

PROGRAM SPECIFICATION MASTERS IN PUBLIC HEALTH

COURSE TITLE	Master in Public Health(MPH)
COURSE DURATION	Two years
TYPE OF STUDY	Full time (Morning)
STUDY SYSTEM	Semesters system
DISTRIBUTION OF MODULES	1st Year courses: 1st semester – 5 modules 2nd semester – 5 modules Mini Semester = 6-8 weeks internship 2nd Year Courses: 3rd semester – 5 modules 4th semester – Dissertations / Research
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	40 Credit hours (Course Work) 6 Credit hours (Research Work) Total credit hours of the program: 46
DEGREE AWARDING INSTITUTION	Dow University of Health Sciences
TEACHING INSTITUTION	Department of Community Medicine /Dow Medical College, at Dow University of Health Sciences
ADMISSION CRITERIA	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. One year house job. (For Medical graduates). 2. The individual having 4 years bachelor’s degree (130 credit hours) in a discipline related to health sciences or statistics from an accredited institution, approved by Higher Education Commission of Pakistan can also apply. The fields other then medicine include; biology, dentistry, nursing, health science, veterinary sciences, psychology, biostatistics. 3. Domicile Sindh. 4. Proof of GRE/GAT result must be submitted Before the first semester examination.
CREDIT HOURS & STUDY HOURS DETAILS	Credit Hours Distribution Course work & Research Work (48 Credit hours) Semester 1 =15 Credit hours Semester 2 = 15 Credit hours Semester 3 = 10 Credit hours Semester 4 = 6 Credit hours TOTAL CREDIT HOURS OF THE PROGRAM = 46
Study Hours Distribution	Study Weeks per Semester = 16 weeks Examination = 2 weeks Semester Break = 2 weeks Working Days = Daily 9:00am - 3:00pm (except Saturdays, Sundays)
Teaching Hours	Lecture hours

Distribution	Practical / Lab. Hours/ Self Directed Studies
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MODULES DETAIL WITH CREDIT HOURS

Semester	Modules	Credit Hours	Semester Credit Hours
I	Fundamentals of Epidemiology	3	3
I	Biostatistics	3	3
I	Foundation of Public Health	3	3
I	Research Methodology	3	3
I	Social and Behavioral Sciences	3	3
I	Computer skills	0	0
I	Communication skills	0	0
			15 credit hours

MINI SEMESTER 6-8 WEEKS

Semester	Modules	Credit Hours	Semester Credit Hours
II	Infectious Diseases	3	3
II	Environmental & Occupational Health	3	3
II	Health services administration	3	3
II	Chronic Non Communicable Diseases	3	3
II	Reproductive Health & MCH	3	3
II	Computer skills	0	0
II	Teaching skills	0	0
			15 credit hours

Semester	Modules	Credit Hours	Semester Credit Hours
III	Health promotion	2	2
III	Medical Ethics	2	2
III	Demography	2	2
III	Nutrition	2	2
III	Medical Genetics	2	2
III	Computer skills	0	0
			10 credit hours

IV	Dissertation writing	6	6 credit hours
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Fee Structure:

Admission fee Rs. 25,000

RFID Card Rs. 1,000

Tuition Fee Rs. 78,000 per semester

Thesis defense fee Rs. 25,000 with examination fee