

Community and Behavioral Health, Ph.D.

Academic Plans

Sample Plan of Study

Sample plans represent one way to complete a program of study. Actual course selection and sequence will vary and should be discussed with an academic advisor. For additional sample plans, see MyUI.

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Course	Title	Hours
Academic Career		
Any Semester		
75 s.h. must be graduate level coursework; graduate transfer credits allowed upon approval. More information is included in the General Catalog and on department website. ^a		
Hours		0
First Year		
Fall		
CBH:7100	Community and Behavioral Health Doctoral Seminar	1
CPH:6100	Essentials of Public Health	2
CBH:5220	Health Behavior and Health Education	3
EPID:4400	Epidemiology I: Principles	3
BIOS:4120	Introduction to Biostatistics	3
CPH:7270	Principles of Scholarly Integrity: Public Health	0
Hours		12
Spring		
CBH:4105	Introduction to Health Promotion and Disease Prevention	3
CBH:6230	Health Equity, Disparities, and Social Justice	3
CBH:5235	Community-Based Participatory Research	3
Content Area Elective ^b		3
CPH:7270	Principles of Scholarly Integrity: Public Health	1
Hours		13
Second Year		
Fall		
Qualifying Exam ^c		
CBH:5305	Evaluation: Approaches and Applications	3
CBH:6205	Designing and Implementing Interventions	3
CBH:7300	Advanced Behavioral Theories	3
Content Area Elective ^b		3
Hours		12

Spring		
CBH:7200	Advanced Intervention Research	3
CBH:5310	Qualitative Research for Public Health	3
Research Methods Core course ^d		3
Content Area Elective ^b		3
Hours		12

Third Year		
Fall		
CBH:6220	Health Communication Campaigns	3
Research Methods Core course ^d		3
Content Area Elective ^b		3
Content Area Elective ^b		2
Hours		11

Spring		
Research Methods Core course ^d		3
CBH:7505	CBH Thesis/Dissertation	3
Comprehensive Exam ^e		
Hours		6

Fourth Year		
Fall		
CBH:7505	CBH Thesis/Dissertation	3
Hours		3

Spring		
CBH:7505	CBH Thesis/Dissertation	3
Hours		3

Fifth Year		
Fall		
CBH:7505	CBH Thesis/Dissertation	3
Final Exam ^f		
Hours		3
Total Hours		75

- Students must complete specific requirements in the University of Iowa Graduate College after program admission. Refer to the Graduate College website and the Manual of Rules and Regulations for more information.
- See General Catalog and website for list of suggested courses and specifics; work with faculty advisor to determine appropriate coursework and sequence.
- Taken at the end of first year second semester if entering with a relevant master's degree; taken at the end of second year first semester if entering without a relevant master's degree or enrolled part-time. See General Catalog and website for specifics.
- See General Catalog and website for list of approved methods courses; work with faculty advisor to determine appropriate coursework and sequence.
- Usually completed after most required coursework has been completed; see General Catalog and website for specifics.
- Oral dissertation defense.