Graduate certificate

Health Education Certificate for School and Community
12 credits, 2 or more terms

This HEALTH EDUCATION certificate is for physical educators, community and public health educators, wellness and fitness center employees who want current knowledge of health and how to teach it effectively. Students learn to teach skills-based health education based on the performance indicators of the National Health Education Standards.

Two courses are required and two are selected from the initial licensure courses of the Health and Family & Consumer Sciences master's program.

Learning Outcomes include increased competency in health education content and teaching skills.

Required Courses

- EHE620 Curriculum Implementation in the Health Classroom .................................. Fall
- EHE630 Growth & Development, Human Sexuality & Family Management Skills .................. Fall

Electives in Health Education

- EHE610 Principles of Health Promotion & Disease Prevention: Public Health Issues ............ Fall
- EHE640 Promoting Wellness: Building Positive Health Behavior ................................. Spring
- EHE650 Preventing Unintentional Injury & Violence .................................. Spring
- EHE680 Teaching Skills for Risk Reduction & Positive Behavior Change .......................... Spring
- EHE660 Family & Interpersonal Health: Promoting Mental Health Through School-Based Intervention ...... Summer
- EHE670 Building & Evaluating Coordinated School Health Programs .................. Summer

All courses 3 credits.

Admission requirements:
- Bachelor's degree and other general requirements (see Admissions).

Pre-Practicum hours: Students completing the certificate do not need to complete pre-practicum hours. However, students who may wish to matriculate at a later time must complete all pre-practicum hours associated with these courses.

Successfully completed courses may be accepted into the Health, Family & Consumer Science initial licensure program if taken within 5-7 years of matriculation (subject to change).

Program and course schedule subject to change.

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