navigator](#). Information on the Student Right to Know graduation rate, undergraduate student body diversity, and Pell grant recipients can be found on this site.

Copyright and Responsibilities of Users of Electronic Resources

[Copyright guidelines](#) and related [library support services](#)

[Computer Use and File Sharing](#)

Facilities and Services Available to Students with Disabilities

[Disability Services](#)

Net Price Calculator

[Net Price Calculator](#)

Price of Attendance

[Tuition, Fees, and Other Costs](#)

Privacy of Student Records

[Family Education Rights and Privacy Act \(FERPA\)](#)

Student Activities

[Student Clubs and Organizations](#)

Student Body Diversity

As of September 17, 2019, NWHSU enrolled 1056 students. The majority of students are enrolled full-time; 57% are female; roughly 37% of students report being white and 55% do not report their race and/or ethnicity and are thus “unknown”. During the 2017-2018 academic year, 24 students received Pell grants.

Textbook Information

[Booklists at Northwestern Health Sciences University Bookstore](#)

Transfer of Credit Policies and Articulation Agreements

[Transfer of Credit Policy](#)

[Articulation Agreements](#)

Refund Policy, Requirements for Withdrawal and Return of Title IV Financial Aid

[Tuition Refund Policy](#)

[Withdrawal Policy](#)

[Federal Title IV and State of MN Funds Refund Policies](#)

Student Financial Assistance

Code of Conduct for Education Loans

[Code of Conduct for Educational Loans](#)

Federal Financial Aid Penalties for Drug Law Violations

NWHSU is committed to creating a safe and welcoming environment for students, employees, patients, and guests. [The drug and alcohol use policy](#) describes acceptable uses and penalties when the policy is violated.

In addition to campus sanctions and criminal penalties, a student who has been convicted of a [drug-related violation](#) under federal or state law can be disqualified for federal financial aid funding.

Those convicted of possessing illegal drugs will lose financial aid eligibility for:

- First offense – one year from date of conviction
- Second offense – two years from date of conviction

- Third+ offense(s) – indefinitely

Those convicted of selling illegal drugs will lose financial aid eligibility for:

- First offense – two years from date of conviction
- Second offense – indefinitely

Entrance and Exit Counseling

[Entrance Counseling and How to Apply](#)
[Exit Counseling](#)

Default Rates

[Title IV Loan Default Rates](#)

National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS)

Student Loan information on [NSLDS](#) (The US Department of Education's federal loan data system which records all student loan history and servicer information, and will be accessible by guaranty agencies, lenders, and institutions determined to be authorized users of the data system).

Obtaining Institutional or Financial Aid Information

[Financial Aid Contacts](#)

Preferred Lender Lists, Arrangements, and Loan Disclosures

[Alternative Loan Information \(Non-Federal Loans/Private Loans\)](#)
[General Loan Information](#)

State Grant Assistance

[Minnesota Grant Assistance](#)

US Department of Education (ED) Student Loan Information

[StudentLoans.gov](#) (Provides a variety of information regarding federal loans)

Health and Safety

Campus Security

[Campus Safety](#)
[Campus Safety Report](#)
[Emergency Plan](#)
[2019 Annual Security Report](#)

Drug and Alcohol Abuse

[Drug and Alcohol Use Policy](#)

Title IX Compliance

[Title IX Policy](#)

Vaccination Policy

[Immunizations](#)

Student Outcomes

Retention Rates

NWHSU measures cohort persistence as the proportion of students who start in their first term and are enrolled on census day and who remain enrolled until the census day of their second term. The university's Fall 2019 aggregated cohort persistence rate was 74.1%

Graduation Rates

NWHSU measures completion rates by determining the proportion of students who are enrolled on census day of their first term and who complete their program within 150% of their program's time to complete. The university's Fall 2019 aggregated graduation rate was 67.9%

Job Placement

NWHSU does not offer job placement services or calculate job placement rates. Some program pages may offer more information on related measures.

For more information, see [NWHSU Student Body and Outcomes Fact Sheet](#)

Voter Registration

[MN Voter Registration Information](#)

[Northwestern Health Sciences University Voter Information](#)

Gainful Employment

Please view the following disclosure categories to find the detailed data, reports, and/or information.

Gainful Employment Disclosures

[Certificate in Chinese Medical Massage](#)

[Certificate in Massage Therapy](#)

[Certificate in Relaxation Massage](#)