DrPH

Checklist of Requirements for the Doctor of Public Health (DrPH) Degree in BCHS

Required Courses	Semester Offered	Credits	Completed Requirement
Community/Cultural Orientation (6 credits)			
BCHS 2554 Intro to Community Health *	Fall, Spring	3	
BCHS 2608, 2609, 2610 Advanced Methods in CBPR series	Spring	3	
Critical Analysis (24 credits)			
BIOST 2041 Intro to Statistical Methods 1 OR *	Fall		
PSYED 2018 Stats 1: Descriptive & Inferential Statistics	Fall, Spring	3	
BIOST 2042 Intro to Statistical Methods 2 OR *	Spring		
PSYED 2019 Stats 2: Analysis of Variance	Fall, Spring	3	
BIOST 2049 or Applied Regression Analysis OR	Spring	_	
PSYED 2410 Applied Regression Analysis	Fall	3	
BCHS 2525 Intro to Applied Research *	Fall, Spring	3	
BCHS 2558 Health Program Evaluation *	Spring	3	
BCHS 3003 Advanced Evaluation Techniques	Fall	3	
BCHS 3007 Ethnographic & Qualitative Methods *	Spring	3	
BCHS 3555 Doctoral Seminar in BCHS Theories & Models *	Spring	3	
Communication (3 credits)			
BCHS 3504 Doctoral Seminar on Health Communications	Spring	3	
Management (3 credits)			
HPM 2081 Public Health Agency Management	Fall	3	
Integration of Public Health Research and Practice (3-8 credits)			
BCHS 3503 Prevention Science: Translating Knowledge to Practice	Fall	3	
BCHS 3004 Integrative Research Seminar: Grant Writing **	Spring	1	
BCHS 3006 Integrative Research Seminar: Writing for Publication ***	Fall	1	
BCHS 3703 Executive Management Practicum (3 cr. total) ****	Any term	3	
PUBHLT 2022 Public Health Grand Rounds	Fall	0	
PUBHLT 2022 Public Health Grand Rounds	Spring	0	
Competency Area Elective (choose one out of three courses below)			
Leadership			
BCHS 2135/ADMPS 2128/PIA 2131 Leadership	Fall	3	
Advocacy			
HPM 2063 The Politics of Health Policy	Spring	2	
Professionalism and Ethics	1 3		
HPM 2131 Public Health Law and Ethics	Fall	3	
Electives		Variable	
Milestones (0-4 credits)			
BCHS 3888 Prep for Comprehensive Exam	Any term	1-3	
Dissertation (FTDR 3999 = 0 credits or BCHS 3010 = 1 credit)	Any term	0-1	
Total REQUIRED Credits		48	
Credits from a Master's Degree		24	
Total Credits for DrPH		72	

Notes:

- * Required courses for the Preliminary Examination, which is taken after 1 year of full-time study. If a student does not have an MPH, they must also take EPIDEM 2110 Principles of Epidemiology before taking the Preliminary Exam.
- ** Prerequisite for BCHS 3004 is successful completion of Preliminary Examination.
- *** **Manuscript Submission Requirement:** Students must submit a manuscript to a journal for publication either based on their dissertation or other research **before** graduation. **They must be the 1st author.**
- **** Practicum Requirement: DrPH students must complete a 360 hour Executive Management Practicum.