

HEALTH PROMOTION MINOR

The Health Promotion minor provides a basic understanding of the community health field and an opportunity to gain background in a variety of health issues related to disease prevention and health promotion. Coursework for this minor focuses on health promotion and disease prevention among special target groups within a particular community, with the ultimate goal of providing practical health information to diverse population groups through the use of behavioral interventions.

About this Program

- **College:** Health and Human Performance (<http://catalog.ufl.edu/UGRD/colleges-schools/UGHHU/>)
- **Credits:** 15 | Completed with a 2.5 cumulative GPA and no grades below C
- **Contact:** 11 Florida Gym (<http://campusmap.ufl.edu/?loc=0021>)

Department Information

For more than 60 years, the Department of Health Education & Behavior has been at the forefront of the health promotion and public health field, demonstrating leadership in instruction and mentoring, research and scholarship, and service and practice. By emphasizing innovation and data-driven advancements, the department's efforts ensure that students are well prepared for the health promotion and public health careers of the future.

Website (<http://hhp.ufl.edu/about/departments/heb/>)

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Curriculum

- Combination Degrees
- Health Education and Behavior
- Health Education and Behavior | Community Health Promotion UF Online
- Health Promotion Minor
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The minor is open to all juniors and seniors, with the exception of students majoring in Health Education and Behavior.

This minor requires the completion of at least 15 credits of HSC coursework. Students should refer to the course descriptions in the undergraduate catalog for any prerequisites for each course.

Required Courses

Must be successfully completed before taking the specialization electives.

Code	Title	Credits
HSC 3032	Foundations of Health Education	3
HSC 3102	Personal and Family Health	3
HSC 3201	Community and Environmental Health ¹	3
Specialization electives		6
Total Credits		15

¹ Requires STA 2023 with a C or better.

Specialization Electives

Code	Title	Credits
HSC 4133	Human Sexuality Education	3
HSC 4134	Emotional Health and Counseling	3
HSC 4143	Drug Education and Behavior ¹	3
HSC 4174	Behavioral and Environmental Determinants of Obesity	3
HSC 4233	Patient Health Education	3
HSC 4574	Nutrition Education for Special Populations ²	3
HSC 4579	Women's Health Issues	3
HSC 4593	HIV/AIDS Education	3
HSC 4623	Minority Health Issues	3
HSC 4624	Trends in International Health	3
HSC 4663	Community Health Methods in Injury Prevention and Control	3
HSC 4664	Health Communication for Consumers	3

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HSC 4694	Worksite Health Promotion	3
HSC 4950	Current Topics in Health Education (youth health issues, etc.)	3

¹ Requires APK 2105C with a C or better.

² Requires HUN 2201 with a C or better.
