HEALTH COMMUNICATION MINOR

Overview

The School of Communication (SoC) in collaboration with the School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS) offers a minor in health communication, which is available to all students. Students must have a minimum of a 2.0 UM GPA to declare the minor and they must earn a C or higher in each course for the minor for it to count; a grade of C- or lower is not acceptable for the health communication minor. Students should meet with an academic advisor to discuss any questions related to their degree requirements.

Curriculum Requirements

| Code | Title | Credit Hours |
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| COS 324 | Health Communication | 3 |
| BPH 206 | Introduction to Public Health | 3 |
| Choose 2 communication studies electives: | | 6 |
| COS 325 | Communication in Health Organization | |
| COS 426 | Patient-Provider Communication | |
| COS 427 | Health Behavior and Risk | |
| COS 472 | Persuasion | |
| Choose 1 public health elective: | | 3 |
| BPH 305 | Issues in Health Disparities | |
| BPH 310 | Global Health | |
| BPH 321 | Health Promotion and Disease Prevention | |
| BPH 322 | Introduction to Health Policy | |
| Total Credit Hours | | 15 |

^{*} A grade of C or higher is required in all courses (a grade of C- or lower is not acceptable).