

This roadmap is a recommended semester-by-semester plan of study for this major. However, courses and milestones designed as critical (!) must be completed in the semester listed to ensure a timely graduation.

Critical	Course Subject and Title	Credit Hours	Upper Div.	Min. Grade	Major GPA	Type	Term Taken
Semester One [14 Credits]							
	PH 10001 Introduction to Public Health	3			■		
	US 10097 Destination Kent State: First Year Experience ¹	1					
	Foreign Language ²	4 - 5					
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
Semester Two [16 Credits]							
!	PH 10002 Introduction to Global Health	3			■	DG	
!	Foreign Language ²	4 - 5					
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
Semester Three [15 Credits]							
!	PH 20001 Essentials of Epidemiology	3			■		
!	Foreign Language ²	3 - 5					
	COMM 26501 Introduction to Health Communication	3			■		
	PH 30005 Social and Behavioral Science Theories in Public Health	3	■		■		
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
Semester Four [15 Credits]							
!	PH 30007 Prevention and Control of Diseases ³	3	■		■		
!	Foreign Language ²	3 - 5					
	PH 30033 Public Health Policy and Decision-Making ³	3	■		■		
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
Semester Five [16 Credits]							
!	PH 30002 Introductory Biostatistics	3	■		■		
	PH 30006 Introduction to Environmental Health and Safety	3	■		■		
	Concentration Elective ⁷	3	■		■		
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
	General Electives ⁴	1					
Semester Six [15 Credits]							
	PH 40092 International Health Practicum ⁵	3	■		■	ELR	
	General Electives ⁴	12					
Third Summer Term [0-3 Credits]							
	PH 41092 Field Experience in Meeting the Basic Health and Human Needs ⁵	0-3				ELR	
Semester Seven [15 Credits]							
	PH 30004 Public Health Research ³	3	■		■		
	PH 30012 Communicable Diseases	3	■		■		
	PH 44003 Environmental Health Issues in Low- and Middle-Income Countries ^F	3	■		■		
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
Semester Eight [14 Credits]							
!	PH 49000 Capstone Experience in Public Health	3	■		■	ELR	
	PH 30014 Strategies for Prevention in Public Health	3	■		■		
	PH 44000 Health Disparities ⁶	3	■	C	■	DD/WIC	
	Concentration Elective ⁷	3	■		■		
	General Electives ⁴	2					

Graduation Requirements Summary

Minimum Total Hours	Minimum Upper-Division Hours	Minimum Kent Core Hours	Minimum	
			Major GPA	Overall GPA
120	39	36	2.000	2.000

F Offered in fall semester only

1. US 10097 is not required of transfer students with 25 credits or students age 21+ at time of admission.
2. Must be Arabic, Chinese, French, Russian or Spanish
3. Students in the nursing [BSN-NURS] major may substitute NURS 40020 for PH 30007, NURS 40045 for PH 30033 and NURS 40872 for PH 30004.
4. Minimum 12 credit hours of Study Abroad Semester courses count as general electives
5. Students must take PH 41092 in third summer term if PH 40092 is not taken in semester 6.
6. A minimum C (2.000) grade must be earned to fulfill the writing-intensive requirement.

7. Concentration electives (6 credit hours)

Choose from the following:	
ANTH 48250 Culture and Curing * (3)	COMM 35852 Intercultural Communication (3)
GEOG 31070 Population and the Environment (3)	GEOG 42052 Medical Geography * (3)
HED 47070 Aids: Issues, Education and Prevention (3)	PHIL 40005 Health Care Ethics (3)
POL 30301 Introduction to Public Administration * (3)	POL 30511 Problems of International Organization (3)
POL 30810 Politics of the Global Economy * (3)	POL 40450 Health Care and Social Policy * (3)
POL 40470 Women, Politics and Policy * (3)	* Course has prerequisites outside of the program requirements, please check course descriptions.

University Requirements Summary

Type	Categories	Course(s) Satisfying Category	Remaining Requirements
KCM	Kent Core I. Composition Enrollment based on placement test	visit www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core	6
KMC	Kent Core II. Mathematics and Critical Reasoning Enrollment based on placement test	visit www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core	3
KHU	Kent Core III. Humanities Minimum one course from humanities in Arts and Sciences; may fulfill diversity requirement	visit www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core	3
KFA	Kent Core IV. Fine Arts Minimum one course from the fine arts; may fulfill diversity requirement	visit www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core	3
KFH	Kent Core V. Humanities or Fine Arts One additional course from either the humanities or fine arts category, may fulfill diversity requirement.	visit www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core	3
KSS	Kent Core VI. Social Sciences Must be selected from two curricular areas; may fulfill diversity requirement	Recommended: GEOG 22061 and PSYC 11762	6
KBS	Kent Core VII. Basic Sciences Must include one laboratory	Recommended: CHEM 10050 and 10052; or CHEM 10060 and 10061	6
KAD	Kent Core VIII. Additional May fulfill diversity requirement	Recommended: SOC 12050; and CHEM 10054 or 20481	6
DD	Domestic Diversity Course Requirement Either domestic or global diversity must be from Kent Core	PH 44000	fulfilled
DG	Global Diversity Course Requirement Either domestic or global diversity must be from Kent Core	PH 10002	fulfilled
ELR	Experiential Learning Requirement Either course or non-course experience approved by the appropriate faculty member	PH 40092, PH 41092, PH 49000	fulfilled
WIC	Writing-Intensive Course Requirement Minimum C (2.000) grade	PH 44000	fulfilled