

Coordinated MSW/ MPH in Maternal & Child Health Policy & Leadership

SW 506, SW 513, SW 514, SW 515, SW 523, SW 528, SW 529, SW 536, SW 549

The MPH/MSW degree program is coordinated between the School of Social Work at the University of Alabama (MSW) and the UAB School of Public Health. MPH focus courses may be customized to the experience and needs of the student.

Curriculum

A total of 90 credit hours of coursework are required for the coordinated MPH/MSW program. Normally, 42 credit hours are required for the MPH and 60 credit hours for the MSW; however, because of the coordinated nature of the degrees, 12 credit hours from the MSW curriculum are credited to the MPH. This allows students to earn both degrees in reduced time and at reduced cost. Students may complete the MPH totally online, in class, or through a mix of online and in class experiences. Out-of-state online students pay the same tuition rate as Alabama residents.

Requirements	Hours
MPH Core Requirements: (14 hours)	
PUH 601 This is Public Health	1
PUH 602 Community Assessment	3
PUH 603 Quantitative Methods in Public Health	3
PUH 604 Programs and Policies	3
PUH 605 Public Health Management and Evaluation	3
PUH 606 Leadership for Evidence-Based Public Health	1
MPH Degree Requirement: (1 hour)	
ENH 690 Environmental Health Perspectives	1
Population Health Degree Requirement: (3 hours)	
PUH 610 Population Health	3
Approved Electives: (7 hours)	
Select 7 credit hours of Public Health 600-699 level courses	7
Applied Practice Experience: (3 hours)	
PUH 688 Public Health Internship	3
Integrative Learning Experience: (2 hours)	
HB 689 Health Behavior Integrative Learning Experience	2
or ENH 689 Environmental Health Sciences Integrative Learning Experience	
or EPI 689 Epidemiology Integrative Learning Experience	
or HPO 689 HPO Integrative Learning Experience	
Total SOPH Hours:	30
Shared Hours from MSW Curriculum: (12 hours)	
SW 525: Evaluation Research	3
SW Elective ¹	3
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Total Credit Hours for MPH:	42
Remaining MSW Program Requirements:	48
Total Hours Completed for MSW/MPH:	90

¹ Select 3 electives from the options below: