

**CORE CURRICULUM**

Core courses must be chosen from approved lists.  
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	Minimum Hours Required
<b>First Year Signature Course</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>English Composition</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Humanities</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>American &amp; Texas Government</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>American History</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>Social &amp; Behavioral Science</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Mathematics</b> (Fulfilled by course in major)	<b>0</b>
<b>Science &amp; Technology-I</b> (Fulfilled by courses in major)	<b>0</b>
<b>Science &amp; Technology-II</b> (Fulfilled by courses in major)	<b>0</b>
<b>Visual &amp; Performing Arts</b>	<b>3</b>

**SKILLS & EXPERIENCE FLAGS**

Flags attached to courses are displayed in the online Course Schedule.

<b>Two Writing Flags:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
1. Core Writing Flag (cannot also fulfill another core curriculum requirement)	
2. Additional Writing Flag <i>Note: One of the two writing flags must be upper-division.</i>	
<b>One Quantitative Reasoning Flag</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>One Global Cultures Flag</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>One Cultural Diversity in the U.S. Flag</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>One Ethics and Leadership Flag</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>One Independent Inquiry Flag</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**FOREIGN LANGUAGE**

<b>1 of the following:</b>	<b>6–12</b>
a. Beginning level proficiency, or the equivalent, in a foreign language	
b. 1st course in a foreign language & 1 three-hour course in the culture of the same language area	
c. 2 three-hour courses from the same foreign culture area	
<i>Foreign culture courses selected from approved lists maintained by the college. <a href="http://bit.ly/19Ao6pc">Bit.ly/19Ao6pc</a></i>	

**INTRODUCTORY SCIENCE**

M 408C, 408N, or 408R	<b>4</b>
CH 301 or 301C, and 302 or 302C; and 204	<b>8</b>
BIO 311C, 311D, and 325; or 315H and 325H	<b>6–9</b>
<i>Note: Introductory science is substantially different for Option 2 (Public Health Honors).</i>	

**OPTION 3:  
ADVANCED PROGRAM**

This program provides advanced specialist training in preparation for a leadership position in public health practice. It leads to the completion of the BS in Public Health, awarded by the University of Texas at Austin, and the Master of Public Health, awarded by the School of Public Health at the University of Texas Health Sciences Center at Houston. Students already admitted to Option 1 with minimum gpas of 3.4 may apply upon completion of the 6th semester. Students must earn the BS in Public Health, Option 3, in their 4th year to be eligible to continue in the Master of Public Health program in their 5th year.

Organic chemistry and biochemistry: CH 320M and BCH 369	<b>6</b>
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<b>Foundation courses</b>	<b>21</b>
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Public health: PBH 317  
Microbiology: BIO 326M and 226L  
Nutrition and physiology: NTR 312 or 312H; and BIO 365S  
1 course from Social and behavioral sciences: ECO 304K, 304L; PSY 301; SOC 319, 354K  
Political science/government: MAN 320F or GOV 358

<b>Public health core</b>	<b>18</b>
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Biostatistics: SDS 320E  
Epidemiology: PBH 354  
Health policy and health systems: PBH 358D  
Health behavior theory and practice: PBH 356  
Global health: PBH 334  
Environmental health sciences: PBH 338

<b>Senior Seminar:</b> PBH 137 (Topic 1: Senior Seminar in Public Health).	<b>1</b>
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*Special note:*  
A maximum of 9 hours of graduate work completed at the School of Public Health at the University of Texas Health Sciences Center may be applied as general elective hours on Option 3 as needed to reach 120 hours.

**ELECTIVES**

<b>Enough elective hours to reach 120 total</b> (The number of elective hours needed may vary depending on course selections.)	<b>VARY</b>
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**ADDITIONAL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

- Minimum 21 upper-division hours in residence
- Minimum 60 hours in residence overall
- Minimum 36 upper-division hours
- 120 hours total overall
- Minimum grade of C- & minimum 2.0 GPA in a II Mathematics & Natural Sciences courses
- Minimum UT-Austin Grade Point Average of 2.0
- Must apply to graduate during final semester
- 2022–24 Catalog expires August 2030