MPH in Public Health Policy and Management Program Level Competencies

- Use evidence-based concepts to critique the financing and delivery of medical services in the United States and to analyze the impact health system reform on efficiency, equity, and population health.

- Provide leadership in public and private organizations, manage programs and projects, and utilize critical thinking, systems thinking and self-reflection to resolve technical problems, ethical challenges and interpersonal conflicts.

- Construct and interpret budgets, apply accepted financial concepts and analyze the fiscal status of public health, for-profit and non-profit health care organizations.

- Describe the state and federal processes that govern the delivery of health services, analyze the impact of legislative and regulatory proposals on population health, and create products that inform others about contemporary health policy issues.

- Collaborate with local advocacy groups to critically analyze public health problems, formulate legislative solutions and develop evidence-based justifications to secure bipartisan support.