

3.2 Course Structure

All students in the Master of Science in Community Health and Development programme are required to cover 50 credit hours of **Core Courses** as following:

Serial No.	Course Code	Course Title (Core Courses)	Credit Hours	Online Contact Hours
1	MPH 5219	Biostatistics	4	42
2	MPH 5222	Principles of Epidemiology and Medical Demography	4	42
3	MPH 5218	Research Methods	3	42
4	MPH 5211	Social Determinants of Health	3	42
5	MPH 5210	Health Systems Management	3	42
6	MPH 5213	Community Health Management Information Systems	3	42
7	MPH 5215	Community Health Strategy & Partnership	4	42
8	MPH 5216	Health Project Management and Evaluation	3	42
9	MPH 5212	Evidence Informed Policy Practices	3	42
10	MPH 5217	Health Economics and Policy	3	42
12	MPH 5216	Thesis	12	42
		Total No. of Credit Hours	51	

All students in the Master of Science in Community Health and Development programme shall be required to cover a total of 15 credit hours of **Specialization Courses** from one of the following optional areas of in Master of Science in Community Health and Development for in-depth study.

List of Electives

S/No.	Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours	Online Contact Hours
1	MPH 5319	Communicable Disease Epidemiology, Prevention and Control	3	42
2	MPH 5322	Non-communicable Disease Epidemiology, Prevention and Control	3	42
3	MPH 5318	Environmental and Occupational Epidemiology	3	42
4	MPH 5311	Disaster and Emergency Preparedness and Management	3	42
5	MPH 5310	Public Health laws & Ethics	3	42

6	MPH 5313	Primary Health Care	3	42
7	MPH 5315	Maternal and Child Health	3	42
8	MPH 5316	Occupational Health and Safety	3	42
9	MPH 5312	Water, Sanitation and Hygiene	3	42
10	MPH 5317	Community Health & Nutrition	3	42
11	MPH 5316	Health Promotion Behaviour Change and Communication	3	42
12	MPH 5319	Life Style Diseases Prevention and Control	3	42

All students in the Master of Science in Community Health and Development programme shall be required to undertake an experiential **Practicum** attachment in public health in a selected health service organization / institution. At the end of the attachment period, the student will be required to write-up a Community Health and Development Report for the area.

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