

## MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH

<b>SPECIALISATION: HEALTH POLICY AND SERVICES</b>
<b>COMPETENCIES</b>
<p>(a) Understand the intricate relationship between health, the healthcare environment and ecology.</p> <p>(b) Understand the roles and complexity of health policies and services and delivery within the healthcare system.</p> <p>(c) Demonstrate business and management skills in planning, implementing and evaluating health services delivery.</p> <p>(d) Apply health services research methods to evaluate quality of health and healthcare in order to make recommendations for improvement.</p>
<b>SPECIALISATION CORE MODULES (12 MCs)</b>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. SPH5402 Management of Healthcare Organisations</li> <li>2. SPH5404 Measuring and Managing Quality of Care</li> <li>3. SPH5405 Introduction to Health Services Research</li> </ol>
<b>SPECIALISATION ELECTIVE MODULES (8MCs)</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SPH5104 Healthcare Analytics</li> <li>• SPH5201 Control of Communicable Diseases</li> <li>• SPH5202 Control of Non-Communicable Diseases</li> <li>• SPH5401 Health Economics and Financing</li> <li>• SPH5407 Programme Evaluation</li> <li>• SPH5408 Public Health and Ageing</li> <li>• SPH5409 Qualitative Methods in Public Health</li> <li>• SPH5411 Information Technology in Healthcare</li> <li>• SPH5412 Economic Methods in Health Technology Assessment</li> <li>• SPH5501 Public Health Communication</li> </ul>
<b>SPH5005 PRACTICUM REQUIREMENTS</b>
<p>The SPH5005 Practicum should focus on the delivery of health and social care services, either within a healthcare facility or in the community. Students may complete an original study, or utilise secondary data (for example, operational data from a healthcare facility) to perform</p>

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data analysis and interpretation. Other projects could include health policy analysis, systematic review, programme evaluation, or a care delivery process modelling study.