



Master of Public Health
Public Health Specialisation

Master of Public Health (48 Units) – **Public Health Specialisation**

The Public Health specialisation comprises Core courses of up to **15-24 units** (5 - 8 courses), Electives of **up to 15 units** (up to 5 courses) and either a Research Pathway consisting of a Dissertation (12 units) or a Thesis (24 units) or a Practice pathway consisting of a Professional Practice Placement (12 units).

Option # 1 Research Pathway – Dissertation

Core Courses of **24 units** (8 courses), Elective courses of **12 units** (4 courses) and a Dissertation **12 units**.

YEAR 1			
S1	PUB HLTH 7074 / 7074OL Introduction to Biostatistics	PUB HLTH 7093 / 7093OL Promoting Health in Individuals and Populations	PUB HLTH 7113 Environmental and Occupational Health
WS	Elective		
S2	PUB HLTH 7091 / 7091OL Knowing What Works– Evaluation for Pub Health	PUB HLTH 7075 Introduction to Epidemiology	PUB HLTH 7090 Global Public Health
YEAR 2			
SS	PUB HLTH 7092 Leadership and Advocacy for Public Health Action		
S1	PUB HLTH 7300OL Developing a Research Proposal	Elective	Elective
S2	PUB HLTH 7119 MPH Dissertation (Full-Time) (12 Units)		

OR Part-Time

[PUB HLTH 7122A](#) MPH Dissertation P/T Part 1 (0 Units) / [PUB HLTH 7122B](#) MPH Dissertation P/T Part 2 (12 Units)

Option 2 - Research Pathway – Thesis

Core courses of **21 units** (7 courses), Elective courses of **3 units** (1 course) and a Thesis **24 units**

YEAR 1			
S1	PUB HLTH 7074 / 7074OL Introduction to Biostatistics	PUB HLTH 7093 / 7093OL Promoting Health in Individuals and Populations	PUB HLTH 7113 Environmental and Occupational Health
WS	Elective		
S2	PUB HLTH 7091 / 7091OL Knowing What Works– Evaluation for Pub Health	PUB HLTH 7075 Introduction to Epidemiology	PUB HLTH 7090 Global Public Health
YEAR 2			
SS	PUB HLTH 7092 Leadership and Advocacy for Public Health Action		
S1	PUB HLTH 7133A MPH Thesis (Full-Time) (12 Units)		
S2	PUB HLTH 7133B MPH Thesis (Full-Time) (12 Units)		

OR Thesis (Part Time)

[PUB HLTH 7134A](#) MPH Thesis (Two-Year) Continuing (0 Units) / [PUB HLTH 7134B](#) MPH Thesis (Two Year) Final (12 Units)



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Option 3 – Professional Practice Pathway

Core courses of **24 units** (8 courses), Elective courses of **12 units** (4 courses) and a Professional Practice Placement **12 units**

YEAR 1				
S1	PUB HLTH 7074 / 7074OL Introduction to Biostatistics	PUB HLTH 7093 / 7093OL Promoting Health in Individuals and Populations	PUB HLTH 7113 Environmental and Occupational Health	
WS	PUB HLTH 7096 Making Healthy Public Policy			
S2	PUB HLTH 7091 / 7091OL Knowing What Works– Evaluation for Pub Health	PUB HLTH 7075 Introduction to Epidemiology	PUB HLTH 7090 Global Public Health	Elective
YEAR 2				
SS	PUB HLTH 7092 Leadership and Advocacy for Public Health Action			
S1	Elective	Elective	Elective	
S2	PUB HLTH 7079 MPH Professional Practice Placement (12 Units)			



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Elective Courses

Courses up to the value of up to 15 Units (five courses) may be taken from the following:

- [DENT 7001](#) Oral Epidemiology (S2)
- DENT 7002 Oral Health Policy (Not being offered in 2020)
- DENT 7006 Societal Determinants of Oral Health (Not being offered in 2020)
- [DENT 7007](#) Prevention of Oral Diseases at Population Level (S2)
- [DENT 7010](#) Indigenous Oral Health (S1)
- [DENT 7150HQ](#) Dental Public Health (S2)
- [HEALTH 7000](#) Ethical Challenges in Modern Health Care (S2)
- [PUB HLTH 7031](#) Occupational Hygiene and Ergonomics (S2)
- [PUB HLTH 7078 / 7078OL](#) Qualitative Research Methods in Health (S1)
- [PUB HLTH 7081 / 7081OL](#) Health Economics (S2)
- PUB HLTH 7082 / 7082OL Health Economic Evaluation and Decision Making (not being offered in 2020)
- PUB HLTH 7104 Biostatistics
- PUB HLTH 7105 Diseases of Occupation (not being offered in 2020)
- [PUB HLTH 7106](#) Epidemiological Research Methods (S2)
- PUB HLTH 7111 Toxicology & Safety Management (Not being offered in 2020)
- PUB HLTH 7147 Health Technology Assessment (Not being offered in 2020)
- [PUB HLTH 7147OL](#) Health Technology Assessment (S1)
- PUB HLTH 7096 Making Healthy Public Policy

OR other Postgraduate Coursework courses offered by the University or another University which the Faculty approves in lieu of elective courses to the value of 6 Units.

Conversion Programs

- Eight (8) Core Courses AND four (4) Elective courses AND a Dissertation OR
- Seven (7) Core Courses AND one (1) Elective course AND a Thesis OR
- Eight (8) Core Courses AND four (4) Elective courses AND a Professional Practice Placement

Extension Programs

- Students in the 24 Unit Extension Program must take up to five (5) Core Courses to the value of 15 units AND up to five (5) Electives to the value of 15 units.
- Students in the 36 Unit Extension Program must take up to seven (7) Core Courses to the value of 21 units AND up to five (5) Elective courses to the value of 15 units.
- Students in the Extension programs will be advised about which Core and Elective courses they must complete depending on their previous study.

Degree Information

- Students must ensure they are correctly enrolled in accordance with Academic Program Rules <http://calendar.adelaide.edu.au/>

Please note the above study plan is indicative
Students who require further information & specific
Enrolment advice can contact:

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