

Program-at-a-Glance

PA/MPH Community Health & Prevention Science Track

Matriculating Summer 2027

Course #	Course Name	Credits	Semester
Required MPH Core Courses (17 credits)			
PUBH 6000	MPH Applied Practice Experience ¹	0	
PUBH 6002	Biostatistical Applications for Public Health	3	Summer
PUBH 6003	Principles and Practices of Epidemiology	3	Summer
PUBH 6007	Social and Behavioral Approaches to Public Health ²	2	Summer
PUBH 6011	Environmental and Biological Foundations of Public Health	3	Summer
PUBH 6012	Fundamentals of Health Policy	2	Summer
PUBH 6021	Essentials of PH Practice & Leadership 1	1	Summer
PUBH 6022	Essentials of PH Practice & Leadership 2	1	Fall
PUBH 6023	Interprofessional Education Experience (IPE) ³	0	Fall or Spring
PUBH 6015	Culminating Experience	2	Spring
Required Onboarding for PA/MPH Students (1 credit)			
PUBH 6591	PA/MPH Clinical Leadership Seminar	1	Summer
Required PCH Departmental courses (6 credits)			
PUBH 6500	Planning and Implementing Health Promotion Programs	3	Fall
PUBH 6501	Program Evaluation	3	Spring
Required Community Health and Prevention Science Courses (10 credits)			
PUBH 6504	Social and Behavioral Science Research Methods	3	Fall
PUBH 6510	Community Health Principles and Practice	3	Fall
PUBH 6530	Qualitative Methods in Health Promotion	2	Spring
PUBH 6534	Community-Based Participatory Research	2	Spring
Required SPH Electives (4 credits)			
	Any graduate-level PUBH course at SPH ⁴	4	
Cross-Credited PA Courses (7 credits)			
	Cross-credited PA credits towards 7 MPH elective credits	7	
TOTAL		45	(38 MPH + 7 PA)

Sample Schedule

<u>Summer</u>	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Fall</u>	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Spring</u>	<u>Credits</u>
PUBH 6002	3	PUBH 6500	3	PUBH 6501	3
PUBH 6003	3	PUBH 6504	3	PUBH 6530	2
PUBH 6007	2	PUBH 6510	3	PUBH 6534	2
PUBH 6011	3	PUBH 6XXX ELECTIVE	2	PUBH 6015	2
PUBH 6012	2	PUBH 6022	1	PUBH 6XXX ELECTIVE	2
PUBH 6021	1	PUBH 6000	0	PUBH 6023	0
PUBH 6591	1	<i>Complete APEx (practicum)</i>		<i>Complete CE</i> ⁵	
Total Summer	15	Total Fall	12	Total Spring	11

¹ Students should review the Applied Practice Experience (APEx) guidelines at <https://publichealth.gwu.edu/academics/oaph/apex>

² PUBH 6007 meets the requirement for PA 6118

³ The IPE requirement in the MPH can be fulfilled with any approved Health Sciences IPE scheduled event

⁴ PA/MPH students do not pay per credit, so students may add more electives at their discretion

⁵ Culminating Experience (PUBH 6015) is the final project of the MPH