

Current HMP Curriculum

Students entering AY 2020-21 (FALL 2020-updated 8.23.2020)

	<u>Units</u>
<u>SPH Core</u>	
PH 601 (Epidemiology)	3
PH 602 (Biostatistics)	3
PH 603 (Behavioral and Social Science in Public Health)	3
PH 604 (Environmental Determinants of Human Health)	3
<u>HMP Required</u>	
PH 641 (Introduction to Health Services)	3
PH 642 (Health Insurance & Financing Systems)	3
PH 644A (Health Services Organization and Management)	3
PH 644B (Managing the High Performing Health Care Organization)	3
PH 645 (Health Economics)	3
PH 646 (Health Services Research Methods)	2
PH 647 (Quantitative Methods and Health Data Analysis)	3
PH 648 (Health Policy)	3
PH 742A (Health Services Financial Management)	3
PH 747 (Quality Improvement and Program Evaluation)	3
PH 748 (Health Services Competitive Strategy and Marketing)	3
PH 798 (Special Study - HMP Professional Development) <i>Cr/NC</i>	2
<u>HMP Elective (or other approved graduate course)</u>	
PH 700E (Seminar in PH Practice)	
PH 743 (Hospitals and Ambulatory Health Management)	3
<u>Applied Practice Experience</u>	
PH 650R (Required Community Practice) <i>Cr/NC</i>	3
PH 750E (Advanced Field Practice in HMP) <i>Cr/NC</i>	3
<u>Culminating Experience</u>	
PH 797 (Research) or PH 799A (Thesis) <i>Cr/NC/RP</i> (Enroll in PH 797 each semester you work on your capstone project. In final term, 2 units with Chair, 1 with Reader)	4
Total Units	<hr/> 59

Refer to SDSU Graduate Bulletin 2020

Recommended Course Map for Full-Time HMP Students

Year 1	Fall	Spring		
	Course	Units	Course	Units
	602	3	603	3
	604	3	644A	3
	641	3	601	3
	742A	3	647	3
	798	1	798	1
	Total	13	Total	13
Summer	<p style="text-align: center;">Applied Practice Experience/Field Placement/Internship (no courses; 6 units required; may complete into Year 2) You MUST apply for approval and fill out all forms BEFORE starting in order to get course credit in Year 2.</p>			
Year 2	Fall	Spring		
	Course	Units	Course	Units
	644B	3	748	3
	642	3	<i>797 or 799A*</i>	3
	747	3	743	3
	<i>650R</i>	3	<i>750E</i>	3
	645	3	648	3
	646	2		
	797*	1		
	Total	18	Total	15

*Note: **59 total units** to complete degree (sometimes more if your final project takes longer).

Supervision courses in italics. There is a 2-step registration process. Apply online with a specific instructor first at: <https://publichealth.sdsu.edu/student-resources/field-practice-research-special-studies/>. Once your instructor approves, you will be sent a registration number to use to finish enrolling in the course. If you do not finish all the work in the semester you register, you will receive a "RP" ("Report of Progress" placeholder grade) from the instructor of record. This will be changed to "CR" ("credit") once you have fulfilled all requirements.

Applied Practice Experience: See info at: <https://gsph.sdsu.edu/fieldpractice/index.php>. You must complete the PH 798 Professional Development series before starting an internship over the summer.
File your Program of Study (POS) and apply to advance to candidacy once you have completed 12 units, and before complete last 9 units. You should file in Fall of Year 2, after completing all required core classes (PH601-604, and 641). Grades of B- or better are required to pass PH core classes. It is your responsibility to check **Degree Evaluation in Webportal** to check your student status and ensure that you are registered and receive credit in all courses. You should check-in with a faculty advisor at least once per term, and share a copy of your current Degree Evaluation to review your progress and ask course-related questions. https://advising.sdsu.edu/academic_success/understanding_degree_evaluation

Course Guidance for Part-Time HMP Students

Students Entering Fall 2020

NOTE: Full time is *more than 6 units/term*. Course offerings may vary each term, but HMP only offers each course once per academic year. Courses have prerequisites. This is a general guide. **Meet with your advisor to map your specific plan.**

Year 1	Fall	Spring		
	Course	Units	Course	Units
	602	3	644A	3
	641	3	647	3
	TOTAL	7	TOTAL	6
Year 2	Fall*	Spring*		
	Course	Units	Course	Units
	644B	3	603	3
	742A or 747	3	648	3
	645	3	798	1
	798	1		
	TOTAL	10	TOTAL	7
Summer	Start Applied Practice Experience/Field Practice/Internship (no courses). You MUST apply and get approval BEFORE starting an internship. Internship activities can NOT overlap with your paid employment			
Year 3	Fall*	Spring		
	Course	Units	Course	Units
	601	3	750E	3
	642	3	743/elective	3
	650R	3		
	604	3		
	TOTAL	12	TOTAL	6

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Summer

Start Applied Practice Experience/Field Practice/Internship (no courses). You MUST apply and get approval BEFORE starting an internship. Internship activities can NOT overlap with your paid employment

Year 4

Fall		Spring	
Course	Units	Course	Units
742A or 747	3	748	3
646	2	797 or 799A*	3
797*	1		
TOTAL	6	TOTAL	6

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Following this guide, there are 3 out of 8 semesters that would require enrolling as a full-time student and paying higher fees.

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