

**MPH - GENERAL PUBLIC HEALTH TRACK**

**CHECKLIST AY 2009-2010**

This track has 22 required credits. Remaining credits are accrued through electives, seminars and independent study. The General Public Health Specialty Track Advisor should be consulted early to plan ahead to ensure completion of a total of 42 credits.

**CORE REQUIREMENTS**

<b>Course #</b>	<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Credits</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> 0001	Introduction to Public Health	2 _____
<input type="checkbox"/> 0300	Introduction to Biostatistics	3 _____
<input type="checkbox"/> 0320	Research Methods	1 _____
<input type="checkbox"/> 0400	Introduction to Epidemiology	3 _____
<input type="checkbox"/> 0500	Introduction to Environmental & Occupational Health	3 _____
<input type="checkbox"/> 0090	Practicum	0 _____
<input type="checkbox"/> 0099	Master's Thesis	4 _____
<b>Total Completed (16 Credits):</b>		_____

**One Course of the following areas:**

***Health Policy, Management & Economics***

<input type="checkbox"/> 0103	Strategic & Program Management	3 _____
<input type="checkbox"/> 0104	Healthcare in Communities & Public Sector	3 _____
<input type="checkbox"/> 0105	Health Economics and Policy Implications	3 _____

***Socio-Behavioral Health***

<input type="checkbox"/> 0201	Introduction to Socio-Behavioral Health	3 _____
<input type="checkbox"/> 0203	Introduction to Medical Anthropology	3 _____
<input type="checkbox"/> CLR0207	Culture, Illness & Community Health	3 _____

**Total Completed (6 Credits):** \_\_\_\_\_

**ELECTIVES:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**INDEPENDENT STUDY:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**TOTAL CREDITS COMPLETED (Minimum-42):** \_\_\_\_\_

**PRACTICUM**

- Meet with Specialty Track Advisor to discuss and plan the Practicum.
- Complete the Practicum Proposal Form
- Ensure Practicum is approved by Track Advisor before beginning.
- Fulfill the Practicum experience.
- Complete and submit the Practicum Postscript Report.
- Request that Practicum Preceptor submit the Practicum Evaluation Form to the Program Manager.
- Review Postscript Report and Evaluation with Track Advisor.

**COMPETENCY SURVEY**

- Competency Survey Completed - 1st year \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Specialty Track Advisor
- Competency Survey Completed - 2nd year \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Specialty Track Advisor

**THESIS**

*Students should refer to the Master's Thesis Guide for complete information.*

- Enroll in MPH 0320 Research Methods course in Winter Term of first year.
- Identify Master's Thesis topic and Thesis Advisor in collaboration with Specialty Track Advisor.
- Submit STATEMENT OF SUPPORT completed by Thesis Advisor indicating his/her willingness to serve as Thesis Advisor.
- Complete the Master's Thesis Proposal Outline and submit to Thesis Advisor and Specialty Track Advisor.
- Meet with Thesis Advisor to discuss Outline and plan for development of Thesis Proposal.
- Write and submit the MASTER'S THESIS PROPOSAL.
- Meet with Master's Thesis Advisor to review Proposal.
- Submit final copy of Proposal to Specialty Track Advisor.
- According to the agreed timeline, the student will notify his/her Thesis Advisor and the Specialty Track Advisor (if applicable) of the achievement of specific milestones and overall progress. If the student falls behind the established timeline, he/she submits an amended timeline.
- Submit completed MASTER'S THESIS to Thesis Advisor. When no further changes are required by Advisor or Second Reader, the Thesis is formally accepted.
- Meet with Thesis Advisor and Second Reader to have intellectual dialogue and receive grade. Completed MASTER'S THESIS EVALUATION FORM returned to Program Administration.
- Subsequent to all requirements, students must submit a final Thesis version (in hard copy) and the **Master's Thesis Deposit Form** to Program Administration no later than **April 15th** if the student wishes to graduate in May.
- Ensure Master's Thesis Deposit with the MSSM Levy Library.