

Community Health Promotion MPH

The Community Health Promotion (CHP) MPH program trains students to work with populations to improve health. The curriculum emphasizes the importance of using research and social science to assess population behavioral health patterns and psychosocial risk factors; design community-wide prevention and intervention programs; influence health policies; and evaluating outcomes of behavioral health change. The program requires a minimum of 48 credits.

PUBLIC HEALTH CORE REQUIREMENTS

20 credits

The basic curriculum courses are offered online and on-campus:

- PubH 6250** Foundations of Public Health (2 cr)
- PubH 6450** Biostatistics I (4 cr)
- PubH 6101** Environmental Health (2 cr) **or**
- PubH 6102** Issues in Environmental and Occupational Health (2 cr)
- PubH 6320** Fundamentals of Epidemiology (3 cr) **or**
- PubH 6341** Epidemiologic Methods I (3 cr)
- PubH 6741** Ethics in Public Health: Professional Practice and Policy (1 cr)
- PubH 6751** Principles of Management in Health Services (2 cr)
- PubH 6050** Community Health Theory and Practice I (3 cr)
- PubH 6051** Community Health Theory and Practice II (3 cr)

APPLIED PRACTICE EXPERIENCE

PubH 7096 (1-2 credits)

INTEGRATED LEARNING EXPERIENCE

PubH 7094 (1-2 credits)

ASSESSMENT METHODS

- PubH 6034** Evaluation (3 cr) **or**
- PubH 6852** Program Evaluation in Health and Mental Health Settings (2 cr)
- PubH 6035** Applied Research Methods (3 cr)

ADDITIONAL ASSESSMENT METHODS COURSES

Select one courses from the following list:

- PubH 6636** Qualitative Research Methods (2 cr)
- PubH 6414** Biostatistics Literacy (3 cr)
- PubH 6451** Biostatistics II (4 cr)
- PubH 6617** Practical Methods in Secondary Data Analysis (3 cr)

HEALTH BEHAVIOR AND POLICY INTERVENTIONS

INTERVENTION APPROACHES

Select at least two courses from the following list:

- PubH 6025** Designing e-Interventions for Public Health (2 cr)
- PubH 6045** Skills for Policy Development I (1 cr)
- PubH 6049** Legislative Advocacy Skills for Public Health (3 cr)
- PubH 6066** Building Communities, Increasing Health: Preparing for Community Health Work (2 cr)
- PubH 6074** Mass Communication and Public Health (3 cr)
- PubH 6078** Public Health Policy as a Prevention Strategy (2 cr)

CRITICAL ISSUES INTERVENTIONS

Select at least one course from the following list:

- PubH 6081** Sex, Sexuality and Sexual Health (2 cr)
- PubH 6000** Topics: Urban Health and Social Policy (2 cr)
- PubH 6010** Public Health Approaches to HIV/AIDS (3 cr)
- PubH 6055** Social Inequalities in Health (2 cr)
- PubH 6094** Obesity and Eating Disorders (2 cr)

ELECTIVES COURSES

Choose electives in consultation with your academic advisor.