

1 Year MPH Health Services Organization (Postdoctoral)

Students must complete the following:

13 COURSES/60 units

REQUIRED COURSES (9 courses/44 units)

- PUB HLT 200A Foundations in Public Health (8 units)
- PUB HLT 200B Foundations in Public Health (8 units)
- PUB HLT 401 Public Health as a Profession (4 units)±
- HLT POL 200B Health Systems Organization and Financing, II (4 units)
- HLT POL M236 Microeconomic Theory of the Health Sector (4 units)
- or HLT POL 230A/B Health Economics: LMIC Perspectives (4 units)
- HLT POL 400¹ Internship and Consulting Report (4 units)
- HLT POL 403 Financial Accounting (4 units)
- HLT POL 439* Data Software for Public Health Professionals (4 units)

- SELECTIVE (*Select one of the below four courses*):
 - HLT POL M422/423 Practices of Evaluation in Health Services**
 - HLT POL 215A Healthcare Quality & Performance Management
 - HLT POL M233 Health Policy Analysis
 - HLT POL 441 Data Analytics

± PUB HLT 401 may be waived if proof of competencies covered in alternate course can be submitted. Inquire with SAO about this.

* HLT POL 439 may be waived via Blue Petition if the student passes the waiver examination administered during Orientation. These units do not need to be replaced by elective units. For students who waive out of HLT POL 439, they will be required to take 12 courses for a total of 56 units to confer the MPH degree.

** You may choose one or the other depending on your interests. HLT POL M422 is more applied, while HLT POL 423 is more research focused.

RECOMMENDED ELECTIVE TRACKS (4 courses/16 units)

Management: HPM 232, HPM 433, HPM 441[^]

Policy: HPM M233[^], HPM 286, HPM 287, HPM 441[^]

Clinical Research: HPM 214, HPM 215B[^], HPM 423[^]

Health Informatics: HPM 401, HPM 430, HPM 440A, HPM 441[^], HPM Telehealth (Course # TBD)

Quality: HPM 214, HPM 215A[^], HPM 215B[^], HPM 441[^]

[^] Course cannot be used as both a Selective and an Elective.

INTERNSHIP - To supplement the classroom experience, students must complete a 400-hour internship (10 weeks) with a health care organization. During the internship and during the following quarter students prepare a written applied report including a proposal with literature review culminating in managerial, policy or quality implications.

➤ **Courses that apply toward the degree MUST be taken on a letter-graded basis.**

¹The internship may be waived if the candidate has six months of full time work experience in the Health Policy and Management field and prior approval from the Program Director. However, the student must still enroll in HLT POL 400 and complete an applied consulting report.

Recommended Course Sequencing

1 Year Master of Public Health Health Services Organization *Cohort entering Fall 2020*

YEAR 1- Health Services Research (Postdoc)*

FALL 2021	WINTER 2022	SPRING 2022
PUIB HLT 200A	PUB HLT 200B	HLT POL 200B
HLT POL 403	HLT POL M236 or HLT POL 230A (2 units)	If opting for HLT POL 230A option, HLT POL 230B (2 units)
[HLT POL 439]	Elective/Selective	HLT POL 400**
Elective/PUB HLT 401	Elective	Elective/Selective
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		Elective
Internship**	Internship**	Internship**
UNITS: 20	UNITS: (18) 20	UNITS: (18) 20

* Schedule of classes subject to change

** 400 hours of internship for the HLT POL 400 course can be completed over the three quarters as consistent with student's academic schedule and needs.

[] Indicates courses that could be waived.

Elective Tracks:

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What constitutes an elective?

1. Subject area related to public health
2. 200 –level or above
3. Taken for a letter grade
4. Should be a 4 unit course or two 2-unit courses. Make sure you have a total of 16 units of electives.