

**Recommended Sequence of Required Courses for Ph.D. in Health Services Research and Policy**

Year	Term	Code	Title	Instructor	Credits	Total for Term	
One	Fall					8.5	
		BIOST 2041	Introduction to Statistical Methods 1	Morton	3		
		HPM 2821	Current Topics in Health Economics and Policy	Castle	1.5		
		EPIDEM 2110	Principles of Epidemiology	Songer	3		
		PUBHLT 2022	Grand Rounds	Feingold	0		
		PUBHLT 2030	Research Ethics	Parker	1		
			Elective (Students must pick approved elective courses)				
		Spring					12
	BIOST 2042		Introduction to Statistical Methods 2	Wilson	3		
	BIOST 2049		Applied Regression Analysis	Mor	3		
	HPM 2216		Health Insurance	Jarlenski	3		
	HPM 3501		HSR Research Writing	Degenholtz	3		
PUBHLT 2022	Grand Rounds		Feingold	0			
		Elective (Students must pick approved elective courses)					
Two	Fall					9.5	
		BIOST 2046	Applied Cohort Analysis	Chang	3		
		HPM 2821	Current Topics in Health Economics and Policy	Castle	1.5		
		HPM 3065*	Advanced Health Policy Analysis: Implementation, Evaluation, and Translation	Donohue	2		
		HPM 3502	HSR Proposal Writing	Degenholtz	3		
				Elective (Students must pick approved elective courses)			
		Spring					13
	HPM 3125		Intermediate Health Economics	Driessen	3		
	HPM 2275		Preparation for the Comprehensive Examination	Castle	1		
	HPM 3505		Advanced Empirical Microeconomics Methods with Applications for Healthcare Research	Zhang	3		
	HPM 3010		Health Care Organizations and Environments	Rohrer	3		
	PUBHLT 2011		Essentials of Public Health	Goldstein	3		
<b>Required Courses</b>				Total	43		

**Other Requirements:**

\*HPM 3064: Health Policy Analysis is the prerequisite to this course and must be taken during the spring term of the first year

In addition to required courses, students must have a minimum of 72 credits to graduate.

Full Time Dissertation Study (b)

Current Topics; Must attend all semesters and register for at least 2 Semesters

Teaching (1 credit); Must serve as teaching assistant at least one semester (c)

Area of Focus (Minimum 12, including electives)

**Notes:** (a) Students without previous experience in health care are expected to take HPM 2105: Health and Medical Care Organization

(b) Students must register for 3 dissertation credits or one semester of Full Time Dissertation Research (FTDR).

(c) Students may optionally take the PUBHLT 2013 and PUBHLT 2017 sequence (2 credits total).