

# PUBLIC HEALTH (HEALTH MANAGEMENT, ADMINISTRATION & POLICY) - MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH

## Thesis Option:

Prefix	Title	Credits
<b>Public Health Core Courses</b>		
PHLS 5110	Community and Psychosocial Aspects of Public Health	3
PHLS 5120	Biostatistical Applications in Public Health	3
PHLS 5130	Epidemiological Approaches to Disease Control and Prevention	3
PHLS 5140	Health Services System: Administration and Organization	3
PHLS 5150	Environmental Public Health Issues	3
PHLS 5160	Public Health Policy Analysis	3
<b>Health Management, Administration and Policy Concentration</b>		
PHLS 5310	Principles of Health Program Management	3
PHLS 5330	Public Health Finance and Budget Management	3
PHLS 5340	Public Health Law and Ethics	3
PHLS 5250	Evaluative Approaches in Public Health <sup>1</sup>	3
<b>Cultural Foundation Course</b>		
Select 3 credits from the cultural foundation series numbered PHLS 5610-PHLS 5660		3
<b>Additional Requirements</b>		
PHLS 5998	Field Experience	3
Electives <sup>1</sup>		6
Integrative Learning Experience <sup>3</sup>		
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>42</b>

<sup>1</sup> PHLS 5210 Foundations & Techniques of Public Health Education is a pre-requisite for PHLS 5250 Evaluative Approaches in Public Health for HBHP students, but not required for HMAP students. The student will need a prerequisite hold released for registration.

<sup>2</sup> HMAP concentration students are encouraged to consider the thesis option only in unique circumstances and in consultation with their advisor and the Graduate Coordinator. Final examination for the thesis option consists of an oral defense of the thesis and related course work.

## Non-Thesis Option:

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PHLS 5130	Epidemiological Approaches to Disease Control and Prevention	3
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PHLS 5310	Principles of Health Program Management	3
PHLS 5330	Public Health Finance and Budget Management	3
PHLS 5340	Public Health Law and Ethics	3
PHLS 5250	Evaluative Approaches in Public Health	3
<b>Cultural Foundation Course</b>		
Select 3 credits from the cultural foundation series numbered PHLS 5610-PHLS 5660		3
<b>Additional Requirements</b>		
PHLS 5998	Field Experience	3
Electives <sup>1</sup>		6
Integrative Learning Experience <sup>3</sup>		
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>42</b>

<sup>1</sup> Elective courses may include other 5000-level courses from other departments. Some PHLS 5000-level courses are crossed listed with PHLS 4000 level courses (e.g PHLS 4640 Rural Health Issues and PHLS 5640 Rural Health Issues). Students who have previously taken one of these 4000 level courses at NMSU, may not take the corresponding 5000 level MPH course for degree completion credit. Select elective and optional courses may also be available during summer sessions.

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<sup>3</sup> Non-Thesis students must complete an Integrative Learning Experience (ILE) that allows them to demonstrate a synthesis of foundational and concentration competencies. This also serves as the final exam for Graduate School Requirements.

All MPH students must comply with the Student Code of Conduct for the Department of Public Health Sciences. This can be found online at the Department's web page. (<http://publichealth.nmsu.edu> (<https://publichealth.nmsu.edu>))