

Bachelor of Science in Public Health

A Suggested Sequence of Required Courses (2021-2022 Catalog)

Freshman Year

Fall	Spring
_____ 0 CHA 1088 <i>Chapel</i>	_____ 0 CHA 1088 <i>Chapel</i>
_____ 1 PUBH 1145 <i>Health and Human Behavior (NSE)</i>	_____ 3 PUBH 2330 <i>Introduction to Public & Population Health</i>
_____ 3 REL 1310 <i>The Christian Scriptures</i>	_____ 3 REL 1350 <i>The Christian Heritage</i>
_____ 3 CSS 1301 <i>Fundamentals of Public Communication</i> OR CSS 1302 <i>Speech for Bus & Prof Stu (Comm & Media Lit.)</i>	_____ 3 Computer Science (see reverse)
_____ 3-4 Foreign Language & Cultures	_____ 3 MTH 1320 or 1321 (<i>Formal Reasoning 1</i>)
_____ 3 ENG 1310 <i>Writing and Academic Inquiry</i>	_____ 3-4 Foreign Language & Cultures
_____ 3 Fine Arts & Performing Arts (see reverse)*	_____ 1 LF 1134 <i>Fitness Theory and Practice</i>
Total: 16-17	Total: 16-17

Sophomore Year

Fall	Spring
_____ 3 PUBH Restricted Elective (see reverse)**	_____ 3 PUBH Restricted Elective (see reverse)**
_____ 3 PUBH 2331 <i>Health Concepts & Competencies (Fall only)</i>	_____ 4 HP 1420 <i>Human Anatomy (Scientific Method 1)</i>
_____ 3 SOC 1305 <i>Introduction to Sociology (Cont. Social Issues 1)</i>	_____ 3 PUBH 3331 <i>Program Planning in Health Education (Spring only)</i>
_____ 3 STA 1380, STA 2381, PSY 2402, or SOC 3402 (<i>Formal Reasoning 2</i>)	_____ 3 PSY 1305 <i>Psychological Science (Cont. Social Issues 2)</i>
_____ 3 HIS 1300 <i>US in Global Perspective</i>	_____ 3 ENG 2310 <i>American Literary Cultures</i>
_____ 1 LF 11__	_____ 1 LF 11__
Total: 16	Total: 17

Junior Year

Fall	Spring
_____ 3 PUBH 3351 <i>Epidemiology/Vital Statistics (Fall/Spring)</i>	_____ 3 PUBH 4355 <i>Human Diseases (Fall/Spring)</i>
_____ 3 PUBH 4331 <i>Intervention Design in Health Education (Fall only)</i>	_____ 3 PUBH 4333 <i>Evaluation in Public & Community Health (Spring only)</i>
_____ 3 PUBH 4340 <i>Global Health (Fall only)</i>	_____ 3 Contemporary Social Issues Course (<i>Cont. Social Issues 3-see reverse</i>)
_____ 3 PUBH 3350 <i>Human Physiology (Fall/Spring)</i>	_____ 3 PWR 3300 <i>Technical Writing</i>
_____ 4 BIO 1302 & 1102 <i>Introductory Microbiology</i> or BIO 4302 & 4102 <i>General Microbiology (Scientific Method 2)</i>	_____ 3 Restricted Elective (see reverse)***
Total: 16	Total: 15

Senior Year

Fall	Spring
_____ 3 PUBH Restricted Elective (see reverse)**	_____ 6 PUBH 4V80 <i>Professional Internship in Health (see below)</i>
_____ 3 PUBH Restricted Elective (see reverse)**	_____ 3 Supporting Area Elective (see reverse)**** if needed
_____ 3 Restricted Elective (see reverse)***	_____ 0-3 Supporting Area Elective (see reverse)**** if needed
_____ 3 PSC 1387 <i>The U.S. Constitution, Interp, Am Pol Exp</i>	
_____ 0-3 Supporting Area Elective (see reverse)**** if needed	
Total: 12-15	Total: 9-12 Students may ONLY take 6 hours with the internship

*All students must graduate with a minimum of 124 hours,
36 of which must be at the 3000/4000 level.*

Notes about major requirements:

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- For the internship (PUBH 4V80), students must have senior status, completed 24 PUBH credits, attend mandatory internship meeting and have public health director permission.
- Students who wish to change their major to Public Health after completing coursework at Baylor must have a cumulative GPA of 2.75 or above. A cumulative GPA of 2.75 or above is required for retention in the major and to qualify for graduation. Students planning to matriculate into 5-year MPH program are required to have a 3.2 GPA and meet other requirements to qualify.
- For more information, see the undergraduate catalog or contact: Margo M. Shanks; Margo_Shanks@Baylor.edu

Foreign Language & Cultures Requirement: 3-8 hours of credit, second semester proficiency required.

Please see reverse side for important information on general requirements.

Notes related to BS in Public Health Degree Requirements:

* Course Choices for Specific Areas (see below)

Fine Arts and Performing Arts: (choose one)

ADM	1241	<i>Apparel Aesthetics</i> (Prereq: For AM and ADPD majors)	ID	3313	<i>History of Interiors I (Fall ONLY)</i>
ART	1300	<i>Introduction to Art (for non-art majors)</i>	ID	4313	<i>History of Interiors II (Spring ONLY)</i>
ART	1310	<i>Drawing I</i>	MUS	1321	<i>Engaging with Music</i>
ART	1314	<i>Design IA (Two-Dimensional)</i>	MUS	3321	<i>Music in World Cultures</i>
ART	2302	<i>Survey of Western Art I</i>	MUS	3322	<i>Popular Music</i>
ART	2303	<i>Survey of Western Art II</i>	MUS	3323	<i>History of Jazz</i>
CLA	3315	<i>Ancient Drama in Performance</i>	MUS	4364	<i>Trad. Music and Culture in Latin Amer.</i>
ENG	3304	<i>Creative Writing: Poetry</i> (Prereq: Upper-level standing)			(Prereq: Junior Standing)
ENG	3306	<i>Creative Writing: Prose</i> (Prereq: Upper-level standing)	THEA	1301	<i>Acting 1: Realism</i>
FCS	1231	<i>Design and Creative Technologies</i>	THEA	1306	<i>Introduction to Theatre</i>
FDM	1309	<i>Introduction to Film</i>			

Contemporary Social Issues: (choose one)

ANT	1305	<i>Introduction to Anthropology</i>	CSI	1430	<i>Introduction to CS I with Lab</i>
SOC	3355	<i>Intro. to the Economics of Poverty and Discrim.</i>	CSI	3303	<i>Information Technology</i>
SOC	4309	<i>Social Psychology</i>	BUS	1305	<i>Software Applications for Personal Productivity & Decision Making</i>
SOC	4320	<i>Cultures, Personality and Identity</i> (Prereq: Upper-level Standing)			
SOC	4325	<i>Sociology of Religion - currently NOT offered</i>			

Computer Science: (choose one)

**PUBH Restricted Electives - Choose 12 hours from the following:

PUBH	2313	<i>Consumer Health (Fall, Spring, Summer)</i>			
NUTR	3314	<i>Consumer Nutrition (Fall, Spring, Summer)</i>			
PUBH	3314	<i>Environmental Health (Summer in Brazil ONLY)</i>			
PUBH	3317	<i>Mood Modifying Substances (Fall, Spring)</i>			
PUBH	3320	<i>Stress Management (Fall, Spring, Summer)</i> (Prereq: Upper-level Standing)			
PUBH	3325	<i>Maternal and Infant Health (Fall, Spring)</i>			
PUBH	4320	<i>Men's Health and Wellness (Fall, Spring)</i> (Prereq: Upper-level Standing)			
PUBH	4321	<i>Human Sexuality (Fall, Spring, Summer)</i> (Prereq: Upper-level Standing)			
PUBH	4327	<i>Dying and Death Education (Fall, Spring, Summer)</i> (Prereq: Upper-level Standing)			
PUBH	4341	<i>Cross-Cultural Health Communication (Fall ONLY)</i>			

***Restricted Electives - Choose 6 hours from the following:

ANT	4360	<i>Anthropology of Religion - currently NOT offered</i>			
BIO	2306	<i>Genetics</i> (Prereqs: BIO 1105 & 1305 or BIO 1405; & BIO 1106 & 1306 or BIO 1406; all with C or better grade)			
BIO	3330	<i>Medical Genetics</i> (Prereqs: BIO 1105 & 1305 or BIO 1405; & BIO 1106 & 1306 or BIO 1406; all with C or better grade)			
BUS	3303	<i>Managerial Communications</i>			
ENV	2376	<i>Social Analysis of Contemporary Environmental Issues</i>			
ENV	4310	<i>World Food Problems - currently NOT offered</i>			
MGT	4353	<i>Social Entrepreneurship and Economic Development - currently NOT offered</i>			
MH	4300	<i>History of Medicine</i> (Prerequisiste: Upper-level standing or consent of instructor)			
MH	4382	<i>US Healthcare System</i> (Prerequisiste: Upper-level standing or consent of instructor.)			
MKT	3301	<i>Principles of Marketing</i> (Prereq: Junior Standing)			
PSC	3322	<i>American Public Policy</i>			
PSC	4303	<i>International Human Rights</i> (Prerequisiste: Upper-level Standing)			
PSC	4330	<i>Urban Political Process</i>			
PSC	4352	<i>The Politics of Poverty - currently NOT offered</i>			
PSY	3310	<i>Social Psychology</i> (Prereqs: PSY 1305 & 2402 or consent of instructor)			
PSY	3321	<i>Abnormal Psychology</i>			
PSY	3341	<i>Summary of Human Development</i>			
PSY	4355	<i>Psychology of Aging</i> (Prereq: PSY 1305 or instructor's consent)			
SPA	2321	<i>Spanish for Healthcare Professions</i>			

****Supporting Area Electives - Choose 8-14 hours of the recommendations as needed to complete 124 hours:

MKT	3340	<i>Nonprofit Marketing</i>			
PSY	4312	<i>Behavioral Medicine</i> (Prereqs: NSC 1306 & 1106)			
SWO	3313	<i>Working with Minorities</i>			
SOC	4381	<i>Methods in Social Research</i> (Prereqs: SOC 1305,3402 & 3 hours of Math) OR SOC 3322 <i>Urban Sociology</i>			