

Effective for the catalog year 2020-2021, students who declare **Biomedical Sciences** as their undergraduate degree will need to complete the following courses with a minimum grade of a “C” prior to transitioning from “Pending” into their major:

- BSC 2010C Biology 1\*
- CHM 2045C Chemistry 1\*/\*\*
- CHM 2046 Chemistry 2\*
- CHM 2210 Organic 1

\*Test credit accepted

\*\*or CHM 2040 and CHM 2041 each with a C or better

**Important note: All majors under the College of Medicine, Burnett School of Biomedical Sciences will be subject to a Progress Policy effective for the catalog year 2020-2021:**

- The goal of this policy is to help guide students who are not progressing well in academic majors offered by COM and assist them in finding a path for success at UCF:
  - Withdrawal Component:
    - Students with 3 withdrawal (W) grades will be placed in a probationary status due to lack of academic progress with the college.
    - Students with 5 withdrawal (W) grades will then be encouraged to meet with an advisor from the Knights Student Success Center (KSSC) for selection of a different major.
    - Medical withdrawals are not included in this withdrawal component.
  - Low Grade Component:
    - Students who have 5 low grades (C-, D, F, W, NC, U) will be placed on a probationary status due to lack of academic progress and will be encouraged to meet with a peer mentor for major advising.
    - Students who earn more than 8 low grades (C-, D, F, W, NC, U), will then be encouraged to meet with an advisor from Knights Student Success Center (KSSC) for selection of a different major.
  - Repeat Course Component:
    - Students with 2 unsuccessful attempts of the same UCF course will be placed on a probationary status due to lack of academic progress and will be encouraged to meet with a peer mentor for major advising.
    - Students with 3 unsuccessful attempts of the same UCF course will then be encouraged to meet with an advisor from the Knights Student Success Center (KSSC) for selection of a different major.
- More details on the internal policies, logistics, tracking and who will be the point person for the progress policy enforcement will be determined in early 2020.