



LSU Health

NEW ORLEANS

School of Public Health

August 15, 2023



Mission

To advance health equity through evidenced-based education, research, and practice for populations in the context of a changing climate.

Vision

A healthier Louisiana population with a workforce addressing the structural and emergent issues affecting public health.

Values

*Collaborative ○ Creative ○ Culturally Adept ○ Globally Engaged ○
Innovative ○ Transformative*



Program Changes Beginning Fall 2024



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Biostatistics & Data Science (BSDS)

MPH - MS - Ph.D.

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Community Health Science & Policy (CHSP)

MPH - Ph.D.

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Environment, Health, Equity & Sustainability (EHES)

MPH

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Epidemiology & Population Health (EPPH)

MPH - Ph.D.

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- Faculty decision on program affiliation
- **June 30** – Competency coverage
- **July 30** – total credit hours for CORE and new course list

Summer '23

Fall '23

- **August** - Website and SOPHAS launch of new programs
- **December** - Draft syllabi submitted to ADAA

Spring '24

- Curriculum approval for inclusion into LSUHSC Catalog – **March 2024**

Other Important Dates

- **CEPH:**
 - Self study due fall 2025
 - Site visit spring 2026

FAQs

- **How does this impact current MPH students?**

- Current students have the option to take new coursework if they so choose, but can also rest assured the curriculum they have been promised will be available. So they get the best of both!

- **When will the new core classes be available?**

- The new MPH core classes will be implemented starting in Fall 2024 with the management and leadership/communication courses.

- **When will the new structure and programs officially launch?**

- The new program names and structure are being announced August 1, 2024. This date is related to the opening of recruiting for the next academic year. The courses will start being phased in Fall 2024.

- **How does this impact the MS and PhD programs?**

- The changes proposed will not result in any changes to the curricula of the MS or PhD programs. Though the official program names will change slightly, the degree requirements remain the same. MS and PhD students may take any of the new courses as electives.

- <https://sph.lsuhscc.edu/education/sph-program-curriculum-changes/>