

# CERTIFICATE IN HEALTH DISPARITIES

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## 12 semester credit hours

*Available to degree-seeking and non-degree seeking students.*

This certificate provides an orientation for individuals who are working in public health or health care and seeking to focus their work to the recognition, description and elimination of health disparities that have been defined as differences in “the overall rate of disease incidence, prevalence, morbidity, mortality or survival rates.”

## Course of Study

The following courses are required for an Certificate in Health Disparities:

Code	Title	Hours
PH 5102	Health Disparities Core Seminar	1
PHM 3800L	Working with Diverse Communities	3
or PHD 3800L	Working with Diverse Communities	
PHM 3922	Economic and Social Determinants of Health	3
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PH 1352L	Racism, Equity & Public Health	2
Select 3 credits of the following:		3
PH 1112L	Community Assessment Methods in Public Health	
PH 1236	Issues in Aging	
PH 1237	Obesity, Nutrition, & Physical Activity	
PH 1241	Disability and Public Health	
PH 1251	Seminar on the Health of Sexual and Gender Minority Persons	
PH 1321L	Social Networks and Health	
PH 1410L	Addiction and Society	
PH 2491	Public Health Preparedness & Disaster Response	
or PH 2991	Public Health Preparedness & Disaster Response	
PH 2742L	Epidemiology of Mental Health	
PH 2730L	Epidemiology and Control of Infectious Diseases	
PHD 3631L	Community Engagement/ Community-Based Participatory Research	
PH 5220	Gender and Leadership	
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>12</b>

For more information, see the Health Disparities certificate planner ([https://web.sph.uth.edu/student-forms/Academic\\_Requirements/Certificate%20Planners/Planner.Certificate.Health\\_Disparities.docx](https://web.sph.uth.edu/student-forms/Academic_Requirements/Certificate%20Planners/Planner.Certificate.Health_Disparities.docx)).