

PUBLIC HEALTH - HEALTH SYSTEMS ADMINISTRATION AND POLICY CONCENTRATION (B.S.) (COMBINED B.S./M.P.H. HEALTH SYSTEMS ADMINISTRATION AND POLICY CONCENTRATION)

A Combined Degree program enables undergraduate students to enroll in graduate courses in their senior year, which can be counted towards the completion of both their Bachelor's and Master's degree requirements.

The ability to take these "swing courses" allows students to earn both their Bachelor's and Master's degrees in a shortened period of time, typically within five years. Undergraduate students interested in this option can find more information regarding program requirements on the University's Combined Programs website (<https://www.montclair.edu/combined-programs/programs-of-study/>).

Degree Requirements Overview

Code	Title	Credits
New Student Seminar		1
SEEDS General Education Requirements		
Major Requirements		63
Graduate Swing Courses		12
Free Electives		
Total Credits		76

Major Requirements

Requirements for the graduate portion of this dual degree program can be found here. (<http://catalog.montclair.edu/programs/public-health-health-systems-admin-mph/>)

Code	Title	Credits
Core/Required Courses		
HLTH 102	Introduction to Public Health	3
HLTH 202	Public Health Foundations, Ethics, and Cultural Competency	3
HLTH 204	Social and Behavioral Aspects of Health	3
HLTH 240	Foundations of Environmental Health	3
HLTH 360	Health Policy and Administration	3
HLTH 365	Science of Public Health: Epidemiology	3
HLTH 425	Applied Statistics for Public Health	3
HLTH 208	Study of Human Diseases	3
HLTH 290	Human Sexuality	3
STAT 109	Statistics	3
Required Concentration Courses		
HLTH 355	Addressing Health Disparities Through Social Justice	3
HLTH 361	Health Systems Administration and Leadership	3

HLTH 370	Health Economics and Finance	3
HLTH 490	Ethical Issues in Public Health	3
HLTH 492	Health Systems Research and Evaluation	3
Concentration Electives		
Complete 3 courses from the list below. At least 2 courses must be at the 300-400 level.		9
Public Health Required Fieldwork		
HLTH 397	Career Paths in Public Health and Internship Preparation	3
HLTH 498	Internship and Culminating Seminar	6
Total Credits		63

Electives

Code	Title	Credits
ACCT 201	Fundamentals of Financial Accounting	3
FINC 221	Introduction to Finance	3
HLTH 105	Medical Terminology	3
HLTH 207	Injury Prevention and Emergency Care	3
HLTH 213	Perspectives on Drugs	3
HLTH 220	Mental Health	3
HLTH 226	Introduction to Non-Profit Management	3
HLTH 347	Special Topics in Health	1-3
HLTH 433	Population Approaches to Diet and Activity	3
HLTH 440	Health Aspects of Aging	3
HLTH 454	Race, Racism, and Health	3
HLTH 474	Gender, Sexuality, and Health Disparities	3
MKTG 345	Nonprofit Operations and Marketing	3
POLS 205	Introduction to Public Administration	3
WRIT 302	Grant Proposal Writing	3

Graduate Swing Courses

A combined degree program allows students to complete 6-12 graduate credits ("graduate swing courses") while enrolled as an undergraduate. These courses count for both their bachelor and master's degrees. Graduate swing courses will count toward undergraduate free electives, unless noted otherwise.

The Graduate Swing Courses for this program:

Code	Title	Credits
HLTH 501	Public Health Seminar: Foundations, Ethics, and Cultural Competency	3
HLTH 504	Behavioral and Social Science in Health	3
HLTH 555	Structures of Inequality in Public Health	3
HLTH 581	Health Systems Administration and Management	3
Total Credits		12

New Student Seminar

Code	Title	Credits
Students in the Adult Learner program must take GNED 100.		
Complete one course from the following. Some courses may be restricted by major. Consult with an academic advisor.		1
ADVS 198	Pathways to Success	
CHEM 190	Freshman Seminar in Chemistry	

FYS 100	First Year Seminar
GNED 100	Adult Academic Success Seminar
GNED 199	New Student Seminar
HPEM 199	Freshman Seminar in Health and Physical Education
IDS 155	Pathways to Adult Learning
JUST 199	New Student Seminar
MATH 102	New Student Experience for Mathematical Sciences
MUGN 199	Freshman Seminar for Music Majors
NURS 199	Introduction to Nursing
POLS 199	Freshman Seminar in Political Science and Law

SEEDS General Education Requirements

Click here for a list of courses that fulfill SEEDS requirements. (<http://catalog.montclair.edu/programs/seeds-general-education-requirements/>)

Code	Title	Credits
Foundations		
<i>Effective Writing I</i>		
Complete one Effective Writing I course.		3
<i>Effective Writing II</i>		
Complete one Effective Writing II course.		3
<i>Interactive Communication</i>		
Complete one Interactive Communication course.		3
<i>Quantitative Reasoning</i>		
Fulfilled by STAT 109 in the major.		
<i>Political and Civic Life</i>		
Fulfilled by HLTH 102 in the major.		
<i>World Languages</i>		
Complete two sequential classes in one World Language when starting at the Beginner I or Beginner II level. Complete one class when starting at the Intermediate/Advanced Level.		3-6
Exploration		
Complete one course from four different Exploration categories.		9
<i>Analyzing Cultures and Societies</i>		
Fulfilled by HLTH 202 in the major.		
<i>Creative Expression</i>		
<i>Ethical Inquiry</i>		
<i>Historical Thinking</i>		
<i>Literary and Artistic Analysis</i>		
<i>Scientific Reasoning</i>		
Total Credits		21-24

Recommended Roadmap to Program of Study Completion

This recommended five-year plan is provided as an outline for students to follow in order to complete their program of study requirements within **five years**. This plan is a recommendation and students should only use it in consultation with their academic advisor.

Fifth year courses are taken at the graduate level, after matriculation into the graduate portion of this combined degree program.

Undergraduate Program

First Year			
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
New Student Seminar		1 SEEDS: Effective Writing II	3
SEEDS: Effective Writing I	3	SEEDS: World Language 2 or Free Elective	3
SEEDS: Interactive Communication	3	HLTH 202 (Fulfills SEEDS: Exploration 1 – Analyzing Cultures and Societies)	3
SEEDS: World Language 1	3	STAT 109 (Fulfills SEEDS: Quantitative Reasoning)	3
HLTH 102 (Fulfills SEEDS: Political and Civic Life)	3	ECON 102	3
Free Elective	2		
15			15
Second Year			
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
SEEDS: Exploration 2	3	SEEDS: Exploration 3	3
HLTH 240	3	SEEDS: Exploration 4	3
HLTH 290	3	HLTH 360	3
HLTH 208	3	HLTH 361	3
HLTH 204	3	INFO 173	3
15			15
Third Year			
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
HLTH 365	3	HLTH 425	3
HLTH 355	3	HLTH 397	3
HLTH 370	3	Concentration Elective	3
Concentration Elective	3	Free Elective	3
Free Elective	3	Free Elective	3
15			15
Fourth Year			
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
HLTH 490	3	HLTH 498	6
HLTH 492	3	HLTH 555	3
Concentration Elective	3	HLTH 581	3
HLTH 501	3	Free Elective	3
HLTH 504	3		
15			15

Graduate Program

Fourth Year		
Summer	Credits	
FSDH 506	3	
HLTH 502	3	
		6

Fifth Year

Summer	Credits Fall	Credits Spring	Credits
HLTH 606	3 HLTH 507	3 HLTH 580	3
Graduate	3 HLTH 529	3 HLTH 604	6
Level			
Elective			
	HLTH 565	3	
	6	9	9

Total Credits 30