

**UIC SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH
DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (PhD)
PROGRAM PROPOSAL** (effective for students entering Fall 2007)

Community Health Sciences

Check one: ___Initial ___ Revision

UIN _____ NAME: Last _____ First _____

Advisor _____ Year & Term Matriculated to Degree Program _____

Complete or circle appropriate items below:

- 1 Division: CHS
- 2 Student status: PART-TIME FULL-TIME
- 3 Master's earned at what institution/year _____
- 4 Type of Master's earned/discipline _____

I. SPH and CHS CORE COURSES* (Variable hours)

Course #	Title	Term/Year	SH	Office Use Only
EPID 403	Introduction to Epidemiology—Principles and Methods		3	
BSTT 400	Biostatistics I		4	
BSTT 401	Biostatistics II		4	
CHSC 400	Public Health Concepts and Practice		3	
CHSC 551	Foundations of Public Health Inquiry		3	
	Choose <u>one</u> of the following: HPA 400, EOHS 400 or CHSC 401			

Total _____

* If applicable, approved waiver forms must be submitted with initial proposal. Waiver forms are available from your division office. Waiver of required courses does not reduce the total hours requirement. A student may need to take additional electives. Although no credit is awarded for waived courses, these courses should be listed in the appropriate section with the word "waived" in the semester hours column. Please refer to the *CHS Student Handbook* for degree program requirements and transfer and waiver procedures.

II. MAJOR AREA OF CONCENTRATION Identify: _____
(At least 9 semester hours of formal 500-level courses)

Course #	Title	Term/Year	SH	Office Use Only

Total _____

III. COLLATERAL AREA Identify: _____
(At least 6 semester hours of formal 500-level courses)

Course #	Title	Term/Year	SH	Office Use Only

Total _____

VII. TRAINING IN HUMAN RESEARCH SUBJECTS PROTECTION
(effective for new enrolling students, Fall 2004)

Type of Training	Title of Training	Date Taken
Initial Training in Human Subject Protections (either the class session or online training may be taken to satisfy the requirements). If initial training was taken elsewhere, the student needs to contact OPRS for approval and exemption from UIC's requirement.	<input type="checkbox"/> Investigator 101 – What Researchers Need to Know Before Research Can Start <input type="checkbox"/> CITI “Core” Course Online *Other	
HIPAA in Research	HIPAA Research 101	

VIII. OTHER TRANSFER CREDIT - Additional credit from the Credit Non-Degree Program or another institution beyond the Master's. These courses cannot have been applied to another degree. An approved *Graduate College Petition for Transfer of Credit* must be submitted with initial proposal. The transfer eligibility for these courses is determined by the Graduate College.

UIC Credit Non-Degree (maximum of 12 semester hours):

Course # _____ SH _____ Course # _____ SH _____ Course # _____ SH _____
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Credit from Other Institutions (maximum of 16 semester hours):

Name of Institution: _____

Course # _____ SH _____ Course # _____ SH _____ Course # _____ SH _____
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IX. SUMMARY - Credit hour total for graduation.

	<u>PROPOSED SH</u>	<u>Office Use Only</u>
SPH and CHS CORE COURSES (I)	_____	_____
MAJOR AREA OF CONCENTRATION (II)	_____	_____
COLLATERAL AREA (III)	_____	_____
SEMINARS/ELECTIVES (IV)	_____	_____
PhD RESEARCH (V)	_____	_____
CREDIT FOR MASTER'S DEGREE (VI)	_____	_____
OTHER TRANSFER CREDIT (VIII)	_____	_____
TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS PROPOSED FOR GRADUATION (Minimum required: 96 sh)	_____	_____

X. TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Will a teaching experience be required of this student? ____No ____Yes

Date of anticipated teaching experience _____

Description of proposed experience (Note: Program proposal must be re-filed with Office of Student Affairs when this section is completed.)

XI. SIGNATURES

In signing this proposal, the student and the division acknowledge that the course of study outlined will comprise the graduation requirements for this student. A revised program proposal must be submitted to the Director of Student Affairs whenever major changes in the program of study are made (for example, a change in specialization, concentration or division).

Students using human subjects in any research must have approval from the Institutional Review Board or one of its approved committees before they begin data collection. See *SPH Student Handbook* for details.

Student _____ Date _____

Advisor _____ Date _____

CHS Graduate Studies Committee Chair _____ Date _____

CHS Division Director _____ Date _____

CHS Academic Coordinator _____ Date _____