

## FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES MINOR PROGRAM IN **PUBLIC HEALTH**

**By joining the Minor in Public Health, you have an opportunity to:**

1. look at health and disease differently; and
2. gain a better understanding about underlying causes of health, illness and disease prevention.

**Public Health** is the science and art of preventing disease, prolonging life, and promoting physical health and efficiency through organized individual and collective community efforts<sup>1</sup>

- Students wishing to obtain a **Minor in Public Health** must complete a total of **15 credits** of Health Sciences courses as follows:

COURSE #	CR.	COURSE TITLE	Pre-Requisite	Semester Offered
<i>Required Course</i>				
HPCH 200 *	3	Global Public Health		

- **At least ONE course from each department at the Faculty of Health Sciences (FHS) selected from the following list:**

<i>Department of Environmental Health</i>				
ENHL 220	3	Fundamentals of Environmental Health Sciences		Fall & Spring
ENHL 221	3	Management of Domestic and Hazardous Wastes	ENHL 220 (as pre- or co-requisite)	Spring
ENHL 231	3	Water and Wastewater Quality Control	ENHL 220 and ENHL 227	Fall
ENHL 234A	4	Occupational Health	ENHL 220	Spring
ENHL 235	3	Toxicology and Risk Analysis	ENHL 220 and BIOL 200 (or 201) and CHEM 208 & 209	Spring
ENHL 238	3	Indoor and Outdoor Air Pollution	ENHL 220 and CHEM 208	Fall
<i>Department of Epidemiology &amp; Population Health</i>				
EPHD 203	3	Epidemiology and Biostatistics		Fall
EPHD 213	2	Survey Methods	EPHD 203	Spring
<i>Department of Health Promotion &amp; Community Health</i>				
HPCH 201	3	Health Awareness		Fall & Spring
HPCH 202	2	Sexuality & Public Health		
HPCH 203	3	Health Communication		Fall & Spring
HPCH 237	3	Theories and Practice of Health Promotion		Fall
<i>Department of Health Management &amp; Policy</i>				
HMPD 204	3	Introduction to Health Services Administration		Fall
HMPD 251	3	Introduction to Health Care Economics		Fall

<sup>1</sup> **Source:** Schneider M. (2000). Public Health: Science, politics and prevention. Gaithersburg, Maryland: Aspen Publishers, Inc.

\* **Not required of FHS students. The course could be replaced by a course from the above list of courses for the minor.**