



## Department of Social and Public Health

The Department of Social and Public Health intends to offer a three-year baccalaureate degree route to students pursuing a major in Community Health Services. This option will be open to students who complete 26 hours of academic credit spread out over two summer terms or through advanced placement or concurrent enrollment credit completed while in high school. Other students will also be able to pursue this degree in a four-year time frame.

The curriculum outlined below is a semester-by-semester plan of study for the Community Health Services major in adherence to section 3333.71 of the Revised Code for three-year baccalaureate degrees.

This plan described a path that includes the summer enrollment option. Please review this document and the following endnotes to gain a better understanding of program requirements.

The scheduling scenario below is intended to present an example pattern by which this major can be completed in three years. Those interested in pursuing this option need to work with an academic advisor to develop a specific plan to earn the 120 credit hours required for graduation.

### Community Health Services Major

#### Semester 1: Fall

Course Subject and Title (Or General Tier/Major Requirement)	Credit Hours	Upper Division	Minimum Grade
CHEM 1210: Principles of Chemistry I	3		
PSY 1010: General Psychology	3		
SOC 1000: Introduction to Sociology	3		
Tier I Mathematics Course	3		
Tier II Fine Arts	3		
Total hours for semester	15		

#### Semester 2: Spring

Course Subject and Title (Or General Tier/Major Requirement)	Credit Hours	Upper Division	Minimum Grade
ENG 1610: Freshman Composition: Writing and Rhetoric	3		
ANTH 1010: Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	3		
HLTH 2000: Introduction to Public Health	3		
HLTH 2020: Introduction to Health and Lifestyle Choices	3		
Tier II Humanities & Literature	3		
Total hours for semester	15		

**Semester 3: Summer**

Course Subject and Title (Or General Tier/Major Requirement)	Credit Hours	Upper Division	Minimum Grade
EH 2000: Introduction to Environmental Health and Safety	3		
HLTH 2040: Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs	3		
HLTH 2100: Women and Health	3		
HLTH 2300: Medical Terminology	3		
PSY 2110: Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences	4		
Total hours for semester	16		

**Semester 4: Fall**

Course Subject and Title (Or General Tier/Major Requirement)	Credit Hours	Upper Division	Minimum Grade
HLTH 2030: Foundations in Health Education	3		
HLTH 2050: Preventing HIV and STIs	3		
HLTH 2700: Family and Consumer Health	3		
HLTH 3100: Health Behavior Theory in Public and Community Health	3	YES	
NUTR 1000: Introduction to Nutrition	3		
Elective Course	3		
Total hours for semester	18		

**Semester 5: Spring**

Course Subject and Title (Or General Tier/Major Requirement)	Credit Hours	Upper Division	Minimum Grade
BIOS 1030: Human Biology I: Basic Principles	3		
HLTH 2040: Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs	3		
HLTH 2300: Medical Terminology	3		
HLTH 3300: Community Health Epidemiology	3	YES	
HLTH 3400J: Grant Writing for Public Health Sciences	3	YES	
Elective Course	3		
Total hours for semester	18		

**Semester 6: Summer**

Course Subject and Title (Or General Tier/Major Requirement)	Credit Hours	Upper Division	Minimum Grade
BIOS 1300: Principles of Human Anatomy and Physiology I	4		
HLTH 2120: Controlling Stress and Tension	3		
HLTH 2150: Violence in America	3		
Total hours for semester	10		

**Semester 7: Fall**

Course Subject and Title (Or General Tier/Major Requirement)	Credit Hours	Upper Division	Minimum Grade
BIOS 1310: Principles of Human Anatomy and Physiology II	4		
BIOS 2210: Microbes and Humans	3		
HLTH 2170: Health System Organization, Financing, and Delivery	3		
HLTH 2901: Health Aspects of Aging	3		
HLTH 4100: Program Planning and Implementation in Community Health	3	YES	
Total hours for semester	16		

**Semester 8: Spring**

Course Subject and Title (Or General Tier/Major Requirement)	Credit Hours	Upper Division	Minimum Grade
HLTH 4200: Program Evaluation in Community Health	3	YES	
HLTH 4800: Applied Service Learning in Rural Community Health	3	YES	
HLTH 4911: Community Health Services Internship	6	YES	
Total hours for semester	12		

<sup>1</sup> All Tier I and Tier II Courses can be taken at any time.

<sup>2</sup> Since most of the general education courses (Tier courses at OU) easily transfer from institution to institution, these courses may be taken through online or on-campus enrollment at other institutions subject to transfer credit applicability guidelines. Students should consult an academic advisor before enrolling in courses at other institutions.

<sup>3</sup> General Electives can come from any department. Academic advisors often encourage an expanded related area and/or a minor/certificate program that will complement the major.

<sup>4</sup> General Electives may be completed at other institutions, subject to credit transferability and minimum grade requirements.