

D13. MPH Program Length

An MPH degree requires at least 42 semester-credits, 56 quarter-credits or the equivalent for completion.

Schools use university definitions for credit hours.

- 1) *Provide information about the minimum credit-hour requirements for all MPH degree options. If the university uses a unit of academic credit or an academic term different from the standard semester or quarter, explain the difference and present an equivalency in table or narrative form.*

All MPH degrees at GWSPH, including joint degrees, require the completion of 45 semester credit hours.

- 2) *Define a credit with regard to classroom/contact hours.*

According to GW policy, one credit hour is equal to a minimum of 37.5 hours of direct and/or indirect learning per semester.