Master of Global Public Health (Domestic students)

Program code
5725

Available at
Gold Coast Campus, Online

Duration
1.5 to 2 years full-time
4 years part-time

Credit points
160

Indicative fee
$11,000.00* per year (more)
* 2024 indicative annual CSP fee

Admission requirements
Related Bachelor degree or higher

(more)

Commencing in
Trimester 1, Trimester 2 and Trimester 3

Next start date
Trimester 2, 2024 (more)

Applications close
Monday, 24 June 2024
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Degree requirements: Students who started Trimester 3 - 2022

To be eligible for the award of *Master of Global Public Health (MGlobalPH)*, a student must acquire 160 credit points as prescribed below:

- **Standard pathway:**
  - gain 100 credit points for the core courses and
  - gain 60 credit points of listed elective courses
- **Dissertation pathway:**
  - gain 90 credit points for the core courses and
  - gain 30 credit points of listed elective courses and
  - successfully complete the 40 credit point dissertation.

Advanced Standing

To be eligible for the award of *Master of Global Public Health (MGlobalPH)*, a student admitted with **40 credit points of advanced standing** must acquire 120 credit points as prescribed below:

- **Standard pathway:**
  - gain 60 credit points for the core courses and
  - gain 60 credit points of listed elective courses
- **Dissertation pathway:**
  - gain 50 credit points for the core courses and
  - gain 30 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 points

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

The Graduate Certificate and Graduate Diploma exit points are 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 120 credit point Master of Public Health. These students will be eligible to apply for admission to the 160 credit point Master of Global Public Health and, if successful, will be required to complete at least 80 credit points.

Students who exit with the Master of Public Health will not be eligible for readmission to complete the 160 credit point Master

of Global Public Health.

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.

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 3 - 2022

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

Program options

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2 or 3			Standard pathway	160
			OR	
Tri 1,2 or 3			Standard pathway with advanced standing	120
Tri 1,2 or 3			Dissertation pathway	160
			OR	
Tri 1,2 or 3			Dissertation pathway with advanced standing	120

To be eligible to exit this Master program, a student must meet the requirements of the Graduate Certificate in Public Health (3147) or Graduate Diploma of Public Health (4094). To exit, a student should apply for a program transfer.

Standard pathway

Year 1

Students must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	7233MED		Global Health Systems	10
Tri 1,3	7111MED		Environment and Population Health	10
Tri 1,3	7312MED		Epidemiology: Principles and Practices	10
Tri 1	7415MED		Global Health, Equity and Human Rights	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 2	7232MED		Global Health: Priorities and Interventions	10

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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	60

Exit point: Master of Public Health (5263). To exit (after completing 80 credit points of core courses including 7707MED; 7312MED; 7311MED or 7415MED plus 40 credit points of listed electives), a student should apply for a program transfer.

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
Tri 1,3	7111MED		Environment and Population Health	10
Tri 1,3	7312MED		Epidemiology: Principles and Practices	10
Tri 1	7415MED		Global Health, Equity and Human Rights	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 2	7232MED		Global Health: Priorities and Interventions	10

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	60

Dissertation pathway

Year 1

Students must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	7233MED		Global Health Systems	10
Tri 1,3	7111MED		Environment and Population Health	10
Tri 1,3	7312MED		Epidemiology: Principles and Practices	10
Tri 1	7415MED		Global Health, Equity and Human Rights	10
Tri 1,2,3	7001HSV		Foundations of Research Inquiry (Tri 3 online only) (see Note 1)	10
			OR	
Tri 1,2	6001HLS		Dissertation Preparation (see Note 1) (not offered from 2023)	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 2	7232MED		Global Health: Priorities and Interventions	10
Tri 1,2 or 3			Listed elective	10

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Note 1: 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 Inquiry 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
Tri 1,2			Listed electives	20

To be eligible to exit this Master program, a student must meet the requirements of Master of Public Health (5263). To exit, a student should apply for a program transfer.

Dissertation pathway with advanced standing

Year 1

Students must complete the following course:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2,3	7001HSV		Foundations of Research Inquiry (Tri 3 online only) (see Note 1)	10
			OR	
Tri 1,2	6001HLS		Dissertation Preparation (see Note 1) (not offered from 2023)	10

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- 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
Tri 1,2			Listed electives	30

Electives (1 available)
Listed electives

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	7314MED		Digital Health	10
Tri 1,2	7324MED		Financing Health and Social Care	10
Tri 1,3	6005MED		Applied Research Statistics and Meta-Analysis	10
Tri 1	7461ENV		Environment and Development	10
Tri 1	7422MED		Disaster Management and Resilience Building	10
Tri 1	7067ENV		Geographic Information Systems	10
Tri 1	7231MED		Health Promotion Community Engagement	10
Tri 1,2	7032HSV		Human Service : Knowledge and Practice	10
Tri 1	7035HSV		Understanding Mental Health : Theories and Practice	10
Tri 1	7053HSV		Introduction to Working with First Peoples Communities	10
Tri 1	7097ENV		Public Involvement and Community Development	10
Tri 1	8046NRS		Primary Maternity Care in Context	10
Tri 1	8047NRS		Global Maternal Health	10
Tri 1	7125LHS		Communication in Crises and Disasters	10
Tri 1	7401ENV		Environmental Economics	10
Tri 1	8040NRS		Global Issues in Infection Prevention and Control	10
Tri 1,2	7920IBA		Sustainability and Systems Thinking	10
Tri 1,2	6002HLS		Quantitative Research	10
Tri 1,2	7018NRS		Qualitative Research	10
Tri 1,2	7012GBS		Qualitative Methods	10
Tri 1,2	7004MKT		Marketing for Social Change	10
Tri 1,2	7510LFC		Community Internship and Partnerships for SDGs	10
Tri 1,2,3	7001HSV		Foundations of Research Inquiry (Tri 3 online only)	10
Tri 1,2,3	7003MKT		Marketing Foundations	10
Tri 1,2,3	7417MED		International Public Health Practice	20
Tri 2	7307MED		Health Economics (offered in T2 only from 2023)	10
Tri 1,3	7411MED		Leadership in Management for Health Services	10
Tri 1,3	7057ENV		Policymaking and Planning for Climate Change	10
Tri 1,3	7117MED		Climate Change and Public Health	10
Tri 2	8050NRS		Promoting Sexual Health and Wellness	10
Tri 2	7036HSV		Consumer, Carer, and Community Engagement in Mental Health	10

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 2	8846NRS		Clinical Infectious Diseases	10
Tri 2	8853NRS		Infection Control for Community and Public Health	10
Tri 2,3	7112IBA		Globalisation and Corporate Social Responsibility	10
Tri 2	7305MED		Health Workforce	10
Tri 2	7412MED		International Nutrition	10
Tri 2	7414MED		Project Planning and Design in Global Health (not offered 2023)	10
Tri 2	7211MED		Physical Activity Promotion	10
Tri 2	7301MED		Health Policy and Planning	10
Tri 2	7007ENV		Climate Change Adaptation (not offered from 2022)	10
Tri 2	7950ESC		Urban Futures: Delivering Water Sensitive Cities (from 2022)	10
Tri 2	7210MED		First Peoples Health and Practice	10
Tri 3	7419MED		Applied Public Health Field Trip	10
Tri 3	7418MED		Asia-Pacific Public Health Field Tour	10
Tri 3	7424MED		Applied Risk Assessment in Public Health (not offered from 2022)	10
Tri 3	7000MED		Introduction to Economic Evaluation of Health Care (not offered from 2020)	10
Tri 3	7030HSV		Working with Diverse Populations	10
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.