

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

Year	Term	Code	Title	Credits	Total for Term	
<b>One</b>	<b>Fall</b>	BIOST 2041	Introduction to Statistical Methods 1	3	7.5	
		HPM 2821	Current Topics in Health Economics and Policy	1.5		
		EPIDEM 2110	Principles of Epidemiology	3		
		PUBHLT 2022	Grand Rounds	0		
			IRB Ethics Modules (Online)	NC		
		Elective (Students must choose approved elective courses)				
	<b>Spring</b>				12	
		BIOST 2049	Applied Regression Analysis	3		
		HPM 2216	Health Insurance	3		
		HPM 3064	Health Policy Analysis	3		
		HPM 3501	HSR Research Writing	3		
		PUBHLT 2022	Grand Rounds	0		
<b>Two</b>	<b>Fall</b>	BIOST 2050	Longitudinal and Clustered Data Analysis	2	8.5	
		HPM 2821	Current Topics in Health Economics and Policy	1.5		
		HPM 3065	Advanced Health Policy Analysis: Implementation, Evaluation, and Translation	2		
		HPM 3502	HSR Proposal Writing	3		
		Elective (Students must choose approved elective courses)				
		<b>Spring</b>				
		HPM 3010	Health Care Organizations and Environments	3		
		HPM 3125	Intermediate Health Economics	3		
		HPM 3505	Advanced Empirical Microeconomics Methods with Applications for Healthcare Research	3		
		PUBHLT 2011	Essentials of Public Health	3		
	<b>Required Courses</b>				Total	40

**Other Requirements:**

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

Full Time Dissertation Study (b)

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 must register for PUBHLT 2030: Research Ethics in the fall of their 3rd year