

Focus Areas

The revised curriculum offers focus areas responsive to the interests of students, the strengths of the SSHSPH and the needs of employers.

Focus area curricula consists of 24MC (6) elective modules divided into "highly recommended" and "recommended" categories.

Although not formally recognised on the student's transcript, students may tailor their CV to reflect the chosen focus area. Given that in some settings and for some students, a generalist degree may be the most appropriate choice. The focus areas are optional.

Elective modules [Focus Areas]

FOCUS AREAS (OPTIONAL)	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED MODULES	RECOMMENDED MODULES
24MC/ 6 modules		
Health Policy and Healthcare Delivery	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Offer greater depth within the area, moving beyond the MPH core modules • More specific skills-based training for students 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • More specialised modules • Other useful methods modules • Specific fields of study
Epidemiology		
Health Promotion		
Global Health		

FOCUS AREAS	HEALTH POLICY AND HEALTHCARE DELIVERY	EPIDEMIOLOGY	HEALTH PROMOTION	GLOBAL HEALTH
HIGHLY RECOMMENDED	<p>SPH5402 Management of Healthcare Organisations</p> <p>SPH5404 Measuring and Managing Quality of Care</p> <p>SPH5405 Introduction to Health Services Research</p>	<p>SPH5203 Advanced Epidemiology I</p> <p>SPH5103 Collection, Management & Analysis of Quantitative Data</p> <p>SPH5201 Control of Communicable Diseases</p> <p>SPH5202 Control of Non-Communicable Diseases</p>	<p>SPH5409 Qualitative Methods in Public Health</p> <p>SPH5407 Programme Evaluation</p> <p>SPH5501 Public Health Communications</p>	<p>SPH5406 Contemporary Global Health Issues</p> <p>SPH5410 Developing Health Proposals using DME Skills & Tools</p> <p>SPH5407 Programme Evaluation</p>
RECOMMENDED	<p>SPH5407 Programme Evaluation</p> <p>SPH5401 Health Economics and Financing</p> <p>SPH5412 Economic Methods in Health Technology Assessment</p> <p>SPH5411 Information Technology in Healthcare</p> <p>SPH5104 Healthcare Analytics</p> <p>SPH5501 Public Health Communication</p> <p>SPH5409 Qualitative Methods in Public Health</p> <p>SPH5408 Public Health and Ageing</p> <p>SPH5201 Control of Communicable Diseases</p> <p>SPH5202 Control of Non-Communicable Diseases</p>	<p>SPH5101 Advanced Quantitative Methods I</p> <p>SPH5407 Programme Evaluation</p> <p>SPH5409 Qualitative Methods in Public Health</p> <p>SPH5102 Design, Conduct and Analysis of Clinical Trials</p> <p>SPH5104 Healthcare Analytics</p> <p>SPH5408 Public Health and Ageing</p> <p>SPH5204 Nutrition and Health</p> <p>SPH6003 Nutritional Epidemiology</p> <p>SPH5306 Environmental Health</p>	<p>SPH5410 Developing Health Proposals using DME Skills & Tools</p> <p>SPH5201 Control of Communicable Diseases</p> <p>SPH5202 Control of Non-Communicable Diseases</p> <p>SPH5406 Contemporary Global Health Issues</p> <p>SPH5408 Public Health and Ageing</p> <p>SPH5204 Nutrition and Health</p> <p>SPH5306 Environmental Health</p>	<p>SPH5409 Qualitative Methods in Public Health</p> <p>SPH5501 Public Health Communication</p> <p>SPH5403 Medical and Humanitarian Emergencies</p> <p>SPH5201 Control of Communicable Diseases</p> <p>SPH5202 Control of Non-Communicable Diseases</p> <p>SPH5408 Public Health and Ageing</p> <p>SPH5204 Nutrition and Health</p> <p>SPH5306 Environmental Health</p>