



Pursuant to KRS 223:030, a college minor or twenty-four (24) semester hours in environmental health, biological science or physical science are required to register with the Cabinet as a REHS. The courses below are approved by the Cabinet for this purpose; they will be periodically reviewed and may be revised. Additionally, given ongoing advancements in science and changes in collegiate course descriptions, subject to review and approval by the Cabinet, up to 6 of the required 24 semester hours may be in environmental health and science courses not explicitly listed.

ACCEPTED REGISTERED ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH SPECIALIST COURSES LIST:

Aerospace, Aeronautical & Astro Engineering

Agriculture
Agronomy
Air Pollution
Anatomy
Animal Behavior

Animal Science
Architectural Engineering
Atmospheric Sciences

Bacteriology Biochemistry Bioengineering

Biology

Biomedical Engineering

Biostatistics
Botany
Cell Biology
Cell Physiology
Ceramic Engineering

Chemistry
Civil, Construction &

Ecology

Transportation
Engineering
Communicable Diseases
Community Health
Dairy Science
Earth Science

Electrical, Electronics & Communicational

Engineering Embryology

Emergency Preparedness &

Mgmt.
Endocrinology
Engineering Physics,
Engineering

Mechanics

Engineering Science & Technologies Entomology

Environmental Engineering Environmental Health

Environmental Mgmt.

Environmental Risk Assessment

Environmental Sciences
Environmental-Borne Diseases
(foodborne, waterborne &

vector borne) Epidemiology

Exploration Geophysics Food Bacteriology Food Science

Forestry Genetics

Geography Sciences
Geology & Geological

Engineering

Geophysics

Geophysical Engineering Hazard Materials

Technology Hazardous Waste Health Science Histology

Housing & Institutional

Health

Horticulture

Human Anatomy & Physiology

Hydrology Industrial &

Mgmt.

Engineering Industrial Hygiene

Limnology

Materials Engineering Mechanical Engineering

Meteorology Microbiology Mining and Mineral Engineering

Molecular Biology Natural Resources

Naval Architecture & Marine

Honesty

Engineering

Nutrition Occupational Health & Safety Occupational Health &

Science

Oceanography & Ocean

Engineering Parasitology Pathology

Petroleum Engineering

Physics (General, Molecular) Physiology Plant Taxonomy

Public Health Emergency

Prep & Mgmt. Quantitative Sciences Radiological Health

Sanitary Engineering Seismology

Sewage Sanitation

Soil Science

Solid Waste Mgmt. Textile Engineering

Toxicology Vector & Pest Sciences/Mgmt.

Virology

Water & Wastewater

Mgmt.

Water Resources

(natural & man-made)

Water Treatment

Zoology

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Our REACH Values: Responsiveness Equity Accountability Collaboration

