Samford University

Professional Studies

Bachelor of Science: Public Health
Fast-Track to Master of Public Health Option

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS	Course Credits	Total Required Credits
NATURAL & COMPUTATIONAL SCIENCE		**7**
ECCO 100 Introduction to Computing	3	
Any Lab Science Course	4	
SOCIAL SCIENCES (choose two courses)		**6**
ECPS 205 Life-Span Development	3	
ECCN 256 Becoming a Self-Regulated Learner	3	
Other Approved Social Science Course	3	
MATHEMATICS		**3**
ECMA 110 Contemporary Mathematics (or higher)	3	
FINE ARTS (choose one course)		**3**
ECAR 200 Arts in Society	3	
Other Approved Fine Arts Course	3	
HUMANITIES (choose two courses total)		**6**
ECHU 101 Humanities and Culture I	3	
ECHU 102 Humanities and Culture II	3	
Other Approved Humanities Course	3	
SPEAKING AND WRITING		**9**
ECWC 101 Writing Composition I	3	
ECWC 102 Writing Composition II	3	
ECCS 215 Oral Communication	3	
Other Approved Speaking and Writing Course	3	
HEALTH		**2**
UCFH 120 Concepts of Health and Fitness	2	
Other Approved Health Course	2/3	
TOTAL REQUIRED GENERAL EDUCATION CREDITS		**36**

PUBLIC HEALTH MAJOR	Course Credits	Total Required Credits
Public Health Core		**30**
PHLT 101 Introduction to Public Health	3	
PHLT 201 Disease Detectives- Introduction to Epidemiology	3	
PHLT 202 Introduction to Global Health	3	
PHLT 232 Biostatistics: Numbers that Matter	3	
PHLT 301 Behavior Changes at the Individual, Family, and Community Level	3	
PHLT 302 Health Communications for Health Professionals	3	
PHLT 309 Cultural Competence and Spirituality in Public Health	3	
PHLT 311 Healthcare Systems, Organization and Policy	3	
PHLT 403 Water, Wastewater, and Environmental Health	3	
PHLT 499 Public Health Integrative Experience	3	
Geography, Health Informatics, Healthcare Admin		**13**
GEOG 216 Fundamentals of Geographic Information Systems (GIS)	4	
HCAD 302 Managing Healthcare Organizations: Principles	3	
HCAD 325 Management Healthcare Organizations: Applications	3	
HIIM 304 Principles of Health Informatics and Information Technology	3	
Public Health Electives		**12**
Four Public Health Electives (12 credits) as directed by advisor		
Professional Studies Common Courses		**12**
ECRE 101 Intro to the Bible I	3	
ECRE 102 Intro to the Bible II	3	
ECRE 300 Contemporary Ethical Issues	3	
ECCC 490 Senior Capstone I	1	
ECCC 491 Senior Capstone II	2	
Master of Public Health Fast-track Electives		**12**
Four public health grad-level courses (12 credits) as directed by advisor		
General Electives (directed by advisor)		**13**
Total Credits for General Education		**36**
Total Credits for Major		**55**
Total Credits for Common Courses		**12**
Total Credits for Fast-track Electives		**12**
Total Credits for General Electives		**13**
Total Credits for Degree		**128**