1) There are 4 undergraduate majors within the department of Allied Health Sciences.
   a. Allied Health Sciences (AHS)
   b. Dietetics (DIET)
   c. Diagnostic Genetic Sciences (DGS)
   d. Medical Laboratory Sciences (MLS)

2) **Allied Health Sciences major:**
   a. **Designed for:**
      i. Students who are interested in pursuing a career in healthcare but not sure what.
      ii. Students seeking employment in healthcare.
      iii. Students pursuing admission to graduate professional health programs
   b. **Admission:** upon entry to the university or by competitive admission from other majors within the university.
      i. Fall 2020 application deadline for internal applicants: **Monday, September 7th**
      ii. **On-line application submission only** (We no longer accept mail, fax or hand delivered applications). [Alliedhealthadmissions@uconn.edu](mailto:Alliedhealthadmissions@uconn.edu).
      iii. Spring 2020 admission stats:
         - Cum GPA 3.47
         - Science GPA 3.36
         - Accepted – 66% of applicants
            a. 20% from regional campuses; 80% Storrs (up by 10% at regionals from last fall)
            b. Largest group sophomore standing at 58%
   iv. **Pass/Fail:**
      - The AHS Admissions Committee will accept student petitions that include AHS prerequisite courses placed on P/F in spring/summer 2020 only.
      - As always, applications will be considered in total and other components will continue to factor into admission decisions.
      - The deadline for application will not change.
   c. **Waterbury Campus:**
      The Allied Health Sciences major will being offering its program on the WTBY campus. Students can complete the major there without campus change to Storrs! Tamara Kaliszewski [Tamara.kaliszewski@uconn.edu](mailto:Tamara.kaliszewski@uconn.edu) will be moving to the campus to oversee the major and serve as advisor and resource to students, faculty and staff. Management related to the major will process through her office and the department on the Storrs campus.

3) **Professional majors (DIET, DGS and MLS):** No program changes for 2020-2021
   a. Competitive admission - junior/senior programs
   b. Requires a supplemental application in spring sophomore year
   c. Students graduate with the major and sit for their respective professional licensure

4) **Graduate/Post-Baccalaureate Programs**
   a. Masters or PhD in Health Promotion Sciences – applications continue to increase in #.
   b. Masters in Health Care Genetics
   c. CP Masters in Dietetics
   d. Professional Certification programs MLS and DGS

5) **Academic Advising Center** - staffed by 7 advisors whose primary responsibility is to assist students to explore career options and decide on a major.
   a. New Advisor – interviews in progress!
   b. By appointment or drop-in (Koons 100); NEXUS not open to non-majors during peak advising times (first week of classes and the 5 weeks prior to registration); drop-in hours limited.
   c. Students’ questions should be directed to [alliedhealthadvising@uconn.edu](mailto:alliedhealthadvising@uconn.edu)
   d. Information sessions: TBD
Regional campus students at AVPT, HTFD, and STFD should utilize the Advising Center email for student inquiries. WTBY – direct advising questions to Tamara

6) For more information:
   a. Website: www.alliedhealth.uconn.edu
      - Student Forms and Support link on the main webpage
      - New suggested sequence of courses to be posted by the end of May. (Available under academic advising)
   b. Advising Center: alliedhealthadvising@uconn.edu
   c. Main Office: Alliedhealthsciences@uconn.edu (for inquiries NOT related to advising)
   d. Allied Health Sciences admission:
      i. Website: https://alliedhealth.uconn.edu/undergrad/ahsmajor/undergraduate-admissions/
      ii. Email: alliedhealthadmissions@uconn.edu