

HEALTH ADVOCACY, GRADUATE/ PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATE

REQUIREMENTS

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The certificate is a total of 12 credits, including 9 core credits and 3 elective credits.

Code	Title	Credits
Core		
Students must complete the following courses.		
LAW/NURSING 768	Health Justice Clinic (Topic: Applied Advocacy Experience Introduction)	3
LAW/NURSING 768	Health Justice Clinic (Topic: Applied Advocacy Experience Advanced)	3
LAW 940	Law and Contemporary Problems (Topic: Models of System Level Advocacy)	3
Electives		3
Students choose one course from the topics listed below.		
Total Credits		12

Law, Regulation, and Ethics Electives

Courses in this area address fundamental substantive knowledge and critical thinking relevant to complex legal, regulatory, or ethical matters health advocates will face.

Code	Title	Credits
LAW 744	Administrative Law	3
LAW 905	Bioethics and the Law	2-4
LAW 906	Law, Science and Biotechnology Seminar	2-4
LAW 935	Health Law	2-3
LAW 940	Law and Contemporary Problems (Topic: Food Drug Law)	1-3
LAW 940	Law and Contemporary Problems (Topic: ERISA)	1-3
LAW 940	Law and Contemporary Problems (Topic: Health Care Fraud and Abuse)	1-3
LAW 940	Law and Contemporary Problems (Topic: Public Health Law)	1-3
LAW 940	Law and Contemporary Problems (Topic: Mental Health Law)	1-3
MED HIST 559	Topics in Ethics and History of Medicine	3

MED HIST 545	Ethical and Regulatory Issues in Clinical Investigation	1
PHILOS/ MED HIST 558	Ethical Issues in Health Care	3

Health Economics Electives

Courses in this elective area address fundamental substantive knowledge and critical thinking regarding health care financing and economics.

Students who choose this elective are required to discuss their course selection with a Certificate Advisor and the chosen course faculty

Code	Title	Credits
POP HLTH 650	Special Topics (Topic: Advanced Seminar in Health Mental Health Economics)	1-6
PUB AFFR/ECON/ POP HLTH 548	The Economics of Health Care	3-4
ECON/ POP HLTH 848	Health Economics	1-3
PUB AFFR 864	Health Policy and Policy Design	3

Policy, Management, and Public Health Electives

Courses in this elective area address fundamental substantive knowledge and critical thinking regarding health policy, management, or public health issues.

Code	Title	Credits
NURSING 703	Health Care and Public Policy	3
NURSING 761	Health Program Planning, Evaluation, and Quality Improvement	3
POP HLTH/ ENVIR ST 471	Introduction to Environmental Health	3
POP HLTH 650	Special Topics	1-6
POP HLTH/ I SY E 703	Quality of Health Care: Evaluation and Assurance	1-3
PUBLHLTH 780	Evidence-Based Decision-Making	3
SOC WORK 875	Health, Aging, and Disability Policy and Services	2