

CURRICULUM

NYMC's Department of Public Health Dr.P.H. program consists of two years of on-campus coursework, an internship and the successful completion of a dissertation.

Total: 54 credits

Required Core Courses (39 credits)

- Socioeconomic Determinants of Health
- Health Care Economics
- Health Services Research and Evaluation I
- Introduction to Public Health Law
- Public Health Leadership
- Regulation and Market Approaches to United States Health Care
- Political Economy of United States Health Care Reform
- Clinical and Research Ethics
- Health Services Research and Evaluation II: Applications of Research
- Independent Study in Health Policy and Management
- Directed Doctoral Research
- Seminar in Biostatistics: STATA

Internship (6 credits)

Doctoral students will work closely with senior administrators learning operations management, organizational behavior, budgeting, employee supervision and various leadership styles. These internships make use of the rich academic and practice environment at health care institutions.

Dissertation Research (6 credits)

The dissertation must formulate and address a set of original research hypotheses. The significance and potential application of the study results are interpreted and discussed within the context of the public health arena.

Sample NYMC Dr.P.H. Dissertation Titles

- Shattering the Glass Ceiling Without Injury: Health Status in Executive Women Ascending the Corporate Ladder
- Preparedness of United States Emergency Medical Responders for Terrorism-Related Incidents
- Improving Access to Quality Care: A Health System Regionalization Approach
- Physician Assistants and Patient-Centered Medical Home Model of Healthcare Delivery: A Perfect Match?



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LOCATION

New York Medical College is located on a 54-acre suburban campus in Valhalla, New York, 15 miles north of New York City. The College is easily accessible by highway and is seven miles from the Tappan Zee/Governor Mario M. Cuomo Bridge. Frequent rail and bus service is available. Directions are available at www.nymc.edu/directions.

ABOUT US

Founded in 1860, New York Medical College (NYMC) is one of the nation's largest private health sciences colleges. A member of the Touro College and University System, NYMC is located in Westchester County, New York, and offers degrees from the School of Medicine, the Graduate School of Basic Medical Sciences and the School of Health Sciences and Practice, as well as a school of dental medicine and a school of nursing. NYMC provides a wide variety of clinical training opportunities for students, residents and practitioners. The College has a strong history of involvement in the social and environmental determinants of health and disease and a special concern for the underserved.

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School of Health Sciences and Practice
and INSTITUTE OF PUBLIC HEALTH

DOCTOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH (DR.P.H.)



**HEALTH POLICY AND
MANAGEMENT**



IMPROVE THE BUSINESS OF HEALTH CARE

The Doctor of Public Health (Dr.P.H.) in Health Policy and Management is designed for mid-career practitioners of public health in health departments, managed care and community-based organizations, hospitals, consulting firms, pharmaceutical companies and government agencies. Focusing on the practical application of public health principles across a variety of fields including communications, marketing, public policy, advocacy, economics and more—the program prepares Dr.P.H. candidates for leadership roles in practice-based settings.

Launched in 2008, the Dr.P.H. Program is built on the reputation and success of the M.P.H. Program in the School of Health Sciences and Practice. The curriculum emphasizes the socioeconomic determinants of health and provides the knowledge and skills necessary to comprehend the larger strategic view of policies, regulations, market forces and ethics of health care delivery.



ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

- Master of Public Health (M.P.H.) in Health Policy and Management or equivalent master's degree in a *public health*-related field
- Official transcripts* of all post-secondary schools attended
- A 500-word statement of purpose describing the applicant's commitment to public health and research area(s) of interest
- Three recommendations, at least two from graduate-level faculty members (if applicable)
- Resume or curriculum vitae (CV)
- Scores of the Graduate Record Exam (GRE) with a minimum score of 4.5 for the Writing Assessment

*Students with international credentials must submit TOEFL/IELTS scores and educational evaluations. Admission and other information for international students is available at www.nymc.edu/shsp.

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Students are admitted to begin the Dr.P.H. Program in the fall.



WHAT THE DR.P.H. PROGRAM OFFERS

- Faculty mentors who are internationally recognized experts.
- A curriculum that is responsive to evolving public health issues.
- Opportunities for conducting and publishing applied research.
- Opportunity to dive deep into issues of access and equity in health care.
- Small classes and individualized advisement.
- Faculty who actively collaborate with or are senior administrators at health departments, hospitals, health systems and other health care agencies across the region.
- Relevant internships and significant research opportunities that leverage the program's connections to New York's diverse and changing health care environment.

CENTER FOR LONG-TERM CARE

The Center for Long-Term Care engages in research, education and public policy development and is designed to address health care disparities, health care needs and caregiving across life span, and to promote fair and equitable financing of long-term care in the U.S. Senior SHSP faculty hold positions in the Center, and faculty and students collaborate on Center initiatives.