



**Semester 1**

- Required: PUBH P6020 - Foundations of Public Health (1.5 cr)
- Required: PUBH P6031 - Research Methods and Applications (4.5 cr)
- Required: PUBH P6040 - Determinants of Health (3 cr)
- Required: PUBH P6051 - Public Health Interventions (1.5 cr)
- Required: PUBH P6052 - Global and Developmental Perspectives (1.5 cr)
- Required: PUBH P6060 - Health Systems (3 cr)
- Required: PUBH P6070 - Integration of Science and Practice I (1.5 cr)
- Required: PUBH P6081 - Leadership Development (1.5 cr)
- Other Elective: Students may take 3 credits in the Fall in addition to the Core ISP/Leadership. Students will be contacted prior to the Fall with a list of courses that fit into the Fall Core schedule. (3total cr)

**Semester 2**

- Other Elective: General Mailman Elective: Can be fulfilled by a 3.0 credit course from any department. (3total cr)

**Variable Semester**

- Selective (3total cr): SOSC P6712 - Introduction to Health Advocacy (3 cr) Sm 1 or 2
- or SOSC P8705 - Evaluation of Health Programs (3 cr)
- or SOSC P6775 - Health Communication (3 cr)
- or SOSC P8741 - Structural Approaches to Global Health (3 cr)
- or SOSC P8771 - Community Based Participatory Research (3 cr)
- or SOSC P8746 - Coercion and Persuasion in Public Health (3 cr)

or SOSC P8747 - Ethics of Public Health (3 cr)  
or SOSC P8757 - The Global Politics of Aging: Historical & Policy Perspectives (3cr)  
or SOSC P8792 - Dissemination and Implementation Science (3 cr)  
or SOSC P8902 - Introduction to Mixed Methods (3 cr)

Selective (3total cr): SOSC P6728 - Health Promotion: Theory, Research, and Practice (3 cr) Sm 1 or 2  
or SOSC P8745 - Social and Economic Determinants of Health (3 cr)

Department Elective (3total cr) Sm 1 or 2  
Required: SOSC P8796 - Quantitative Research Design for the Social Sciences (3 cr) Sm 1 or 2  
Required: SOSC P8785 - Qualitative Research Methods (3 cr) Sm 1 or 2  
Other Elective: General Mailman Elective (3total cr) Summer

### **Degree or Credit Requirements**

Flat-rate tuition covers a maximum of 45 credits to fulfill a minimum of 42 required credits for the degree. The Accelerated MPH is designed to keep students on pace toward graduation, while taking no more than 21 credits per semester (fall and spring) and 6 credits max in the summer. It is each student's responsibility to manage her/his course load to remain within the 21 credits/semester and 45 credit/cumulative maximums. Students will be charged a per-point rate if they go above these maximums; OSA must approve more than 21 credits per semester. It is vital that each student look ahead at her/his specific academic plan to avoid a situation where one must take required courses that would put one's semester/cumulative credit total above 21/60. No academic plan will force a student into this situation, so any additional costs related to overages are the responsibility of the student. Students must pay tuition and fees for the summer term even if no actual classes are taken in the term.

### **Certificate Contact Information**

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