

The University of Georgia College of Public Health

Master of Public Health Degree Requirements – Health Policy and Management

Effective Fall Semester 2008

The M.P.H. requires a minimum of 45 semester hours of coursework, including the completion of an internship. To graduate, students must pass a final culminating competency exam. The curriculum comprises the following courses:

M.P.H. Core Requirement Courses: 15 hours

- BIOS 7010 Introductory Biostatistics I
- EHSC 7060 Fundamentals of Environmental Health
- EPID 7010 Introduction to Epidemiology I
- HPAM 7600 Introduction to Health Policy and Management
- HPRB 7050 Social and Behavioral Foundations of Public Health

Health Policy and Management Core Requirement Courses: 12 hours

- HPAM 8600 Health Economics
- HPAM 8800 Leadership in Public Health
- HPAM 8810 Health Policy Planning and Evaluation
- HPAM 8400 Policy and Economic Analysis in Public Health

Other Required Courses: 7 hours

- PBHL 7560 Internship in Public Health (6 hours) – Requires 300 clock hours in an appropriate Public Health setting. Students choose the site for their internship with the assistance of the Internship coordinator.
- PBHL 8200 Seminar in Public Health (1 hour)

Electives: 12 hours

HPAM Electives:

- HPAM 7350 Disaster Training for Health Professionals
- HPAM 7400 Public Health Law
- HPAM 7700 Public Health Ethics
- HPAM 8850 Economic Evaluation in Public Health
- HPAM 8300 Research Methods
- HPAM 8910 Emergency Management
- GRNT 6000 Seminar in Aging
- GRNT 6010 Biogerontology
- GRNT 6650 Aging in Society
- GRNT 6700 Psychology of Aging
- GRNT 7266 Death, Dying, and Bereavement
- GRNT 8200 Public Health and Aging
- GRNT/EPID 8300 Epidemiology of Aging

Other Electives:

- EADU 8110 Community Development
- HPRB 6610 Health Communication
- MGMT 7580 Management of Nonprofit Organizations
- MGMT 9500 Strategic Management Research
- PADP 7520 Urban Policy
- PADP 7900 Managing Volunteers in Public & Nonprofit Sectors
- PADP 8420 Leadership in Public Service
- PADP 8460 Organizational Behavior