PUBLIC HEALTH MINOR

The School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS) offers a minor in public health, which is available to all students. The public health minor consists of two required courses and two electives as outlined below. Students must earn a grade of C- or higher in each course and an overall GPA of 2.0 to complete the public health minor. Any questions related to the public health minor requirements should be directed to an academic advisor in the Office of Student Services (OSS) (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/office_of_student_services/).

Curriculum Requirements

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**Total Credit Hours**: 12