# Vanderbilt MPH Program
## Typical Course of Study

### EPIDEMIOLOGY TRACK

#### YEAR 1: FALL TERM
- PUBH 5501-01: Epidemiology I (4 hrs)
- PUBH 5502-01: Biostatistics I (4 hrs)
- PUBH 5516-01: Public Health Practice (3 hrs)
- PUBH 5521-01: Survey Research Seminar (1 hr)
- PUBH 5522-01: Qualitative Research Methods I (1 hr)
- PUBH 5520-01: Introduction to Health Policy (2 hrs)

#### YEAR 1: SPRING TERM
- PUBH 5508-01: Epidemiology II (4 hrs)
- PUBH 5509-01: Biostatistics II (4 hrs)
- PUBH 5505-01: Public Health Ethics (1 hr)
- PUBH 5524-01: The Science of Health Behavior (1 hr)
- PUBH 5527-01: Protocol Development I (1 hr)

#### YEAR 1: SUMMER TERM
- PUBH 5517-01: Grant Writing (1 hr)
- PUBH 5530-01: Protocol Development II (1 hr)
- PUBH 5536-01: Public Health Practicum (6 hrs)

#### YEAR 2: FALL TERM
- PUBH 5559-01: Thesis Research I (2-4 hrs)
- PUBH 5510-01: Measurement and Analysis for Healthcare Improvement (3 hrs)
- Electives*

#### YEAR 2: SPRING TERM
- PUBH 7999-01: Thesis Research II (2-4 hrs)
- Electives*

### GLOBAL HEALTH TRACK

#### YEAR 1: FALL TERM
- PUBH 5501-01: Epidemiology I (4 hrs)
- PUBH 5502-01: Biostatistics I (4 hrs)
- PUBH 5516-01: Public Health Practice (3 hrs)
- PUBH 5521-01: Survey Research Seminar (1 hr)
- PUBH 5522-01: Qualitative Research Methods I (1 hr)
- PUBH 5542-01: Foundations of Global Health (3 hrs)
- PUBH 5526-01: GH Project Development (1 hr)

#### YEAR 1: SPRING TERM
- PUBH 5505-01: Public Health Ethics (1 hr)
- PUBH 5524-01: The Science of Health Behavior (1 hr)
- PUBH 5550-01: Global Health Politics and Policy (1 hr)
- PUBH 5540-01: Leadership and Mgmt. in PH (3 hrs)
- PUBH 5541-01: Essential Skills in Global Health (3 hrs)

#### YEAR 1: SUMMER TERM
- PUBH 5536-02: Public Health Practicum (8 hrs)
- Electives*

#### YEAR 2: FALL TERM
- PUBH 5557-01: Protocol Development for GH (1 hr)
- PUBH 5599-02: Thesis Research I (2-4 hrs)
- Electives*

#### YEAR 2: SPRING TERM
- PUBH 7999-02: Thesis Research II (2-4 hrs)
- Electives*

### HEALTH POLICY TRACK

#### YEAR 1: FALL TERM
- PUBH 5501-01: Epidemiology I (4 hrs)
- PUBH 5502-01: Biostatistics I (4 hrs)
- PUBH 5516-01: Public Health Practice (3 hrs)
- PUBH 5521-01: Survey Research Seminar (1 hr)
- PUBH 5522-01: Qualitative Research Methods I (1 hr)
- PUBH 5520-01: Introduction to Health Policy (2 hrs)

#### YEAR 1: SPRING TERM
- PUBH 5509-01: Biostatistics II (4 hrs)
- PUBH 5505-01: Public Health Ethics (1 hr)
- PUBH 5524-01: The Science of Health Behavior (1 hr)
- PUBH 5525-01: Health Economics (2 hrs)
- PUBH 5538-01: Program and Policy Evaluation (3 hrs)

#### YEAR 1: SUMMER TERM
- PUBH 5527-03: Protocol Development I (1 hr)
- PUBH 5536-03: Public Health Practicum (6 hrs)
- Electives*

#### YEAR 2: FALL TERM
- PUBH 5530-03: Protocol Development II (1 hr)
- PUBH 5599-03: Thesis Research I (3-4 hrs)
- PUBH 5510-01: Measurement and Analysis for Healthcare Improvement (3 hrs)
- Electives*

#### YEAR 2: SPRING TERM
- PUBH 7999-03: Thesis Research II (2-4 hrs)
- Electives*

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*Suggested Electives: medschool.vanderbilt.edu/mph/course-requirements