

# Molecular Diagnostics

Bachelor of Science Degree



Grand Rapids

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## Medicine's New Frontier

Prepare to solve some of the greatest challenges in human medicine.

At the forefront of human medicine, scientists are unlocking the secrets of our DNA to create personalized treatments and help physicians make better medical decisions. With your bachelor's degree in Molecular Diagnostics, you can join their ranks and begin a career on the cutting-edge, performing the advanced genetic testing required for precision medicine.

As a molecular scientist, you will have a significant impact on the lives of patients by developing and utilizing the latest diagnostic tools. Use your Ferris degree to open the doors to this rapidly growing field, where you will push the boundaries of what is possible in medicine.

“Molecular Diagnostics is growing so rapidly and Ferris has allowed me to jump into the field as it emerges. The technology and lab techniques we're learning are really something to brag about, and I couldn't have asked for more caring, knowledgeable instructors to help guide me toward success.”

—Rachael Mueller  
Student

### Program Highlights

#### At the Heart of Medicine

Our location, just a block from the Medical Mile, means you will find yourself right across the street from employers and patients who need your expertise.

#### World-Class Faculty and Facility

Our Molecular Diagnostics faculty are experienced, certified professionals, dedicated to guiding you through our state-of-the-art laboratory classroom and into a professional lab.

#### Professional Internships

Complete your degree with a 12-week internship at one of our affiliated laboratories. We will place you with an organization to ensure your transition to the professional world is seamless.

## TAKE THE NEXT STEP

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Molecular diagnostics is a rapidly evolving field with growth rates much higher than the national average. You will find opportunities with a diverse range of organizations, including:

Hospitals

Research Labs

Private Genetics Labs

Pharmaceutical Labs

Break new ground. Start today.

## A Unique Approach

The differences in our genes make each of us the unique individuals we are. But those differences pose a challenge to conventional medicine. Molecular scientists, however, are using those differences to their advantage, providing diagnoses and treatments customized to the unique genetic makeup of each patient.

## Your City, Your Degree

Explore medicine's new frontier right here in Grand Rapids. Our GR-based program and proximity to the opportunities found on the Medical Mile will allow you to break new ground in molecular diagnostics without leaving West Michigan. Your future just got a whole lot more convenient.

## Within Reach

We're all about higher education without the higher costs. We've built a unique relationship with Grand Rapids Community College, allowing you to take courses at their inexpensive tuition rate and apply them directly to your Ferris degree. It's within reach.

**This program is available in:**  
Big Rapids and Grand Rapids

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