

# Health Promotion

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Accelerated Masters of Science Program (Online  
Optiona I)



# Program of Study

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The program emphasizes the identification of health-related needs, promotion of healthy communities, and the development of health strategies, activities, and services.



- An important goal of the Master of Science in Health Promotion degree is to develop students who will be qualified for leadership positions in health professions in the public and private sector that effectively achieve the outcome of improved health.

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# Career

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# Required Course Work

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18 Credit Hours

- ” KIN 505- Reading, Writing, and Research in Health, Kinesiology, and Sport
- ” HS 510- Current Health Issues
- ” HS 560- Methods in Health Education    or HS 575 Public Health
- ” HS 565- Community Health
- ” KIN 563- Nutrition
- ” KIN 595- Internship (Cannot be completed in your first semester of study and is preferred to be taken in final semester of attendance).

# Elective Options

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## 12 Credit Hours (4 Courses) Required

The list below are the encouraged list of electives for the program:

- " IDE 510- Education Research and Evaluation (Online) - FALL, SPRING, SUMMER
- " KIN 500- Administration of Health, Physical Education and Sport (Online) -SPRING
- " KIN 506- Curriculum in HPE (Online) - SUMMER
- " KIN 516- Exercise Physiology (Campus) -FALL
- " KIN 521- Motor Learning (Online) -FALL
- " KIN 560- Biochemical and Molecular Aspects of Exercise (Campus) -SPRING
- " KIN 574- Sport and Fitness Conditioning (Campus) -SUMMER
- " PSC 585-Health Policy (Online) -FALL
- " PSC 586-Health Administration (Online) - SPRING
- " SY 535- Health Disparities Life Span (Campus) - FALL

\*Electives may from the HKS Department (KIN, SM, HS), CEPS ( ie. IDE, EDU, EDM, EPY, SPE), or other colleges across campus (PSC) but must be approved, in advance, by your academic advisor.

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# Comprehensive Exam

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\*During the second to last semester, students must register for graduation.

\*During the final semester of the program students must register to take their comprehensive exam.

\*The purpose of the comprehensive exam is to assess knowledge gained throughout the entirety of the program. The comprehensive exam will contain four content questions from the courses you completed during your time in the program. The questions, which will be completed in essay form, must be answered and supported with research/theory garnered from your coursework in those areas. Students have four hours to complete the comprehensive exam. The exams will then be scored by assigned instructors for the courses in a pass/fail format.

\*The comprehensive exam is completed on campus and is REQUIRED.

# Questions?

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Contact the College of Education and Professional Studies for questions about applying, financial aid, scholarships, classes, etc.

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