

# M.P.H. in Public Health Minimum Total Credit Hours: 42 Course Requirements MPH Program - 42 credit hours

**Public Health Core (15 hours)** 

- PH 505 Health Program Planning (3 hours)
- PH 528 Public Health Policy (3 hours)
- Jour/IMC 585 Health Communication (3 hours)
- PH 610 Biostatistics for Public Health Practice (3 hours)
- PH 646 Epidemiology (3 hours)

### **Public Health Practicum (6 hours)**

• PH 698 - Public Health Practicum (1-6 hours)

### Electives (3-12 hours)

- PH 600 Foundations of Public Health (3 hours)
- Required in the first semester for students without an undergraduate degree in public health
- PH 515 Motivational Interviewing (3 hours)
- PH 595 Human Health and Illness (3 hours)
- PH 620 Emerging Issues in Public Health (3 hours)
- PH 665 Special Topics in Health Behavior (3 hours)
- Other courses across campus in areas of interest

### Concentrations (9-18 hours)

Students will select one concentration in community health or epidemiology or a combined community health and epidemiology concentration which would require 9 credits from each of epidemiology and community health.

## **Community Health Concentration (9 hours)**

- PH 555: Health Equity (3 hours)
- PH 635: Theories in Health (3 hours)
- PH 685: Health Program Evaluation (3 hours)

### **Epidemiology Concentration (9 hours)**

- PH 670: Applied Epidemiology (3 hours)
- PH 674: Chronic Disease Epidemiology (3 hours)
- PH 680: Infectious Disease Epidemiology (3 hours)

## **Other Academic Requirements**

## Integrative Learning Experience (ILE)

In the last semester of their degree, students will complete a comprehensive exam to satisfy the CEPH requirement for an integrative learning experience (ILE).

## Specializations

- Concentration Community Health
  - o Emphasis Community Health (Online)
  - Emphasis Community Health (Resident)
- Concentration Community HIth & Epidem
  - o Emphasis Commun Hlth/Epidem (Online)
  - Emphasis Commun Hlth/Epidem (Resident)
- Concentration Epidemiology
  - o Emphasis Epidemiology (Online)
  - o Emphasis Epidemiology (Resident)

