

Master of Public Health (International students)

Program code

5263

Available at

Gold Coast Campus, Online

Duration

1 to 1.5 years full-time

3 years part-time (online only)

Credit points

120

Indicative fee

\$36,000.00* per year (more)

* 2024 indicative annual fee

Admission requirements

Related Bachelor degree or higher

(more)

CRICOS code

002408D

Commencing in

Trimester 1, Trimester 2 and Trimester

3

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Degree requirements: Students who started Trimester 2 - 2024

Trimester 1 and Trimester 2 intakes

To be eligible for the award of Master of Public Health (MPH), a student must acquire 120 credit points as prescribed below:

- Standard pathway:
 - o gain 80 credit points for the core courses and
 - \circ gain 40 credit points from the listed elective courses.
- Dissertation pathway:
 - gain 70 credit points for the core courses and
 - o gain 10 credit points from the listed elective courses and
 - successfully complete the 40 credit point dissertation.

Advanced standing

To be eligible for the award of *Master of Public Health (MPH)*, a student admitted with **40 credit points of advanced standing** must acquire 80 credit points as prescribed below:

- Standard pathway:
 - o gain 40 credit points for the core courses and
 - gain 40 credit points from the listed elective courses.
- Dissertation pathway:
 - o gain 30 credit points for the core courses and
 - o gain 10 credit points from the listed elective courses and
 - successfully complete the 40 credit point dissertation.

This degree may be awarded **with Distinction** where a student achieves a minimum program GPA of 6.5 with no failed courses. The words "This award was achieved with Distinction" will be recorded on the testamur.

Exit point

To be eligible to exit the Master of Global Public Health program, a student must meet the requirements of the Graduate Diploma of Public Health or Master of Public Health program. To exit, a student should apply for a program transfer.

The Graduate Diploma exit point is not available to students admitted to the Masters program with advanced standing.

Students who exit with the Graduate Diploma will not be eligible for readmission to complete the Master of Public Health.

Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) Level and Type

The Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) is the national policy for regulated qualifications in Australian education and training. This qualification is accredited as an AQF Level 9 - Masters Degree (Coursework).

Program learning outcomes

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Program Learning Outcomes communicate to the community the value of the Griffith educational experience as benchmarked against national qualification standards.

Program Learning Outcomes for this award describe the knowledge, skills and the application of knowledge and skills you will acquire through studying the Griffith program of your choice.

Course list: Students starting Trimester 2 - 2024

Course offering information in program structures is a guide only. Please check the actual offering information in the Course Catalogue.

Programs options

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2			Standard pathway	120
			OR	
Tri 1,2			Standard pathway with Advanced Standing	80
Tri 1,2			Dissertation pathway	120
			OR	
Tri 1,2			Dissertation pathway with Advanced Standing	80

Pathways (2 available)

Dissertation

Dissertation pathway

Year 1

Students must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	7233MED		Global Health Systems	10
			OR	
Tri 1,3	7304MED		Healthcare Systems	10
Tri 1,3	7111MED		Environment and Population Health	10
Tri 1,3	7312MED		Epidemiology: Principles and Practices	10
Tri 1,2,3	7001HSV		Foundations of Research Inquiry	10
Tri 2,3	7311MED		Social Determinants of Health	10
Tri 2,3	7881MED		Health Program Planning, Monitoring and Evaluation	10
Tri 2	7708MED		Applied Field Methods in Public Health	10
Tri 1,2 or 3			Listed elective	10

Exit point: To be eligible to exit this Master program, a student must meet the requirements of the Graduate Diploma in Public Health (4094). To exit, a student should apply for a program transfer.

Students should advise the Program Director about their intention to enrol in the Dissertation courses at least one trimester in advance of their expected enrolment.

Eligibility to undertake the Dissertation courses will be determined by the Program Director and will be subject to the following criteria:

- completion of 7001HSV Foundations of Research with a minimum grade of 5.0;
- achievement of a GPA of at least 5.5 or above for all completed coursework courses;
- the suitability of the proposed dissertation topic and the resources available to support the candidature including availability of appropriate supervision.

Students must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2	8010MED_P1		Dissertation	10
Tri 1,2	8010MED_P2		Dissertation	10
Tri 1,2	8010MED_P3		Dissertation	10
Tri 1,2	8010MED_P4		Dissertation	10

Dissertation pathway with advanced standing

Year 1

Students must complete the following course:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP	
Tri 1,2 or 3	7001HSV		Foundations of Research Inquiry (Tri 3 online only)	10	

Students articulating from the Graduate Certificate in Public Health must complete the remaining core courses, which have not already been successfully completed within their Graduate Certificate program. Core courses undertaken in excess of the degree requirements can be considered as electives.

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	7233MED		Global Health Systems	10
			OR	
Tri 1,3	7304MED		Healthcare Systems	10
Tri 1,3	7312MED		Epidemiology: Principles and Practices	10
Tri 1,3	7111MED		Environment and Population Health	10
Tri 2,3	7311MED		Social Determinants of Health	10
Tri 2,3	7881MED		Health Program Planning, Monitoring and Evaluation	10
Tri 2	7708MED		Applied Field Methods in Public Health	10
Tri 1,2 or 3			Listed elective	10

Students should advise the Program Director about their intention to enrol in the Year 2 Dissertation courses at least one trimester in advance of their expected enrolment.

Eligibility to undertake the Dissertation courses will be determined by the Program Director and will be subject to the following criteria:

- completion of 7001HSV Foundations of Research with a minimum grade of 5.0;
- achievement of a GPA of at least 5.5 or above for all completed coursework courses;
- the suitability of the proposed dissertation topic and the resources available to support the candidature including availability of appropriate supervision.

Year 2

Students must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2	8010MED_P1		Dissertation	10
Tri 1,2	8010MED_P2		Dissertation	10
Tri 1,2	8010MED_P3		Dissertation	10
Tri 1,2	8010MED_P4		Dissertation	10

Standard

Standard pathway

Year 1

Students must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	7233MED		Global Health Systems	10
			OR	
Tri 1,3	7304MED		Healthcare Systems	10
Tri 1,3	7111MED		Environment and Population Health	10
Tri 1,3	7312MED		Epidemiology: Principles and Practices	10
Tri 2,3	7311MED		Social Determinants of Health	10
Tri 2,3	7881MED		Health Program Planning, Monitoring and Evaluation	10
Tri 2	7708MED		Applied Field Methods in Public Health	10
Tri 1,2 or 3			Listed electives	20

Exit point: To be eligible to exit this Master program, a student must meet the requirements of the Graduate Diploma in Public Health (4094). To exit, a student should apply for a program transfer.

Year 2

Students must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2 or 3	7707MED		Public Health Practice	20
Tri 1,2 or 3			Listed electives	20

Standard pathway with advanced standing

Year 1

Students articulating from the Graduate Certificate in Public Health must complete the remaining core courses, which have not already been successfully completed within their Graduate Certificate program. Core courses undertaken in excess of the degree requirements can be considered as electives.

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	7233MED		Global Health Systems	10
			OR	
Tri 1,3	7304MED		Healthcare Systems	10
Tri 1	7312MED		Epidemiology: Principles and Practices	10
Tri 1,3	7111MED		Environment and Population Health	10
Tri 2,3	7311MED		Social Determinants of Health	10
Tri 2,3	7881MED		Health Program Planning, Monitoring and Evaluation	10
Tri 2	7708MED		Applied Field Methods in Public Health	10
Tri 1,2 or 3			Listed elective	10

Year 2

Students articulating from the Graduate Certificate in Public Health must complete the remaining core courses, which have not already been successfully completed within their Graduate Certificate program. Core courses undertaken in excess of the degree requirements can be considered as electives.

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2 or 3	7707MED		Public Health Practice	20
Tri 1,2 or 3			Listed electives	30

Electives (1 available) Listed electives

Course code	Requirement Course title	CP
7314MED	Digital Health	10
7415MED	Global Health, Equity and Human Rights	10
7324MED	Financing Health and Social Care	10
7461ENV	Environment and Development	10
7422MED	Disaster Management and Resilience Building	10
7067ENV	Geographic Information Systems	10
7231MED	Health Promotion Community Engagement	10
7032HSV	Human Service : Knowledge and Practice	10
7035HSV	Understanding Mental Health: Theories and Practice	10
7053HSV	Introduction to Working with First Peoples Communities	10
7097ENV	Public Involvement and Community Development	10
8046NRS	Primary Maternity Care in Context	10
8047NRS	Global Maternal Health	10
7125LHS	Communication in Crises and Disasters	10
7401ENV	Environmental Economics	10
8040NRS	Global Issues in Infection Prevention and Control	10
7920IBA	Sustainability and Systems Thinking	10
6002HLS	Quantitative Research	10
7018NRS	Qualitative Research	10
7012GBS	Qualitative Methods	10
7004MKT	Marketing for Social Change	10
7510LFC	-	10
7001HSV	Foundations of Research Inquiry (Tri 3 online only)	10
7003MKT	Marketing Foundations	10
7417MED	International Public Health Practice	20
7307MED	Health Economics	10
7411MED	Leadership in Management for Health Services	10
7057ENV	Policymaking and Planning for Climate Change	10
7117MED	Climate Change and Public Health	10
8050NRS	Promoting Sexual Health and Wellness	10
7036HSV	Consumer, Carer, and Community Engagement in Mental Health	10
8846NRS	Clinical Infectious Diseases	10
8853NRS	Infection Control for Community and Public Health	10
7112IBA	Globalisation and Corporate Social Responsibility	10
7305MED	Health Workforce	10
7412MED	International Nutrition	10
7414MED	Project Planning and Design in Global Health (not offered 2023)	10
7211MED	Physical Activity Promotion	10
7301MED	Health Policy and Planning	10
7232MED	Global Health: Priorities and Interventions	10
7950ESC		10
7210MED		10
7419MED	·	10
	Asia-Pacific Public Health Field Tour	10
7030HSV	Working with Diverse Populations	10
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Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 3	8038NRS		Emerging Issues in Disaster and Pandemic Planning, Response and Management	10
Tri 1,2 or 3			Approved elective (see Note 1)	10

Note 1: Students may also choose electives from other parts of the University. This option requires prior consultation with (and approval from) the Program Director.