

**Doctor of Public Health (DrPH) Program in Epidemiology
Graduate School of Public Health - University of Pittsburgh**

Fall Term, Year 1 (matriculation as of fall 2018)

Course #	Course Title	Credits
BIOST 2041	Introduction to Statistical Methods	3
BCHS 2509 (fall/spr/sum)	Social and Behavioral Science and Public Health	3
BIOST 2093 (spring) OR EPIDEM 2185 (fall)	SAS for Data Management and Analysis OR Introduction to SAS	2 2
EPIDEM 2110 (fall/summer)	Principles of Epidemiology	3
EPIDEM 2250 (fall/spring)	Seminar in Epidemiology	1
HPM 2131 (may be taken in Fall Term Year 1 or Year 2)	Public Health Law and Ethics	2
PUBHLT 2015 (fall/summer)	Public Health Biology	2
HPM 2001 (fall/spring)	Health Policy and Management in Public Health	3
PUBHLT 2022	Deans Public Health Grand Rounds	0
Internal Review Board (IRB) Module Training	NOTE: IRB module training should be completed by the end of the first term following your matriculation.	0
Pitt Public Health Academic Integrity Module Training	Please refer to the Pitt Public Health website for more information about this school-wide graduation requirement.	0
Elective(s) XXX ¹	In consultation with advisor	

Spring Term, Year 1

BCHS 2509 (fall/spr/sum)	Social and Behavioral Science and Public Health	3
BIOST 2049	Applied Regression Analysis	3
EOH 2013	Environmental Health and Disease	2
EPIDEM 2180	Epidemiologic Methods 1	3
HPM 2001 (fall/spr)	Health Policy and Management in Public Health	3
BIOST 2093 (spring) OR EPIDEM 2185 (fall)	SAS for Data Management and Analysis OR Introduction to SAS	2 2
EPIDEM 2250 (fall/spring)	Seminar in Epidemiology	1
PUBHLT 2022	Dean's Public Health Grand Rounds	0
Elective(s) XXX ²	In consultation with advisor	

Summer Term, Year 1

EPIDEM 2183	Reading, Analyzing, and Interpreting Public Health and Medical Literature	2
EPIDEM 2214 (fall/spr/sum)	Public Health Internship	1 - 4
PUBHLT 2015 (fall, sum)	Public Health Biology	2

Fall Term, Year 2

EPIDEM 2160	Epidemiology of Infectious Diseases	2
EPIDEM 2170	Chronic Disease Epidemiology	2
EPIDEM 2181	Design and Conduct of Clinical Trials	2
EPIDEM 2260	Epidemiological Basis for Disease Control	2
PUBHLT 2035 (fall/spr/sum)	Applications in Public Health	2
HPM 2001 (fall/spr)	Health Policy and Management in Public Health	3
EPIDEM 2250 (fall/spring)	Seminar in Epidemiology	1
BIOST 2050 (fall) OR BIOST 2066 (fall) OR	Longitudinal and Clustered Data Analysis OR Applied Survival Analysis: Methods and Practice OR	2 2

EPIDEM 2187 (fall)	Epidemiologic Methods 2	3
HPM 2131 (may be taken in Fall Term Year 1 or Year 2)	Public Health Law and Ethics	2
Elective(s) XXX ¹	In consultation with advisor	
Spring Term, Year 2		
EPIDEM 3100 OR FTDR 3999	Research and Dissertation Full-Time Dissertation Research	3+ 0
EPIDEM 2215 (fall/spr/sum)	Teaching Practicum	2
PUBHLT 2035 (fall/spr/sum)	Applications in Public Health	2
HPM 2001 (fall/spring)	Health Policy and Management in Public Health	3
BCHS 2558	Health Program Evaluation	3
EPIDEM 2250 (fall/spring)	Seminar in Epidemiology	1
Presentation Training	Competency in Communication	0
Elective(s) XXX ²	In consultation with advisor	
Fall Term, Year 3		
BIOST 2050 (fall) OR BIOST 2066 (fall) OR EPIDEM 2187 (fall)	Longitudinal and Clustered Data Analysis OR Applied Survival Analysis: Methods and Practice OR Epidemiologic Methods 2	2 2 3
PUBHLT 2030	Research Ethics and the Responsible Conduct of Research	1
EPIDEM 2921	Grant Writing	3
Electives XXX ¹	In consultation with advisor	

NOTE: EPIDEM 2004 (Pathophysiology across the Lifespan) or EOH 3210 (Pathophysiology of Environmental Disease) may be required if the academic advisor thinks the student needs a stronger foundation in physiology.

6 credits of electives in areas of leadership, advocacy, communication, or management are required. Courses that satisfy this requirement are below. Effective Spring 2017, BCCHS 3015/BIOST 3023 (formerly cross-listed classes) and BCCHS 3002 no longer qualify for this requirement.

^{1:} Fall Electives -

- **BCCHS 2135:** Leadership
- **BCCHS 2504:** Overview of Health Communication
- **BCCHS 2572:** Risk Communication
- **HPM 2081:** Public Health Agency Management
- **PIA 2028:** Public Policy Analysis
- **PIA 2509:** Project Management
- **PUBHLT 2025:** Concepts and Methods in Global Health

^{2:} Spring Electives -

- **BCCHS 2504:** Overview of Health Communication
- **BCCHS 3504:** Doctoral Seminar on Health Communications
- **HPM 2063:** Political Strategy and Health Policy
- **HPM 2133:** Law in Public Health Practice
- **PIA 2028:** Public Policy Analysis
- **PIA 2192:** Ethics and Public Life

Check departmental scheduling information to confirm offering cycles as they may change.

OTHER DrPH REQUIREMENTS: Contact your academic advisor or the Epidemiology Student Services Manager smithl@pitt.edu for more information. There are no credits associated with these requirements. They must be completed prior to graduation.

- **Primary Data Collection & Management Requirement**
- **Independent Development Plan (IDP) submission:** (Doctoral students must submit IDP's annually. A reminder about this requirement will be emailed to students in spring term.)
- **Presentation Training – Competency in Communication** (two presentations must be delivered)

