

Curriculum Planning Sheet
Certificate Program in Maternal and Child Health Policy and Leadership
2026-2027

Name: _____ **Banner ID:** _____

Start Date: _____ **Graduation Date:** _____

The Certificate in Maternal and Child Health Policy is a 15 credit hour program of study. Students are required to complete HPO 605 and HPO 606 for 6 credit hours, and an additional 9 credit hours of approved MCH or other electives for a total of 15 hours. Students must take a minimum of 3 hours from MCH approved electives.

Course Name	Term Available*			Credit Hours	Term/Year Taken	Grade
	Fall	Spr	Sum			
MCH Core: 6 hours						
HPO 605: Evidence-Based Foundations of MCH Systems	CO			3		
HPO 606: Health and Development through the Life Course: Perspectives, Programs, and Policies		CO		3		
MCH Approved Electives: 3-9 hours						
HPO 608: Reproductive Health (even years)			CO	3		
HPO 633: Policy and Women's Health		CO		3		
HPO 672: Perinatal Health, Issues, Data, Policies (odd years)			CO	3		
HPO 635: Policy and Child and Adolescent Health			CO	3		
Other Approved Electives: 0-6 hours						
HPO 632: Leadership in Maternal and Child Health	CO			3		
GHS 606: Critical Issues in Global Maternal and Child Health		O		3		
HB 611: Mental Health as a Public Health Issue				3		
HB 613: Disabilities and Public Health	O			3		
HB 618: Suicide Prevention	C			3		
HB 607: Introduction to LGBTQ Health		O		3		
Total Hours Required for Certificate				15		

C=Campus, O=Online, CO=Either Option Available, EA-Education Abroad

Please note that course availability is subject to change.

** Course not currently being taught