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

Year	Term	Code	Title	Credits	Total for Term
One	**Fall**				7.5
		BIOST 2041	Introduction to Statistical Methods 1	3	
		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)		
	Spring				15
		BIOST 2042	Introduction to Statistical Methods 2	3	
		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	
Two	**Fall**				9.5
		BIOST 2046	Applied Cohort Analysis	3	
		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)		
	Spring				12
		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	

Required Courses				Total	44

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