

University of Georgia College of Public Health

Master of Public Health Degree Requirements — Epidemiology

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 areas and courses:

MPH Core Requirement Courses: 15 hours

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

Epidemiology Core Requirements: 15 hours

- EPID 7020 Introduction to Epidemiology II
- BIOS 7020 Introduction to Biostatistics II
- EPID 7400 Field Epidemiology and Surveillance
- EPID 8400 Chronic Disease Epidemiology
- EPID 8500 Infectious Disease Epidemiology

Electives: minimum 8 credit hours

The following is a list of recommended electives for an MPH concentration in Epidemiology:

- EPID 7040 Nutritional Epidemiology
- EPID 7100 Current Topics in Epidemiology
- EPID 8070 Environmental and Occupational Epidemiology
- EPID 8100 Clinical Epidemiology
- EPID 8200 Molecular Epidemiology
- EPID 8250 Biomarkers: Public Health, Clinical, & Env. Tox Apps.
- EPID 8300 Epidemiology of Aging
- EPID 8410 Cancer Epidemiology
- EPID 8510 Modeling Infectious Diseases
- EPID 8540/L Microbial Quantitative Risk Assessment
- EPID 8600 Social Epidemiology
- EHSC 8500 Environmental and Occupational Diseases
- BIOS 6380 Survival Analysis
- BIOS 7400 Research Data Management and Computing
- BIOS 8110 Categorical Data Analysis
- BIOS 8220 Clinical Trials
- PBHL 8100 Current Topics in Public Health

College of Public Health Seminar (PBHL 8200, 1 hr): Students in the MPH program are required to take this seminar course one time during their program of study. The course will incorporate guest speakers representing all areas of public health.

Internship (PBHL 7560, 6 hours): The internship requires 300 clock hours in an appropriate public health setting. Students choose the site for their internship, with the assistance of the Academic Advisor and Internship Coordinator.

