

Health Promotion Curriculum (Ed.D.)

Suggested Leveling/Prerequisite Courses

The health promotion faculty will identify required leveling courses based upon the student's professional career objectives and a review of his/her transcripts. Responsibility rests with the student to consult with his/her advisor prior to beginning the program for a determination of specific prerequisite courses he/she will be required to complete.

- Sexuality Education or Human Sexuality
- Drug Education or Drug Prevention
- Human Health and Wellness or Personal Health
- Exercise Physiology or Concepts of Conditioning/Fitness
- Nutrition

Since the doctoral program is a research degree, students who enter the doctoral program without having completed a thesis in their master's degree may be required to complete a directed research project as an independent study early in the doctoral program.

Required Courses:

Health Promotion Core

[KHP 673 Health Promotion and Behavior Change](#) (3)

[KHP 674 Foundations of Health Promotion](#) (3)

[KHP 677 Planning Health Promotion Programs](#) (3)

Statistics/Research Design Courses (9 hours required)

EPE 620 Topics and Methods of Evaluation (3)

EPE 621 Advanced Topics and Methods of Evaluation (3)

EPE 679 Multiple Measures in Education and Evaluation (3)

EDP 558 Gathering, Analyzing, and Using Educational Data II (3)

EDP 656 Methodology of Educational Research (3)

EDP 660 Research Design and Analysis in Education (3)

EDP 707 Multivariate Analysis in Educational Research (3)

CPH 630 Biostatistics II (3)

Dissertation Residency (Minimum of two semesters of KHP 767 required)

[KHP 767 Dissertation Residency Credit](#) (2)

Suggested Electives: (must be approved by advisor)

[KHP 600 Exercise Testing and Prescription](#) (3)

[KHP 601 Teacher Effectiveness and Leadership in KHP](#) (3)

[KHP 620 Advanced Exercise Physiology](#) (3)

[KHP 685 Supervision of Sport and Fitness Personnel](#) (3)

[KHP 695 Independent Study in KHP](#) (May be repeated up to 6 hrs)

[KHP 720 Sports Medicine](#) (3)

[KHP 781 Proseminar in KHP: Ergonomics](#) (3)

[KHP 781 Proseminar in KHP: Exercise and Disease](#) (3)
[KHP 781 Proseminar in KHP: Applied Wellness Concepts](#) (3)
[KHP 782 Independent Research in KHP](#)
EDP 600 Life Span Human Development & Behavior (3)
ANT 646 Global Health: People, Institutions, and Change
ANT 766 Gender, Ethnicity and Health
ANT 774 Food and Food Security in a Changing World (BSC 744)
BSC 626 Survey of Health Psychology (3)
BSC 760 Psychosocial Issues in Health and Aging (3)
BSC 770 Women's Health and Aging (3)
CJT 671 Proseminar in Health Communication (3)
CJT 771 Seminar in Health Communication (3)
CNU 502 Obesity C2C: Cell to Community (2)
CNU 605 Wellness and Sports Nutrition (3)
COM 572 Health Campaigns and Communities (3)
CPH 601 Environmental Health (3)
CPH 604 Public Health and Disease Prevention (3)
CPH 605 Epidemiology (3)
CPH 612 Infectious/Emerging Diseases Epidemiology
CPH 643 Measuring Health Behaviors
CPH 644 Rural Health Disparities (3)
CPH 648 Health and Culture (3)
CPH 778 Special Topics: Public Health Grant Writing (1)
FAM 658 Adolescent Development
GRN 600 A Study of the Older Person (3)
GRN 644 Demography and Aging
GS 610 College Teaching (1)
GS 640 Grant Writing
GS 650 Preparing Future Faculty (1)
HIS 584 Health and Disease in the US (3)
NFS 605 Food Related Behaviors (3)
NFS 610 Human Nutrition: Assessment (3)
NS 605 Wellness and Sports Nutrition
SW 514 Alcoholism and Problem Drinking (3)
SW 642 Psychological Aspects of Aging (3)

Notes: Courses numbered 500-799 may be used for graduate credit.

*Other topical classes approved by advisor and program advisory committee.

Students who plan to enroll in KHP 695 (Independent Study in KHP) and/or KHP 782 (Independent Research in KHP) must consult with and have their course approved by their advisor prior to enrollment in the course.

TOTAL HOURS REQUIRED: Minimum of 42 credit hours of approved course work beyond an earned Master's degree, plus a minimum of two semesters of KHP 767.