



Sample Plan of Study
for the **MSPH** degree in the
Department of Health Policy and Management
for students matriculating in
Fall 2023

Course #	Course name	Credits Taken	Planned Term	Degree Requirements
SPHG 711	Analysis	2	Fall 1	SPH Core
SPHG 712	Methods and Measures	2	Fall 1	SPH Core
SPHG 713	Understanding Public Health Issues	2	Fall 1	SPH Core
HPM 601	Issues in Health Care	1	Fall 1	Dept Core
HPM 701¹	Professional Training I	[1]	Fall 1	Dept Core
HPM 754	Health Care in the US Structure and Policy	3	Fall 1	Dept Core
HPM 880	Math/Stata Module	3	Fall 1	MSPH Core
	Elective Graduate-level course	0.5-3	Fall 1	Elective
Semester Subtotal		15		
SPHG 721	Conceptualizing Public Health Solutions	2	Spring 1	SPH Core
SPHG 722	Implementing Public Health Solutions	4	Spring 1	SPH Core
HPM 770	Introduction to Operations Research for Healthcare Systems	3	Spring 1	Dept Core
HPM 881	Linear Regression Models	3	Spring 1	MSPH Core
	Elective Graduate-level course	0.5-3	Spring 1	Elective
Semester Subtotal		15		
HPM 702¹	Professional Training II	[1]	Fall 2	Dept Core
HPM 715	Health Economics for Policy and Administration	3	Fall 2	Dept Core
HPM 772³	Methods for Health Policy Analysis and Technology Assessment	3	Fall 2	MSPH Core
HPM 789	Master's Paper Development	2	Fall 2	MSPH Core
HPM 884⁴	Health Services Research	3	Fall 2	MSPH Core
HPM 793²	Health Policy and Management Internship	2	Fall 2	Practicum
	Elective Graduate-level course	0.5-3	Fall 2	Elective
Semester Subtotal		15		
HPM 703¹	Professional Training III	[1]	Spring 2	Dept Core
HPM 992	Master's Paper	3	Spring 2	MSPH Core
	Elective Graduate-level course	0.5-3	Spring 2	Elective
	Elective Graduate-level course	0.5-3	Spring 2	Elective
	Elective Graduate-level course	0.5-3	Spring 2	Elective
Semester Subtotal		15		
MSPH Degree Total		60		

¹ Professional Training Fees: HPM 701 (\$550), HPM 702 & 703 (\$500 each).

¹ Professional Training Courses (HPM 701; 702; 703): These 1-credit courses do not count towards the 60 hours needed to graduate.

² Practicum Fee: \$450

³ Prerequisite: HPM 770 Introduction to Operations Research for Healthcare Systems

⁴ Alternative program evaluation courses can be taken. Example: HBEH 752