

Major Course Requirements

A minimum of 45 hours

► Required Core Courses (29 hours):

BIOL 221+221L	Introduction to Research Methods I+L	2
BIOL 222+222L	Introduction to Research Methods II+L	2
GLBH 201	Intro to Global Health	2
GLBH 265	Issues in Global Health	4
GLBH 310	Population Health	4
GLBH 410	Epidemiology for Public Health	4
GLBH 460	Health Systems of the World	4
HLTH 301	Health, Society, and the Consumer	4
RELT 390	Christian Bioethics	3

► Required Cognate Courses (7 hours):

FDNT 235	Nutrition	3
STAT 222	Intro to Statistics	4

Choose two Cognate Courses (6 hours):

COMM 330	Intercultural Communication	3
EMER 225	Public Health for EMS	3
ENVR 360	Conservation Biology	3
ENVR 361	Energy & Climate Change	3
ENVR 362	Pollution & Environmental Quality	3
SPAN 105	Spanish for Healthcare I	3
SPAN 215	Spanish for Healthcare II	3

Choose one Cognate Course (3-5 hours):

ANTH 124	Cultural Anthropology	4
COMM 220	Health Communication	4
COMM 223	Interpersonal Communication	3
HLED 166/166L	Health Education + Lab	3
MICR 134	Microbiology	5
PSYC 234	Human Development	4
PLSC 274	Intro to Political Thought	3
PLSC 328	Critical World Issues	3
PLSC 485	Foreign Relations/US	3
PSYC 390	Gender Issues	3
SOCI 121	Intro to Sociology	3
SOCI 214	The Family	3
SOCI 355	Cultural Diversity	3

Student Learning Outcomes

- Outline intrinsic factors, risk factors, and social determinants of health.
- Assess the key risk factors for different health (mental and physical) conditions.
- Analyze the global burden of disease.
- Contrast the technological, economical, sociological, and bioethical perspectives of healthcare.
- Evaluate the measurement of health status.
- Examine demographic and epidemiologic transitions.
- Compare the organization and functions of health systems.
- Assess links among health, education, development, poverty, and equity.

Occupational Information

What can I do with this major?

Global health professionals work to remove barriers to healthy living in all parts of the world. They collaborate with international governments and organizations, provide information and education to underserved communities and battle some of the deadliest diseases around the globe.

Job Outlook

According to the Department of Labor and Statistics, employment of community health workers is projected to grow 13% from 2014 to 2024, faster than the average for all occupations. Growth will be driven by efforts to improve health outcomes and to reduce healthcare cost. Organizations which mostly employ graduates with a Master's in Global Health are as follows:

- Government Agencies
- Non-governmental organizations (NGOs)
- Disaster relief organizations
- International aid and development agencies
- International health organizations
- Research and academic institutions
- Refugee health organizations

For More Information

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General Education Requirements

To view general education requirements for this major, please refer to page A-07, Summary of General Education Requirements: A.S. Degree.

How to Construct Your Own Program

1. Counsel with your advisor.
2. Consider your aptitudes, interests, and available courses.
3. Schedule major courses and cognates first.
4. Fill the rest of your schedule with G.E. requirements.
5. For the freshman year include English, Religion, and PE courses. Also include Basic Algebra I+II unless waived by previous work.

What the Degree Includes

- A total of 90 quarter hours including:
1. General Education requirements.
 2. Major requirements.
 3. Minimum 2.0 GPA, overall and major.

Sample Two-Year Program

This sample curriculum is designed to show you how a program may be constructed to help you select a proper sequence of courses in the major. It is not likely that these courses can always be taken in the order given. Your advisor will help you design a personalized program of studies.

First Year	F	W	S
College English	4	-	-
Introduction to Global Health	2	-	-
Religion	3	3	-
Introduction to Statistics	-	4	-
Communication and Public Speaking	-	4	-
Nutrition	-	-	3
Exercise Activity	-	-	1
Cognate and elective courses	6	4	11
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Second Year	F	W	S
Population Health	4	-	-
Epidemiology for Public Health	4	-	-
Religion	3	-	-
Health Systems of the World	-	4	-
Ethics for Global Health	-	4	-
Exercise Activity	-	1	-
Metrics Literacy	-	-	4
Issues in Global Health	-	-	4
Cognate and elective courses	4	6	8
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