



MSW and MPH - Health Promotion Track Dual Degree Curriculum MSW Portland Campus Option and the School of Community Health

Students in the MSW/MPH Health Promotion track will need to complete at least 120 credits, which consists of 69 Social Work credits and 51 Public Health credits. (See sample course map below.)

In this sample course of study, Public Health coursework will count for 10 credits of MSW requirements as follows: PH 524 Introduction to Biostatistics (4 credits) will count as SW 551 in the MSW foundation research sequence, PHE 517 Community Organizing (3 credits) and PHE 519 Etiology of Disease (3 credits) will count as six elective credits. The 9-credit MSW three-course advanced practice concentration sequence will count toward MPH elective credits.

Sample Course of Study: MSW/MPH – Health Promotion Track

There are 19 shared credits. Note that MPH course scheduling may vary; this course of study model and courses may be re-sequenced. Please check with each department to determine the year’s schedule.

Year One (18 MSW Credits; 26 MPH Credits)			
Fall	Winter	Spring	Summer
**SW 539 Social Justice in Social Work (3 credits)	SW 541 Societal, Community and Organizational Structures and Processes (3 credits)	SW 520 Social Welfare History and Policy (3 credits)	HSMP 574 Health Systems Org (3 credits)
SW 540 Human Development Thru the Lifespan (3 credits)	SW 550 SW Research & Evaluation I (3 credits)	BIOS 525 Introduction to Biostatistics* (4 credits) [Meets SW 551 Research and Evaluation II requirement]	MSW Elective (3 credits)
PHE 512 Principles Health Behavior* (3 credits)	EPI 512 Epidemiology I * (4 credits)	PHE 517 Community Organizing (3 credits)	
PHE 511 Foundations of Public Health (3 credits)	PHE 541 Media Advocacy (3 credits)	PHE 519 Etiology of Disease (3 credits)	

*- Indicates a core MPH course that is offered every quarter

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Year Two (24 MSW Credits; 16 MPH Credits)		
Fall	Winter	Spring
SW 530 Skills for the Helping Process – Individuals and Families (3 credits)	SW 515 Skills for the Helping Process - Groups (3 credits)	SW 532 Advocacy and Empowerment (3 credits)
SW 511 Field Placement and Seminar (4 credits)	SW 511 Field Placement and Seminar (4 credits)	SW 511 Field Placement and Seminar (4 credits)
ESHH 511 Concepts of Environmental Health* (3 credits)	PHE 550 Health Promotion Program Planning (4 credits)	HSMP 573 Values and Ethics (3)
PHE 520 Qualitative Research Design (3 credits)	PHE 521 Quantitative Research Design (3 credits)	MSW Elective (3 credits)

Year Three (27 MSW Credits; 9 MPH Credits)		
Fall	Winter	Spring
SW 517 Health Across the Lifespan I (3 credits) or SW 533 Clinical Social Work Practice I (3 credits) or SW 586 Social Work with Children, Youth and Families I (3 credits) or SW 593 Practice and Leadership with Communities and Organizations I (3 credits)	SW 518 Health Across the Lifespan II (3 credits) or SW 534 Clinical Social Work Practice II (3 credits) or SW 587 Social Work with Children, Youth and Families II (3 credits) or SW 594 Practice and Leadership with Communities and Organizations II (3 credits)	SW 519 Health Across the Lifespan III (3 credits) or SW 535 Clinical Social Work Practice III (3 credits) or SW 588 Social Work with Children, Youth and Families III (3 credits) or SW 595 Practice and Leadership with Communities and Organizations III (3 credits)
SW 512 Advanced Field Placement (4 credits)	SW 512 Advanced Field Placement (4 credits)	SW 512 Advanced Field Placement (4 credits)
MSW Elective (3 credits)	Interprofessional Experience (1 credit)	MSW Elective (3 credits)
HSMP 588 Program Eval and Mgmt in Health Services (3 credits)	CPH 513 Applied Practice Experience (4 credits)	PHE 506 Integrative Learning Experience (1 credit)

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