MPH students must complete a total of 42 credit hours. This includes the following coursework:

**Core courses:** 18 credit hrs; 
**Electives:** 18 credit hrs (if a concentration is selected, 12-15 hrs of electives will consist of concentration credit hrs; see exceptions below); 
**Practicum:** 3 credit hrs; 
**and either Master’s Project or Thesis:** 3 credits hrs.

**Core courses include:** (18 CREDIT HOURS) All core courses available F2F & ONLINE
- HADM 7105 Health Policy and Organization of Health Services (3) (F2F and Online Spring)
- PUBH 7160 Social and Behavioral Sciences Principles (3) (F2F Spring) (Online Fall)
- PUBH 7120 Environmental Health I (3) (F2F and Online Spring)
- PUBH 7150 Biostatistical Methods I (3) (F2F Fall) (Online Fall and Spring)
- PUBH 7170 Epidemiology in Public Health (3) (F2F and Online Fall)
- PUBH 7180 Foundations of Public Health (3) (F2F and Online Fall)

**Concentration courses include:** (12 CREDIT HOURS/ CONCENTRATION)

**Generalist Concentration:** (Generalist Concentration available F2F and ONLINE) 1 conc course and 3 electives
- HADM 7110 Leadership and Organizational Change in Healthcare (3) (Online each Summer and Fall)
- Three other elective courses approved by advisor (3)

**Social and Behavioral Sciences Concentration:** (SBS Concentration available F2F & ONLINE)
- PUBH 7132 Health Program Evaluation (3) (F2F Spring odd years: 2021, 2023) (Online each Spring)
- PUBH 7130 Social Determinants of Health (3) (F2F Spring even years: 2022, 2024) (Online Spring odd years: 2021; 2023)
- PUBH 7340 Behavioral Intervention Development (3) (Fall) (Online Spring even years: 2022; 2024)
- One of three: PUBH 7014 Public Health Communication (3) (Fall); PUBH 7345 Health Literacy (3) (Fall; 7014 and 7345 alternate each Spring); OR JRSM 7050 Mass Communication (3) (Fall) (Online synchronous)

**Urban Health Concentration:** 5 conc courses & 1 elective (Urban Health Concentration available F2F & ONLINE)
- PUBH 7335 Structural and Environmental Issues in Urban Communities (3) (Online Fall)
- PUBH 7132 Health Program Evaluation (3) (F2F Spring odd years: 2021, 2023) (Online each Spring)
- PUBH 7002 Community Health Assessment & Program Planning (3) (Spring: F2F odd years; Online even years)
- PUBH 7004 Interdisciplinary Approaches to Population Health Challenges (3) (Spring: F2F odd years; Online odd years)
- One of three: ANTH 6571 Race and Health Disparities (3) (Spring) OR PUBH 7130 Social Determinants of Health (3) (F2F Spring even years: 2022, 2024) (Online odd years: 2021; 2023) OR PUBH 6131 Social Justice and Public Health (F2F Spring)

**Epidemiology Concentration:** (EPI Concentration available F2F & ONLINE)
- PUBH 7172 Epidemiology in Public Health II (3) (Spring) (Online and F2F)
- PUBH 7152 Biostatistical Methods II (3) (Spring) (F2F Spr) (Online Fall and Spr)
- PUBH 7141 Epidemiologic Survey Method (3) (Fall) (Online and F2F)
- One of four: PUBH 7140 Epo of Chronic Disease (3) (Fall); PUBH 7442 Cancer Epi (3) (Spring) PUBH 7443 Infectious Disease Epi (3) (Spring) (Online and F2F); OR PUBH 7174 Epi III (3) (Fall)

**Biostatistics Concentration:**
- PUBH 7152 Biostatistical Methods II (3) (Spring) (F2F Spr) (Online Fall and Spr)
- PUBH 7311 Applied Categorical Data Analysis (3) (Fall)
- PUBH 7309 Applied Survival Analysis in Public Health (3) (Spring)
- PUBH 7310 Mixed Model Regression Analysis (3) (Fall 2021; 2023)
Electives (15 hours total) for the general MPH degree (6 hours total for students taking a concentration other than Urban Health; 3 hours total for Urban Health concentration) will be taken with the approval of the faculty advisor. Possible electives include courses within the concentration areas, as well as the following:

- ANTH 7400 Globalization, Development, and Culture (3)
- BIOL 7080 Public Health Microbiology (3)
- COMM 7012 Seminar in Health Communication (3)
- ECON 7710 Health Care Economics (3)
- ESCI 7613 GIS and Human Health (3)
- HADM 7103 Health Planning (3)
- HADM 7107 Health Care Ethics (3)
- HADM 7140 Population Health Management (3) (Fall)
- HADM 7505 Aging, Public Health, and Health Services (3)
- HPRO 7182 Health Promotion (3)
- NURS 7811 Global Perspectives on Nursing and Health Policy (3)
- NUTR 7602 Community Nutrition (3)
- NUTR 7902 Study Tour in Foods and Nutrition (3)
- NUTR 7182 Environmental Nutrition (3)
- NUTR 7204 Life Span Nutrition (3)
- POLS 7512 Politics of Environment Change (3)
- PUBH 7153 Biostatistics in Bioinformatics (3)
- PUBH 7161 Health Behavior Theories (3)
- PUBH 7209 Adv SAS for Public Health Prof I (3) (Fall)
- PUBH 7210 Adv SAS for Public Health Prof II (3) (Spring)
- PUBH 7300 Spatial Analysis and Simulation for Urban Health (3)
- PUBH 7305 Quantitative Methods Meta-analysis (3)
- PUBH 7308 Applied Multivariate Statistics (3)
- PUBH 7338 Critical Issues in Global Health (3)
- PUBH 7450 Randomized Clinical Trials (3)
- PUBH 7603 Public Health Leadership in Emergency Response (3)
- PUBH 7604 Research Methods in Social and Behavioral Sciences (3)
- PUBH 7605 Built Environment and Public Health (3)
- SOCI 7583 Gender and Health (3)
- SWRK 7031 Rural and Urban Poverty (3)
- Other courses may serve as electives; students should check with their advisors

Satisfy completion of PUBH 7985 Practicum/Field Experience (3).

Satisfy completion of PUBH 7992 Master's Project Seminar (3) or PUBH 7996 Thesis (3)

Pass comprehensive examination. (Oral exam taken at Master’s Project or Thesis defense)

NOTE: The MPH may be earned Face to Face for the Generalist and all other concentrations. The MPH may be earned ONLINE for the Generalist degree, as well as the Epidemiology, Urban Health, and Social & Behavioral Sciences concentrations.

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