MINOR IN PUBLIC HEALTH
(5 Courses)

Notes:
• Courses in the minor may also be used to fulfill General Education (Gen. Ed.) requirements (see notation following course title). Depending on a student’s major some Gen. Eds. may already be fulfilled.
• A minimum of three (3) course-credits (12 semester hours) in the minor must be completed at Framingham State University to meet the residency requirement.

To earn a minor in Public Health, students must apply in writing to the chair of the Food and Nutrition Department. To complete the minor, no more than two (2) required courses from major requirements may count towards minor.

Two (2) required courses:

________  HLTH 110  Wellness for Life (Gen. Ed. III-B)
________  HLTH 222  Public Health and Epidemiology

Choose three (3) from the following categories:
At least two (2) must be at the 200-level or above; must represent three (3) of the following categories.

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Category 1: Health Promotion/Disease Prevention
HLTH 206  Wellness Behavior
HLTH 326  Drugs, Alcohol, and Addictive Behavior
HLTH 390  Special Topics in Health and Wellness
NEUR 225  Biopsychology
NUTR 333  Nutrition and Chronic Disease
NUTR 478  Community Nutrition
PSYC 245  Health Psychology
SOCI 325  Health and Illness
SOCI 333  Society, Mental Health, and the Individual
SOCI 366  Death and Dying

Category 2: Global and Environmental Health
ANTH 207  Global issues in Anthropology (Gen. Ed. III-C)
BIOL 103  Biological Perspectives on Environmental Issues (Gen. Ed. II-B)
BIOL 248/248L  Principles of Ecology with Lab
CHEM 101  The Chemistry of Life (Gen. Ed. II-B)
CHEM 131/131L  Science - Environment and Health with Lab (Gen. Ed. II-B/Lab)
EASC 408  Climatology and the Future of Human Society
FDSC 151  Principles of Food Science (Gen. Ed. II-B)

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FDSC 161/161L  Introduction to Food Science and Technology with Lab (Gen. Ed II-B/Lab)
GEOG 208  The Environment, Health, and Disease
GEOG 216  Introduction to Geographical Information Systems
GEOL 233  Environmental Geology
NUTR 208  Food System Sustainability
SOCI 204  Environmental Sociology (Gen. Ed. III-C)

Category 3: Public Policy, Law & Ethics
ECON 200  The Economics of Globalization (Gen. Ed. III-C)
ECON 220  Health Economics
ECON 333  Environmental Economics
ENVS 101  Introduction to Environmental Science and Policy
GEOG 235  Environmental Law and Policy
PHIL 222  Bioethics (Gen. Ed. III-C)
PHIL 234  Environmental Ethics
POSC 229  Public Policy Analysis
POSC 270  Race, Politics, and the Law (Gen. Ed. III-A)
POSC 325  Public Management
SOCI 230  Law and Society
SOCI 263  Race and Ethnic Relations (Gen. Ed. III-C)
SOCI 245  Social Inequality

Category 4: Research and Communication
COMM 215  Science Communication
COMM 322  Persuasion and Social Influence
COMM 328  Argumentation and Advocacy
ENGL 225  Introduction to Journalism
ENGL 280  Persuasive Writing
ENGL 286  Professional Writing
ENGL 311  Writing About Science
ENGL 338  Grant Writing
ENGL 377  Writing for Online and Social Media
ENVS 202  Data Analysis for Scientists
GLST 201  Research Methods: Case Studies in Globalization
HLTH 430  Research Methods in Health and Wellness
STAT 107  Business Statistics (Gen. Ed CC-B or II-A)
STAT 117  Introduction to Statistics (Gen. Ed CC-B or II-A)
STAT 157  Probability and Statistics (Gen. Ed CC-B or II-A)
STAT 203  Statistics for the Natural Sciences