

PUBLIC HEALTH MINOR

Requirements

The Public Health minor equips students to better understand the social issues that deeply influence health and wellness. Topics include social inequalities in health, culture change and social explanations for mental and physical health. Health care workers and policy makers increasingly recognize that a full understanding of these topics is essential for professionals that are working toward a healthier society.

The academic minor in Public Health requires a total of 21 credits from three categories. In completing the requirements for the minor, a minimum of 12 credits must be distinct and different from the units used to complete the requirements of a major or another minor. Any credits above this minimum requirements may be double counted.

Code	Title	Units
Required Courses		3
SOC-337	Public Health	
MICRO PERSPECTIVES		
Select two of the following courses:		6
KINE-422	Ethics in Health Care	
SOC/ PSYC-312	Death, Grief, and Loss	
SOC-324	Social Psychology	
SOC-343	Class, Race, Ethnicity & Gender	
SOC-375	Social Issues of Health & Wellness	
POLS-446	Public Policy Issues	
MACRO PERSPECTIVES		
Select three of the following courses:		9
SOC-230	Social Problems	
SOC-317	Community Development	
SOC-320	Social & Cultural Change	
SOC-371	Urban Studies	
SOC/ PSYC-346	Human Sexuality	
SOC/ PSYC-382	Mental Illness in Society	
SOC-442	Global Development & Society	
Total Units		18

Other courses may count as an elective for the minor as they are developed or as approved by the Chair for the Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice. Questions, contact the Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice.

