

# Public Health, MPH

Through innovation in experiential education, research, and service, the Master of Public Health at Northeastern University (<https://bouve.northeastern.edu/health-sciences/programs/master-public-health/>) trains diverse and skilled professionals who promote and protect the health of all communities. This program is accredited by the Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH) (<https://ceph.org/>). CEPH is an independent agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education to accredit schools of public health and public health programs outside of schools of public health.

## MPH PATHWAYS

In order to help prepare the next generation of public health leaders and professionals, the MPH offers our diverse graduate students an opportunity to:

- Participate in learning options that meet the needs of the working professional:
  - On-ground courses are offered in the evening (most classes meet once a week from 5:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.).
  - Enroll as either a full-time or part-time student.
  - Complete your degree online, on-ground, or in hybrid format (combination of both).
- Take elective courses on a wide range of public health topics, including cross-departmental offerings from Northeastern's other colleges (law, business, social sciences, and more).
- Enjoy a supportive learning environment that includes outstanding student mentoring.

## MPH—ONE-YEAR EXPERIENTIAL

The one-year experiential MPH pathway allows students to complete all degree components in 12 months with an emphasis on public health practice and industry partnerships. This is a full-time, asynchronous online program for midcareer professionals.

Please visit Bouvé College Learning Outcomes (<https://bouve.northeastern.edu/learning-outcomes/>) for the specific student learning outcomes for this program.

## Traditional Program Requirements

Complete all courses and requirements listed below unless otherwise indicated.

### Core Requirements

A grade of B– or higher is required in each required course.

Code	Title	Hours
<b>Required Core</b>		
PHTH 5202	Introduction to Epidemiology	3
PHTH 5210	Biostatistics in Public Health	3
PHTH 5212	Public Health Administration and Policy	3
PHTH 5214	Environmental Health	3
PHTH 5540 or PPUA 6509	Health Education and Program Planning Techniques of Program Evaluation	3
PHTH 6204	Society, Behavior, and Health	3
<b>Urban Health</b>		
PHTH 5120	Race, Ethnicity, and Health in the United States	3
PHTH 6200	Principles and History of Urban Health	3
PHTH 6208	Urban Community Health Assessment	3
<b>Practicum</b>		
PHTH 6966	Practicum	3
<b>Capstone</b>		
PHTH 6910	Public Health Capstone	3

### Electives

Code	Title	Hours
Complete 9 semester hours from the following (in consultation with your faculty advisor, you may complete electives from another discipline):		9

PHTH 5222	Health Advocacy
PHTH 5226	Strategic Management and Leadership in Healthcare
PHTH 5230	Global Health

PHTH 5232	Evaluating Healthcare Quality
PHTH 5234	Economic Perspectives on Health Policy
PHTH 5300	Project Management in Public Health
PHTH 5310	Budget Principles in Public Health
PHTH 5320	Grant Writing in Public Health
PHTH 5330	Using Publicly Available Data in Public Health
PHTH 5340	Writing for Peer-Reviewed Journals in Public Health
PHTH 5350	Using SAS in Public Health Research
PHTH 5540	Health Education and Program Planning
PHTH 6202	Intermediate Epidemiology
PHTH 6210	Applied Regression Analysis
PHTH 6224	Social Epidemiology
PHTH 6320	Qualitative Methods in Health and Illness
PHTH 6400	Principles of Population Health 1
PHTH 6410	Principles of Population Health 2
PHTH 6440	Advanced Methods in Biostatistics
PHTH 6800	Causal Inference in Public Health Research
PPUA 6509	Techniques of Program Evaluation

### Program Credit/GPA Requirements

42 total semester hours required

Minimum 3.000 GPA required

### Experiential Program Requirements

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PHTH 5210	Biostatistics in Public Health	3
PHTH 5212	Public Health Administration and Policy	3
PHTH 5214	Environmental Health	3
PHTH 5540	Health Education and Program Planning	3-4
PHTH 6204	Society, Behavior, and Health	3
<b>Urban Health</b>		
PHTH 5120	Race, Ethnicity, and Health in the United States	3
PHTH 6200	Principles and History of Urban Health	3
PHTH 6208	Urban Community Health Assessment	3
<b>Experiential</b>		
PHTH 6910	Public Health Capstone	3
PHTH 6966	Practicum	3

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PHTH 5540	Health Education and Program Planning
PHTH 6320	Qualitative Methods in Health and Illness
PHTH 6400	Principles of Population Health 1
PHTH 6410	Principles of Population Health 2
PHTH 6962	Elective

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### Experiential Plan of Study

Year 1

Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours	Summer 1	Hours	Summer 2	Hours	Summer Full Semester	Hours
Fall A		Spring A		Elective 1		3 Elective 3		3 PHTH 6910	3
PHTH 6200	3	PHTH 5212	3	Elective 2		3			
PHTH 6208	3	PHTH 5120	3						
Fall B		Spring B							
PHTH 6204	3	PHTH 5214	3						
PHTH 5540	3	Full Spring							
Full Fall		PHTH 5202	3						
PHTH 5210	3	PHTH 6966	3						
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Total Hours: 42