



2021-2022 Curriculum Guide for Master of Public Health Degree Program PROGRAM FOR EXPERIENCED PROFESSIONALS

The Master of Public Health-Program for Experienced Professionals with a specialization in Population Health Leadership and Management (PHLM)) addresses the interaction between individuals, environments and systems and the integration of clinical care and public health. This online program consists of an integrated approach to foundation public health knowledge, specialization courses concentrating on population health leadership and management, and an Applied Practice Experience and an Integrative Learning Experience. All courses are offered in the distance-learning format. Students are advised throughout the program and career and professional mentorship is provided by faculty and staff throughout the college. This document serves as a resource to be used by the student and the advisor in planning, but is not inclusive of all degree, college, and university requirements. All students are expected to be familiar with the College of Public Health (CPH) *Graduate Student Handbook* (available at <http://cph.osu.edu/students/graduate/handbooks>) and with the *Graduate School Handbook* (available at <https://gradsch.osu.edu/handbook/all>).

PROGRAM OF STUDY

The required courses will focus on leadership and organizational behavior, strategic change and operations management, project management, health care economics and economic evaluation of health interventions. The curriculum consists of a minimum of 42 credits organized into five curricular domains:

1. MPH Integrated Foundational curriculum (12 credits)
2. Required courses (19 credits)
3. Electives (6 credits)
4. Applied Practice Experience (2 credits)
5. Integrative Learning Experience Seminar and Integrative Learning Experience (3 credits)

MPH Integrated Foundational curriculum # (12 credits)

			<i>Term Offered</i>
PUBHLTH 6001	Methods in Quantitative Data Analysis	4 credits	AU
PUBHLTH 6002	History, Values and Essential Services of the U.S. Public Health System	2 credits	AU
PUBHLTH 6003	Methods in Public Health Planning and Evaluation	2 credits	SP
PUBHLTH 6004	Essentials of Population Health	4 credits	SP

Required courses (19 credits)

PUBHHMP 6615	Public Health Leadership and Organizational Behavior	3 credits	SU
PUBHHMP 6630	Project Management for Health Care and Public Health	3 credits	SU
PUBHHMP 7624	Health Economics for Experienced Professionals	3 credits	AU
PUBHHMP 7632	Strategic Change for Public Health and Population Health Management	3 credits	SU
PUBHHMP 7683	Operations Management and System Design	3 credits	AU
PHR 5402	Economic Evaluation of Pharmaceutical and Health Care Interventions	3 credits	AU,SP
PUBHHMP XXX	Systems Integration Capstone	1 credit	SU

Electives: (6 credits*)

Students may choose other courses with program director approval

PUBHHBP 6535	Community Engagement & Collaborative Community Problem-Solving	3 credits	AU
PUBHHMP 6625	Leveraging Healthcare Data for Practice and Policy Change	3 credits	SP
PUBHHMP 6620	Critical Appraisal of Population Health Evidence	3 credits	SU

**Or other courses as approved by program director*

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Applied Practice Experience

PUBHLTH 7189	Applied Practice Experience	2 credits
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Integrative Learning Experience

PUBHLTH 7996	Integrative Learning Experience Preparation Seminar	1 credit
PUBHLTH 7998	Integrative Learning Experience in Public Health	2 credits

**Courses are scheduled independently by each division and are subject to change.*

Sample first-year calendar

Year 1 Summer 2021
PUBHHMP 6615 Leadership in Public Health and Health Care (3 credits)
PUBHHMP 6630 Project Management (3 credits)
Year 1 Autumn 2021
PUBHLTH 6001#: Methods in Quantitative Data Analysis (4 credits)
PUBHLTH 6002#: History, Values and Essential Services of the U.S. Public Health System (2 credits)
Year 1 Spring 2022
PUBHLTH 6003#: Methods in Public Health Planning and Evaluation (2 credits)
PUBHLTH 6004#: Essentials of Population Health (4 credits)

#PUBHLTH 6001-6004: Students will be enrolled by The College of Public Health Office of Academic Programs and Student Services for these courses.

Grade Policy:

In addition to the general Graduate School requirements of a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or higher, students must meet specific college policies regarding grades in foundation and specialization courses. Students should familiarize themselves with Section 11 of the College of Public Health Graduate Student Handbook.

Office of Academic Programs and Student Services (OAPSS)

The Program for Experienced Professionals has a dedicated Program Coordinator – Dawnne Wise/wise.13@osu.edu. Dr. Wise is available to provide assistance with College, Graduate School and University policies and procedures. Students can make an appointment with Dr. Wise or another staff member in OAPSS by calling (614) 292-8350. 100 Cunz Hall/1841 Neil Ave/cph.osu.edu

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