

DrPH Curriculum Planning Sheet
Department of Health Policy and Organization
Concentration in Outcomes Research 2026-2027

Name: _____ **Banner ID:** _____

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

All students in an MSPH, MS, DrPH, or PhD program are required to complete PUH 600: Overview of Public Health. PUH 600 is a required, free, non-credit course. The course must be completed in a single semester (Fall or Spring); students must complete the course by the end of their second semester in the program. Students who already possess a Bachelor of Public Health (BS) or a Master of Public Health (MPH) degree from an institution that was CEPH-accredited at the time their degree was awarded are exempt from this requirement.

| Course Name | Term Available * | | | Credit Hours | Term/Year Taken | Grade |
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| | Fall | Spr | Sum | | | |
| HPO Concentration Prerequisites (6 hours) (Does not count towards total degree hours) | | | | | | |
| HPO 601: Health Economics | CO | | | 3 | | |
| DrPH Core (15 hours) | | | | | | |
| HPO 716: Advanced Leadership and Practice Seminar | C | | | 3 | | |
| HPO 717: Seminar in Public Health Policy | | C | | 3 | | |
| GRD 717: Principles of Scientific Integrity | O | O | O | 3 | | |
| BST 703: Methods in Evidence-Based Public Health | | | O | 3 | | |
| PUH 685: Teaching in Public Health | | | O | 3 | | |
| Concentration Core (12 hours) | | | | | | |
| HPO 721: Clinical Decision-Making & Cost Effectiveness | C | | | 3 | | |
| HPO 777: Patient-Based Outcomes Measurement | | C | | 3 | | |
| HPO 791: Modeling & Simulation | | | C | 3 | | |
| PUH 703: Public Health Grant Writing | | C | | 3 | | |
| Methods Core (12 hours) | | | | | | |
| HPO 728: Qualitative & Mixed Methods Research in Public Health | C | | | 3 | | |
| HPO 781: Research Methods & Study Design | C | | | 3 | | |
| HPO 787: Empirical Methods for Health Research | | C | | 3 | | |
| Additional Methods Elective (700 level, 600 level w/advisor approval) | | | | 3 | | |
| Approved Elective (3 hours) | | | | | | |
| Additional 700 level elective (or 600 level as approved by advisor) | | | | 3 | | |
| Doctoral Seminar (2 credit hours, 1 hour in each Fall & Spring Semester - 1st year only) | | | | | | |
| HPO 796: Doctoral Seminar in HPO | | | | 1 | | |
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| DrPH Practicum, Directed Readings, Dissertation Protocol Development & Research (18 hours) | | | | | | |
| HPO 793: DrPH Practicum | X | X | X | 6 | | |
| HPO 797: Directed Readings for DrPH Comprehensive Exam | X | X | X | 3 | | |
| HPO 798: Dissertation Protocol Development in HPO | X | X | X | 3 | | |
| HPO 799: Dissertation Research | X | X | X | 6 | | |
| Total Credit Hours Earned for Degree | | | | 62 | | |

*Please note that course availability is subject to change.