Focus areas

Students do not have to focus on a given area of epidemiologic study; however, many students—in particular those who already have advanced degrees or extensive experience—may wish to focus on a specific area of methodological inquiry. The following describe courses available at GW SPH to support a comprehensive education in each of these focus areas. These do not represent all courses in each of the focus areas but serve as suggested electives through which to build depth in a particular area. Since not all courses are offered each semester, please consult the program guide and website for up to date information on timing of course offerings.

Chronic Disease Epidemiology

PubH 6121	Environmental and Occupational Epidemiology
PubH 6238	Molecular Epidemiology
PubH 6241	Nutritional Epidemiology
PubH 6242	Clinical Epidemiology and Decision Making
PubH 6243	Topics in Clinical Epidemiology and Decision Making
PubH 6244	Cancer Epidemiology
PubH 6269	Reproductive and Perinatal Epidemiology
PubH 6299	Chronic Disease Epidemiology
PubH 6299	Epidemiology of Obesity
EXSC 6208	Physical Activity: Physiology and Epidemiology

Infectious Disease Epidemiology

PubH 6127	Germs: Introduction to Environmental Health Microbiology
PubH 6239	Epidemiology of Food and Waterborne Diseases
PubH 6240	Pediatric HIV/AIDS
PubH 6245	Infectious Disease Epidemiology
PubH 6250	Epidemiology of HIV/AIDS
PubH 6253	HIV Care and Treatment
PubH 6255	Organizational Responses to HIV/AIDS
PubH 6259	Surveillance Epidemiology
PubH 6270	HIV/AIDS Surveillance
PubH 6276	Public Health Microbiology
PubH 6277	Public Health Genomics
PubH 6278	Public Health Virology
PubH 6484	Prevention and Control of Vectorborne Diseases
PubH 6485	Prevention and Control of Waterborne and Sanitation Diseases

Methods and Analysis

PubH 6258	Biostatistical Consulting
PubH 6262	Introduction to GIS
PubH 6263	Advanced GIS
PubH 6264	Quantitative Methods
PubH 6265	Design of Medical Studies
PubH 6266	Biostatistical Methods

PubH 6267	Time Series Analysis
PubH 6268	Advanced SAS
PubH 6273	Ethnographic Methods in Public Health
PubH 6281	Analysis of Complex Survey Data
PubH 6282	Introduction to R

Nutritional Epidemiology

PubH 6241	Nutritional Epidemiology
PubH 6611	Nutrition Assessment
PubH 6299	Epidemiology of Obesity
PubH 6556	Maternal & Child Nutrition
PubH 6614	Introduction to Nutrition Science
PubH 6615	Nutritional Biochemistry
EXSC 6242	Nutrition across the Lifespan

Environmental Epidemiology

Environmental and Occupational Epidemiology
Toxicology Applications to Public Health Policy
Germs: Introduction to Environmental Health Microbiology
Assessment and Control of Environmental Hazards
Cancer Epidemiology
Reproductive and Perinatal Epidemiology

Reproductive and Perinatal Epidemiology

PubH 6269	Reproductive and Perinatal Epidemiology
PubH 6240	Pediatric HIV/AIDS
PubH 6550	Maternal and Child Health I
PubH 6552	Women's Health
PubH 6555	Reproductive Health: US and Global Perspectives

Translational Epidemiology (Bench to Bedside)

PUDH 6127	Germs: Introduction to Environmental Health Microbiology
PubH 6238	Molecular Epidemiology
PubH 6242	Clinical Epidemiology and Decision Making
PubH 6243	Topics in Clinical Epidemiology and Decision Making
PubH 6239	Epidemiology of Food and Waterborne Diseases
PubH 6245	Infectious Disease Epidemiology
PubH 6265	Design of Medical Studies
PubH 6276	Public Health Microbiology
PubH 6277	Public Health Genomics
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