## **Nebraska Wesleyan University**

Catalog 2015-2016

# **HHP 2500 Human Nutrition I**

2 hours

Majors, Minors & Degrees:

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Athletic Training (B.S.) Exercise Science (B.S.) Health and Fitness Studies (B.S.) Health and Physical Education (B.S.)

#### Majors (Adult)

Health Science (B.S.)

### Departments/Programs:

Health and Human Performance

This is a course designed to provide students with the basic scientific principles of nutrition focusing on their personal choices and experiences. The student will develop a definition of nutrition, and learn how nutrition has evolved. The student will be introduced to the concepts of: essential nutrient classifications, defining and developing a healty diet, recommendations for specific nutrients, eating disorders, energy balance and obesity, body composition, lifetime nutrition (infancy to older adults), and food/beverage choices and the influence on chronic disease and optimal wellbeing. (Normally offered each semester)