

Public Health Minor

Degree Type

Minor

Students in the Public Health minor will gain a basic understanding of the foundations of public health. Upon completion of a minor, students will be able to:

- Describe the history of public health
- Provide examples of the essential services of public health
- Identify the methodologies employed by public health practitioners;
- Identify and describe the factors impacting health and disease of a population using sociological model
- Utilize basic methods for measurement and quantification of disease to describe the extent of public health issues
- Discuss the impact of culture and policy on health and disease.

Core

- Complete *all* of the following

Item #	Title	Credits
PBH 201	Health and Society	3
PBH 210	Overview of Global Health	3
PBH 305	Survey of Epidemiology	3

Ethics

- Complete *one* of the following

Item #	Title	Credits
BUS 307	Business Ethics	3
BUS 312	Ethics & Social Responsibility	3
PHL 235	Biomedical Ethics	3
PHL 206	Ethics	3
PHL 341	Values in Life & Work: Applied Ethics	3

Culture and Behavior

- Complete *one* of the following

Item #	Title	Credits
HUM 201	Food, Culture and Nutrition	3
HSC 206	Cultural Perspectives of Health, Disability and Wellness	3
HSC 215	Health/Wellness Across Lifespan	3
PED 225	Concepts of Fitness & Wellness	3
PSY 326	Health Psychology	3

Environmental

- Complete *one* of the following

Item #	Title	Credits
BIO 110	Environmental Issues	3
BIO 130	Environmental Biology	3
BIO 326	Principles of Ecology	3
BIO 350	New Emerging Diseases	3
HST 150	Climate Crisis & Challenge of Energy Conversion	3
SCI 120	Nutrition Science	3

Minor Policy

- Minors may be declared before the completion of the drop/add period in the first term of the senior year or before completion of 87 credit hours, whichever comes later.
- Successful completion of at least one course in the minor is a prerequisite to such declaration.
- Only two of the required minor courses may also count toward major or another minor's requirements.
- One half of the required credits for the minor must be completed at Sage (minimum).
- GPA in Minor required (minimum): 2.200 or higher

Total Credits

18
