



2025-2026 Curriculum Guide for the Interdisciplinary PhD program in Biostatistics

The Interdisciplinary Biostatistics PhD require at least 60 credit hours of coursework. The program is a mix of core statistics/biostatistics courses, public health related coursework, and electives in biostatistics and statistics. The remainder of the minimum of 80 credits required for the PhD comprise individual reading and research related to developing the dissertation or other courses.

The Interdisciplinary PhD program in Biostatistics is a joint venture between The Ohio State University Department of Statistics and the Division of Biostatistics in the College of Public Health.

Complete information about the program can be found here: advising. Information about the program requirements, suggested plan of study, and associated forms is at <https://cph.osu.edu/phd/biostatistics>.

All students are expected to be familiar with the *Graduate School Handbook* available at <https://gradsch.osu.edu/graduate-school-handbook-gsh>.