



UNIVERSITY OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS HEALTH SERVICES

MISSION

UNIVERSITY OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS's Health Services is the caring intersection between health and education, fostering wellness one student at a time. Our mission is to promote a sense of optimum well-being by providing medical assistance, referrals, preventive health education and community awareness to ensure a state of physical, mental, emotional, social and spiritual wellness within the University community members.

CULTURAL DIVERSITY STATEMENT

The staff of Health Services Center at the UNIVERSITY OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS values the health of the campus community. We strive to embrace diversity by our commitment to the values of respect and equality of all individuals who elect to visit Health Services.

We, therefore, agree to:

- Foster an atmosphere of respect and inclusion of all students
- Promote cultural competency for all staff concerning race, ethnicity, gender, disability, religion, and all other diverse populations
- Recruitment and retention efforts focusing on a qualified and diverse application pool
- Incorporate diversity training in our new employee orientation by addressing diversity in the workplace, on campus, and by encouraging new employees to recognize and accept the differences of others
- Require staff involvement in diversity programs on campus and ongoing diversity training to join with the university's commitment to a diverse environment.

By supporting these principles, Health Services will continue to offer quality healthcare to all students in the university community.



HEALTH SERVICES VISION

UNIVERSITY OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS's Health Services will promote a caring community dedicated to enhancing an understanding of public health concerns that demonstrate respect for the protection of one's own health and the health of others. The result will be educated students who assume responsibility for a healthy environment and who are prepared to be productive citizens in a global society.

GOALS

- ◆ Foster a healthy campus community
- ◆ Implement health promotion, disease prevention, and health protection
- ◆ Improve students' health
- ◆ Support students' educational achievement
- ◆ Promote healthy learning environments
- ◆ Develop skills for long-term healthy lifestyles