

CERTIFICATE IN PUBLIC HEALTH LAW RESEARCH AND POLICY SURVEILLANCE

15 semester credit hours

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

This certificate program is designed to train governmental, health care, and public health professionals to engage in public health policy research, analysis and practice as policy researchers and legal epidemiologists, with skills that bridge public health law.

Course of Study

The following courses are required for an Certificate in Public Health Law Research and Policy Surveillance:

Code	Title	Hours
PH 3738L	Legal Issues in Healthcare	3
PH 3732L	Research Methods in Public Health Law	3
PH 3733L	Law and Policy	3
PH 3734L	Public Health Policy Surveillance and Legal Epidemiology	3
PH 3999	IS: Management, Policy and Community Health ¹	3
Total Hours		15

¹ Students enrolling in an independent study course are required to complete the independent study plan form and obtain approval prior to enrolling. The independent study may be either a population health law research project or an internship with an agency, non-profit, or other organization where certificate students will apply skills learned in the certificate courses to public health policy questions of their choice.

For more information, see the Public Health Law Research and Policy Surveillance certificate planner (https://web.sph.uth.edu/student-forms/Academic_Requirements/Certificate%20Planners/Planner.Certificate.Public_Health_Research_and_Policy_Surveillance.docx).