

CURRICULUM

Core Courses | 11 units

Epi 202	Statistical Methods in Epidemiology	2
Epi 204	Study Designs in Epidemiology	2
CE 201	Fundamentals of Clinical Economics, Health Social Science and Ethics in Research	2
Biostat 201	Fundamentals of Biostatistics I	3
Biostat 202	Fundamentals of Biostatistics II	2

Major Courses | 13 units

Epi 203	Communicable Disease Control	2
Epi 206	Epidemiology of Non-Communicable Diseases	2
Epi 207	Disease Outbreak Investigation	1
Epi 297.1	Seminars in Epidemiology I	1
Biostat 206	Research Methods I	2
Biostat 220.1	Introduction to Microcomputer Systems for Public Health Workers	1
HPAd 201	Principles of Health Administration I	2
HPAd 202	Principles of Health Administration II	2

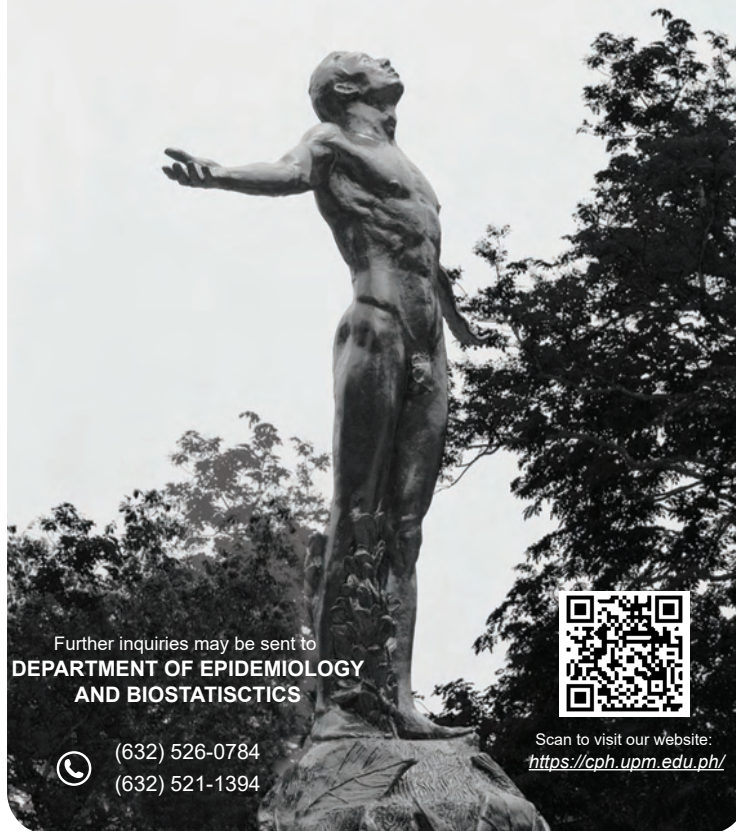
Elective Courses | 10 units

Epi 205	Evaluation Research	2
Epi 208	Epidemiology in Health Services	2
Epi 212	Sampling Methods in Epidemiologic Investigations	2
Biostat 203	Non-Parametric Procedures in Biometric Research	2
Biostat 209	Experimental Designs	2
Biostat 211	Computer Applications in Biostatistics	3

Other elective courses may be taken from other departments with CPH or in other colleges subject to the consent of the adviser.

Thesis 6

Total Units 40



Further inquiries may be sent to
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Application forms may be obtained from and returned to:

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COLLEGE OF
PUBLIC HEALTH



**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN
EPIDEMIOLOGY
(PUBLIC HEALTH)**



PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The Master of Science in Epidemiology (Public Health) is designed to equip health professionals with the skills in the application of epidemiologic concepts, theories and principles to the solution of public health problems. This program is the response of the College of Public Health to the shortage of epidemiologists who have adequate training.

PROGRAM OBJECTIVE

- Handle effectively research units, organizations, institutions, or projects, with their respective human, infrastructure, material, and time resources (research management);
- Solve cases, situations, conflicts and problems related to the application of research to the profession (critical appraisal);
- Design and implement Epidemiologic research and surveillance system adhering to professional, social and ethical standards;
- Communicate research problems, findings, and interpretations in written and oral forms across all types of audiences, venues, and media;
- Work with colleagues and co-researchers within and outside one's profession, in the promotion of the research culture and critical inquiry;
- Formulate relevant research outputs that can be used in policy-making, institution, building, and social change;
- Promote the ideals and philosophy of the university, community service, social justice, love of Filipino culture and heritage, and respect of other cultures and nations; and
- Model professional, social, and ethical standards of behavior in professional.

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Schedule of Semesters:

1st Semester: August to December

2nd Semester: January to May

Short Session: June and July (6 weeks)

***English is generally used as the medium of instruction.*

Number of Units:

Full-time: 12-15 units/semester

Part-time: 3-6 units/semester

Midyear: 6 units

Fees:

Tuition Fee: P990.00/unit

Library Fee: P1,050.00

Other Fees: P350.00/semester

Processing Fee: P300.00

Additional Fees for Foreign Applicants:

Processing Fee: US\$ 30.00

Educational Development Fund: US\$ 500.00

(US\$100.00 for residency only)/semester

***Average Tuition Fee for 15 units is P16,250.00*

Submission of Applications:

1st Semester: February until the last working day of April

2nd Semester: September until the last working day of October

The following are the grade requirements for each student to be of good standing in the program:

- 1) General weighted average of 2.00 or better;
- 2) Weighted average of 2.00 or better for the major/required courses; and
- 3) No grade of 5.00 in any academic course.

***A maximum of 5 years is given to a student to finish the program.*

Mode of programme offering:

1. Regular
2. Saturday Class

Living accommodations for students may be provided in privately-owned housing units/dorms/apartment hotels. Dorms offer lodging and/or board. There are privately-owned eateries around the school.



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ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS CHECKLIST

The following are the minimum NGOHS requirements:

1. Good scholastic record from any recognized institution of higher learning.
2. Possession of a baccalaureate degree with adequate credits in the biological and physical sciences.
3. At least 1 year work experience in the related field.
4. Duly accomplished Application Form (downloadable through the NGOHS website: ngohs.upm.edu.ph)
5. Comply with the General requirements found on the 2nd page of the Application Form (UPM-NGS-OP-01F1)

Graduation Requirements:

- Residency of at least 1 full academic year immediately prior to the granting of the degree.
- Completion of a minimum of 34 units of formal courses (11 units of core courses, 13 units of major courses, 10 units of electives)
- Residency of at least 1 full academic year immediately prior to the granting of the degree.
- Certificate of submission of paper for Publication.