

Description of degree programme

Title of degree programme	National code
Master of Public health	621A60004
Language of instructions	Mode of study and length
Lithuanian	Full time 2 years
ECTS credits length	Student's workload
120	3204
Contact work hours	Independent work hours
2240	964
Study area	Degree and qualification awarded
Public health	Master of Public health
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Purpose of the programme

Master Program in Management of Public Health (MMPH) was established in 1997. This was the first such a program in Lithuania. More recently, in 2000, based on the experience of full-time MMPH, a three-year part-time MMPH program was developed, based on exactly the same subjects and courses. The aim of the MMPH is to educate specialists for practical public health management activities, research, pedagogical work and public health Doctoral studies. Objectives of the program are to provide knowledge and skills in assessment of health determinants and health status of population, planning and implementing health promotion measures, using modern methods of public health; evaluation of health systems and health reforms, assessment of the activities of health services; matching modern management principles in organization development and activities; and integration of public health and management knowledge and skills in the process of management of changes in public health and health improvement.

Course structure diagram with credits

Subject	ECTS credits	Student's work load	Contact work hours	Independent work hours
1st year	60	1602	1120	482
1st semester	30	801	560	241
<i>Public health, health care and health care organization practice</i>	12	320	224	96
<i>Management</i>	6	160	112	48
<i>Health Ethics and Human Relations</i>	6	160	112	48
<i>Leadership in health care</i>	3	80	56	24
<i>Research work</i>	3	80	56	24
1st year	-	-	-	-
2nd semester	30	801	560	241
<i>Health Policy and Strategy</i>	3	80	56	24
<i>Health information management</i>	6	160	112	48
<i>Applied Epidemiology, Biostatistics and Qualitative Research Methods</i>	6	160	112	48
<i>Elective course</i>	6	160	112	48
<i>Research work</i>	9	240	168	72
2nd year	60	1602	1120	482
1st semester	30	801	559	241
<i>Management of changes</i>	6	160	112	48
<i>Health Economic and Applied Finance</i>	8	213	149	64
<i>Health law</i>	3	80	56	24
<i>Elective course</i>	6	160	112	48
<i>Research work</i>	7	187	130	57
2nd year	-	-	-	-
2nd semester	30	801	560	241
<i>Research work</i>	29	774	542	232
<i>Master thesis defence</i>	1	27	18	9
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