



THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA

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MPH – Family and Child Health (Global Health Track) Curriculum & Recommended Course Sequencing

MPH – Global Health Track

Effective for those following the 2020/2021 academic curriculum guide

Required Core Courses (16 units)

- EPID 573A Basic Principles of Epidemiology (3)
- PHPM 574 Public Health Policy & Management (3)
- EHS 575 Environmental & Occupational Health (3)
- BIOS 576A Biostatistics in Public Health (3)
- HPS 577 Sociocultural & Behavioral Aspects of Public Health (3)
- PHP 580 Integrated Public Health Learning Experience (1)
- Internship Preparation Workshop
(**required**; non-credit; semester before internship begins)
- Interprofessional Education Activities
(**documentation required**; non-credit)

Required Global Health Courses (23 units)

- HPS 533 Global Health (3)
- HPS 560 International Nutrition (3)
- HPS 586 Maternal and Child Health (3)
- EPI Selective
(choose 1):
 - EPID 630 Maternal and Child Health Epidemiology (3) (fall)
 - or** EPID 645 Nutritional Epidemiology (3) (spring)
 - or** EPID 660 Infectious Disease Epidemiology (3) (spring)
- EPID 606 Changing Health Policy: Cultural Understanding & Epi Analysis (4)
- One Program Planning / Evaluation Course
(consult with Faculty Mentor for options) (3)
- HPS 909 Master's Report "Internship" (4)

Elective Courses (minimum 3 units required) – Approved by Faculty Mentor

Total Required Credit Hours: 42

FCH Global Health Recommended Course Sequencing
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First Year			
Fall Semester (13 units)		Spring Semester (13 units)	
EPID 573A*	Basic Principles of Epidemiology (3)	HPS 533#	Global Health (3)
BIOS 576A*	Biostatistics in Public Health (3)	HPS 560#	International Nutrition (3)
HPS 577*	Sociocultural Aspects of Public Health (3) ~	EHS 575*	Environmental & Occupational Health (3)
HPS 586#	Maternal & Child Health (3)	EPID 606#	Changing Health Policy: Cultural Understanding & Epi Analysis (4)
		Internship Preparation Workshop (required; non-credit)	
Second Year			
Fall Semester (12 units)		Spring Semester (5 units) ***	
PHPM 574*	Public Health Policy & Management (3)	HPS 909**	Master’s Report “Internship” (4)
EPID 630	Maternal & Child Health Epidemiology (3)	HPS 580	Integrated Public Health Learning Experience (1)
or EPID 645	Nutritional Epidemiology (3) (spring offering)		
or EPID 660	Infectious Disease Epidemiology (3) (spring offering) ~		
Elective	(Approved by Faculty Mentor) (3)		
Planning/Evaluation Course (Approved by Faculty Mentor)(3)			
IMPORTANT GUIDELINES			
* MPH required core courses are offered fall & spring semesters, allowing flexibility. The modality and number of offerings may vary by semester and are subject to change. All five 3-unit Core Courses must be complete prior to the student’s final term in the program.			
**Prerequisites for HPS 909 – Master’s Report “Internship” – Global Health Track: At least three MPH core courses; HPS 586, Maternal and Child Health; HPS 533, Global Health; and one Planning/Evaluation Course. Final report cannot be submitted until all five 3-unit core courses have been completed.			
***Students who require full time graduate status for loan/scholarship disbursement may need to take more units than the sequencing recommends.			
~ EPID 660 cannot be taken in same semester as HPS 577 due to course time conflict.			
# This course taught only in this semester.			
Bolded courses in first fall semester indicate essential courses for the student to take that semester.			