Health Education and Promotion B.S.P.H. (Concentration in Global Health)

Degree Requirements: 126 Credit Hours

See Core Curriculum for required courses in Area A1 through Area E.

Credit Hours

Area A1 - Communication Skills
Select 6 credit hours from Area A1 of the Core Curriculum 6

Area A2 - Quantitative Skills
Select 3 credit hours from the following: 3
- MATH 1111 College Algebra
- MATH 1112 College Trigonometry
- MATH 1113 Pre-Calculus

Area B - Global Engagement
Select 4 credit hours from Area B of the Core Curriculum 4

Area C - Humanities, Fine Arts, and Ethics
Select 6 credit hours from Area C of the Core Curriculum 6

Area D - Natural Sciences, Mathematics, and Technology
Select 11 credit hours from Area D of the Core Curriculum 11
Area D3: STAT 2231
*Students must make a "C" or better in all area D classes

Area E - Social Sciences
Select 12 credit hours from Area E of the Core Curriculum 12

Area F - Courses Appropriate to Major

BIOL 2240 Microbiology 4
KINS 2511 Human Anatomy and Physiology I Laboratory 1
KINS 2512 Human Anatomy and Physiology II Laboratory 1
KINS 2531 Human Anatomy and Physiology I 3
KINS 2532 Human Anatomy and Physiology II 3
NTFS 2530 Nutrition and Health 3

Additional Science with Lab 1
The additional hour will be used in electives

Health and Physical Education Activities
HLTH 1520 Healthful Living 2
Physical Education Activities 2

Orientation
FYE 1220 First-Year Seminar 2

Major Requirements

PUBH 2131 Intro to Comm and Public Hlth 3
PUBH 3131 Chronic Diseases: A Modern Epidemic 3
PUBH 3132 Health Care Systems and Advocacy 3
PUBH 3136 Principles of Environmental Health 3
PUBH 3138 Mult. and Social Determinants 3
PUBH 3231 Epidemiology and Biostatistics 3
PUBH 3330 Modifying Health Behaviors 3
PUBH 3431 Introduction to Global Health 3
PUBH 3432 Introduction to Global Health Policy 3

PUBH 4232 Global Environmental Health 3
PUBH 4233 Topics in Global Epidemiology 3
PUBH 4234 International Development in Health (Poverty, Social Justice and Global Health) 3
PUBH 4798 Internship in Health Education and Promotion 2

Select 9 credit hours from the following Directed Major Electives: 3
- PUBH 3130 Substance Use and Abuse
- PUBH 3232 Foundations of Health Education and Promotion Practice
- PUBH 3331 Stress Theory and Management in Health Promotion
- PUBH 3430 Sexuality Education
- PUBH 3531 Consumer Health
- PUBH 4099 Selected Topics in Health Science
- PUBH 4099S Selected Topics in Health Science
- PUBH 4195S International Studies Abroad in Health and Promotion
- PUBH 4132 Health Education and Promotion Program Planning I
- PUBH 4133 Health Education and Promotion Program Planning II
- PUBH 4134 Research Methods and Evaluation in Health Education and Promotion
- PUBH 4230 Global Maternal and Child Health
- PUBH 4231 Health Aspects of Aging
- PUBH 4330 Promotional Strategies for Health Programs
- PUBH 4899 Directed Individual Study

Elective
Select 3 credit hours of Electives 3
Carryover from Area F 3

Total Credit Hours 126

1 Must be Biology or Chemistry Laboratory Science, excluding Environmental Laboratory Science Courses.
2 Students not meeting the prerequisite requirements for the internship must complete a minor.
3 Students selecting PUBH 4132 must also take PUBH 4133 and PUBH 4134.

Program Admission Criteria
• Admission to Georgia Southern University
• A total institution GPA of 2.0 or better on all course work attempted (transfer course work and work completed at Georgia Southern University are considered)
• Completed a minimum of 60 credit hours
• A minimum grade of “C” in all Area F course work attempted
• Student must have completed or be registered in PUBH 2131

Program Progression Requirements
• Students must also earn a minimum grade of “C” in a prerequisite course(s) prior to registering for an advanced course.
• Students must earn a minimum grade of “C” in all major courses, Directed Major Electives, and Area F courses; and have a GPA of 2.5 AND above to enroll in PUBH 4798.