Integrative Health Sciences Department

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Department Overview
The Integrative Health Sciences (ISCI) Department provides foundational and specialized science courses for most of Maryland University of Integrative Health’s programs. For program-specific requirements, please refer to each program’s section in the Academic Catalog.

Purpose
The mission of the ISCI department is to provide innovative coursework that enables students to understand and apply health sciences within the context of integrative health disciplines.

Goals
Students in ISCI courses will develop the knowledge, skills, and habits of mind to:
- Describe health and disease from the perspective of the biomedical sciences
- Explain health and disease from an integrative and biopsychosocial perspective
- Assess the biological basis for complementary and integrative health therapies
- Analyze the scientific evidence for benefits and harms from complementary and integrative health therapies
- Use and value scientific principles and evidence as part of analysis and decision making in healthcare
Course of Study
The ISCI department serves the following programs:

Doctoral Degrees
Doctor of Acupuncture
Doctor of Clinical Nutrition
Doctor of Oriental Medicine

Master’s Degrees
Master of Acupuncture
Master of Arts in Health and Wellness Coaching
Master of Oriental Medicine
Master of Science in Health Promotion
Master of Science in Nutrition and Integrative Health
Master of Science in Therapeutic Herbalism
Master of Science in Yoga Therapy

Academic Certificates
Post-Baccalaureate Certificate in Health and Wellness Coaching
Post-Baccalaureate Certificate in Herbal Studies
Post-Master’s Certificate in Nutrition and Integrative Health