

Integrated BS/MPH Grad Plan Approval Form Instructions

The BS/MPH Grad Plan Approval Form is required to apply to the Integrated BS/MPH program. The purpose of this form is to determine whether the BS and MPH degree coursework can feasibly be completed within two additional years. Approval to apply must be granted at both the undergraduate and graduate level. Eligible students must be BYU public health undergraduate majors with an emphasis in epidemiology, health promotion, or health science (not currently available for environmental science).

1. Complete the student and undergraduate degree information on page 2 before meeting with undergraduate academic advisor, Beth Liechty.
2. Meet with Beth Liechty (beth.liechty@byu.edu) to determine if you are eligible to apply to the integrated program. If eligible, carefully map out your public health coursework for each semester. If you are uncertain about any specific requirements, check with Beth for guidance. (*Students must have at least 90 credits completed by the time they start the MPH program*).
3. Obtain signature approval from the undergraduate academic advisor, Beth Liechty, for undergraduate approval.*
4. Meet with a designated MPH curriculum committee member for graduate level approval and signature.*
5. After completing the Integrated BS/MPH Grad Plan Approval form and obtaining the necessary undergraduate and graduate level signatures, upload the Grad Plan Approval form to the *Integrated BS/MPH Department Application* by the February 1st application deadline of your junior year.

*Grad plan workshops will be held in January 2023 to help you obtain necessary signatures in one stop for items 3 and 4 above. Please plan to attend one of these workshops. If you are unable to attend one of the scheduled workshops, please schedule times to meet with Beth and a designated MPH curriculum committee representative for the required signatures.

Workshop Dates:

- Wednesday, January 11th from 5:00pm - 6:30pm in 2037 LSB
- Thursday, January 12th from 11:00am - 12:30pm in 2037 LSB

Name _____

BYU ID Number _____

BYU Net ID _____

Local Street Address _____

Telephone # _____

City, State, Zip _____

Email Address _____

Undergraduate Degree Information:

Emphasis: _____ Overall GPA: _____ Major GPA: _____

Please complete the following information with undergraduate academic advisor Beth Liechty:

University Core Requirements:

- ☐ Student has completed all University Core requirements
- ☐ Student must complete the following University Core requirements:

Remaining GE and Religion Courses		
Course #	Hours	Course Name

- ☐ Student must complete the following major requirements:

Remaining Major Courses		
Course #	Hours	Course Name

- ☐ Student must complete the following minor or post-grad requirements:

Remaining Minor or Post-Grad Courses, if needed		
Course #	Hours	Course Name

Total Number of Credits Completed:	/120
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PROPOSED GRAD PLAN (check with Beth Liechty for guidance)

Winter Semester 2023 - Apply to MPH by Feb. 1		
Course #	Hours	Course Name

Spring Term 2023		
Course #	Hours	Course Name

Summer Term 2023		
Course #	Hours	Course Name

Fall Semester 2023 – Start Integrated BS/MPH Program		
Course #	Hours	Course Name
HLTH 610	3	Foundations of Public Health in the 21 st Century
HLTH 611	3	Quantitative and Qualitative Methods for Public Health I
HLTH 613	3	Understanding Community, Family, & Individual Health
HLTH 614	3	Program Planning, Evaluation, and Management I

Winter Semester 2024		
Course #	Hours	Course Name
HLTH 621	3	Quantitative and Qualitative Methods for Public Health II
HLTH 622	3	Foundations of Health Behavior Change & Health Communication
HLTH 623	3	Public Health Systems, Policy, and Advocacy

HLTH 624	3	Program Planning, Evaluation, and Management II

Spring and/or Summer Semester 2024		
Course #	Hours	Course Name
HLTH 688R	6	Field Experience

Fall Semester 2024		
Course #	Hours	Course Name
HLTH 632	3	Public Health Leadership and Ethics
HLTH 690	3	Public Health Capstone
MPH Elective	3	

Winter Semester 2025		
Course #	Hours	Course Name
MPH Elective	3	
MPH Elective	3	
MPH Elective	3	

Spring and/or Summer Semester 2025 (if needed to complete undergraduate requirements)		
Course #	Hours	Course Name

**MPH elective courses are approved by graduate faculty advisors. Students have the option to earn a MPH certificate through select electives. To learn more, visit <https://ph.byu.edu/mph>.*

NOTE: It is the primary responsibility of the student to verify that all undergraduate required classes are covered and completed. Applicants not accepted into the integrated program should plan accordingly. Students should graduate by their anticipated graduation date if the suggested paths for course planning are followed.

- ☐ I am a public health major at Brigham Young University, and I certify the above information is accurate and authorize the Department of Public Health to access my academic information.

Student Signature

Date

- ☐ I certify the above information has been reviewed and discussed with the student, and I confirm the student is eligible to apply to the integrated BS/MPH program.

Undergraduate Academic Advisor Signature

Date

- ☐ I certify the above information has been reviewed and discussed with the student, and I confirm the student is eligible to apply to the integrated BS/MPH program.

MPH Director or MPH Curriculum Committee Member Signature

Date