



Ph.D. in Public Health Sciences

Curriculum

Core course work is designed to provide students foundational research skills and knowledge of health in the Central Valley and translational public health research. This is a sample program of study for a full time doctoral students (minimum 12 units/quarter) in the GGPHS Program. Students will take a combination of core courses and elective units. Most electives will be taken in the second year to avoid unit overload.

	Fall	Winter	Spring
Year 1	SPH 202: 3 units SPH 291: 1 unit MHI 210: 4 units *Electives (4-8 units)	SPH 291: 1 unit SPH 276: 2 units SPH 213: 3 units EPI 206: 4 units *Electives (2-4 units)	SPH 212: 3 units SPH 246: 4 units SPH 291: 1 unit *Electives (4-8 units)
Year 2	SPH 291: 1 unit SPH 292A: 5 units *Electives (6-10 units)	SPH 291: 1 unit SPH 292B: 5 units *Electives (6-10 units)	SPH 291: 1 unit SPH 298: 4 units *Electives (6-10 units) Qualifying Exam by end of summer
Years 3-5	SPH 299: 12 units	SPH 299: 12 units	SPH 299: 12 units

Core Courses

- SPH 202: Public Health Issues in CA's Central Valley
- SPH 213: Health Disparities
- SPH 212: Migration & Health
- SPH 246: Biostatistics for Clinical & Population Research
- SPH 276: Critical Assessment in Health Policy & Economics
- SPH 291: Doctoral Seminar
- SPH 292A&B: Public Health Translational Science Rotations
- EPI 206: Epidemiologic Study Design
- MHI 210: Introduction to Health Informatics
- SPH 298: Scientific Writing
- SPH 299: Dissertation Research

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