

HEALTH CARE MANAGEMENT AND POLICY CGS

All students must meet the Requirements for the Certificate of Graduate Study (CGS)

OVERVIEW

The Certificate of Graduate Study in Health Care Management and Policy is an online, 6-course (18 credits) program introducing students to health care management, finance, and policy. This program provides an overview of US health care policies, organizational structures, and financing systems. These concepts are examined from economic, social, legal, ethical, political, and global perspectives. Contemporary health care organizations and policies are analyzed with respect to concepts and principles of change theory, ethical decision making, and policy processes and analysis. Financing of health care systems, with emphasis on the roles of health care providers and impact on consumers, will also be examined. The distinct strategic and leadership challenges faced by managers in healthcare and public health organizations is examined through the lenses of consumers, employers, practitioners, insurers, regulators, and public policy-makers.

The program is designed for working professionals in health care and public health; nursing students, medical students and other graduate students; recent baccalaureate graduates with an interest in a non-clinical health degree; and employees and managers of healthcare-related programs and organizations.

SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS

Requirements for Admission to Graduate Studies for the Certificate of Graduate Study

Students are required to have a Bachelor’s Degree from an accredited college or university, and have completed 1 college-level course in mathematics and 1 college-level course in science.

Minimum Degree Requirements

The Certificate of Graduate Study in Health Care Management and Policy requires 18 credits including 3 courses (9 credits) from 3 core content areas and 3 elective courses (9 credits) from an approved list of electives.

Requirement Description		Credits
3 required core competency courses:		
PH 6170	Mgmt in Hlth Services&Med Care	3
PH 6240	Public Health Informatics	3
PH 6260	Legal Issues in Health Care	3
Choose 3 elective courses from the list of approved electives, including but not limited to:		9
PH 5000	Controversies in Public Health	

PH 6010	Public Health & Health Policy	
PH 6020	Epidemiology I	
PH 6060	Social&Behavioral Public Hlth	
PH 6090	Public Health Biostatistics II	
PH 6100	Public Health Law and Ethics	
PH 6110	Global Public Health	
PH 6120	Food Systems & Public Hlth	
PH 6140	Environmental Risk & Risk Comm	
PH 6150	Public Health Surveillance	
PH 6160	Social Determinants of Health	
PH 6180	Improving Health in Population	
PH 6200	Public Health Communications	
PH 6210	Controversies in HlthEconomics	
PH 6211	Global Health Leadership	
PH 6220	One Health: Zoonoses	
PH 6250	Investigating DiseaseOutbreaks	
PH 6270	Climate Change & Human Health	
PH 6280	Health in Humanitarian Crises	
PH 6300	Exploring Healthcare Systems	
PH 6310	Climate Change Emergencies	
PH 6320	Maternal and Child Health	
PH 6330	Global Mental Health	
PH 6990	Special Topics	