MPH – Public Health Policy and Management (PHPM) Curriculum and Recommended Course Sequencing

MPH – PHPM Curriculum (effective for 2019/2020 academic catalog)

**Required Core Courses (16 units)**
- EPID 573A Basic Principles of Epidemiology (3)
- PHPM 574 Public Health Policy and Management (3)
- EHS 575 Environmental and Occupational Health (3)
- BIOS 576A Biostatistics in Public Health (3)
- HPS 577 Sociocultural and Behavioral Aspects of Public Health (3)
- PHPM 580 Integrated Public Health Learning Experience (1)
- Internship Preparation Workshop (*required; non-credit*)
- Interprofessional Education Activities (*documentation required; non-credit*)

**Required PHPM Courses (26 units)**
- PHPM 510 The US Health Care System (3)
- PHPM 567 Public Health Leadership & Management (3)
- PHPM 569 Fundamentals of Health Budgeting and Financial Management (3)
- PHPM 617 Advanced Public Health Policy Analysis (3)
- PHPM 696P Public Health Policy & Management Field Seminar (2)
- Service Learning 597 Course (1)
- Elective Courses (approved by faculty mentor) (8)
- PHPM 909 Master’s Report “Internship” (3)

Total Credit Requirement = 42 credits

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**First Year**

**Fall Semester (12 units)**
- PHPM 510 The US Health Care System (3)
- EPID 573A Basic Principles of Epidemiology (3) †
- PHPM 574 Public Health Policy & Management (3) †
- HPS 577 Sociocultural & Behavioral Aspects of Public Health (3) †

**Spring Semester (10 units)**
- PHPM 567 Public Health Leadership & Management (3)
- BIOS 576A Biostatistics in Public Health (3) †
- Any 597 Service Learning Course (1) #
- Elective (approved by Faculty Advisor) (3)
- Internship Preparation Workshop (*required; non-credit*)

**Second Year**

**Fall Semester (11 units)**
- PHPM 569 Fundamentals of Health Budgeting and Management (3)
- EHS 575 Environmental & Occupational Health (3) †
- PHPM 909 Master’s Report “Internship” (3) ‡
- Elective (approved by Faculty Advisor) (2)

**Spring Semester (9 units)**
- PHPM 617 Advanced Public Health Policy Analysis (3)
- PHPM 696P Public Health Policy & Management Field Seminar (2)
- PHPM 580 Integrated Public Health Learning Experience (1)
- Elective (approved by Faculty Advisor) (3)

† All core courses are offered during the fall and spring semesters allowing greater flexibility in course sequencing than shown above; however, PHPM 574 Public Health Policy and Management should be taken during the first enrolled semester. The modality of instruction (in-person and on-line) of core courses varies semester-to-semester and is subject to change.

All five MPH core courses must be completed prior to the student’s final semester.

# Service Learning courses, indicated by the course number 597, are offered during all semesters and can be taken from any educational unit within the college.

‡ The Applied Learning Experience is a self-directed activity designed by the student in collaboration with a community-preceptor and a faculty advisor. Students are expected to apply their newly gained competencies to a practical problem within their chosen discipline in a field-based setting. Students with more involved projects may enroll in up to 6 credits distributed across 2 or more semesters.