



Department of Communication Studies
**Health Communication
Minor**
Interdisciplinary Program

Effective Fall 2010

The Health Communication Minor provides those planning a career in health professions or public relations with a unique program in the State of Illinois. The minor combines an understanding of the health care industry, public policy, and strategic communication into a superior program of study. **TOTAL HOURS : 21**

Required Coursework.....6 hrs

CMN/HST 3910 Communication in Health Professions
CMN/HST 4910 Applied Health Communication (*CMN/HST 3910*)

Communication Studies Electives.....6-9 hrs

CMN 2640 Introduction to Interpersonal Communication
CMN 2650 Introduction to Organizational Communication
CMN 2920 Introduction to Public Relations
CMN 3100 Persuasion
CMN 3300 Interviewing
CMN 3470 Small Group Communication (*CMN 2030*)
CMN 3650 Communication in Organizations (*CMN 2650*)
CMN 3710 Intercultural Communication (*CMN 2630*)
CMN 3950 Conferences and Event Planning (*CMN 2650*)
CMN 3960 Advocacy and Message Design (*CMN 2920*)
CMN 4765 Communication in Families (*CMN 2630*)

Health Studies Electives.....6-9 hrs

HST 2270 Community Health
CMN 2600 International Health Issues
HST 2900 Human Diseases
HST 3100 Terrorism: The Public Health Response
HST 3500 Human Sexuality
HST 3560 Women's Health
HST 3700 Community Health Behavior Methods
HST 3750 Health Care Delivery Systems
HST 3765 Principles of Epidemiology
HST 4250 Planning Health Programs
HST 4770 Health Services Administration
HST 4800 Drugs and Society
HST 4890 Health and Aging

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Additional Electives.....0-3 hrs

- ECN 2800 Economics of Social Issues
- ECN 3875 Health Economics
- FCS 1800 Life Span Human Development
- FCS 2100 Nutrition in a Global Society
- FCS 2831 Women in Contemporary Society
- FCS 2850 Child Development
- FCS 3820 The Family in Social Change (*FCS 1800 or FCS 2800*)
- JOU 3820 Publicity Methods
- NUR 3203 Medical Terminology
- PSY 1879G Introduction to Psychology
- PSY 1890G Introduction to Psychology, Honors
- PSY 3260 Introduction to Group Dynamics (*PSY 1879G or PSY 1890G*)
- PSY 3515 Child Psychology (*PSY 1879G or PSY 1890G*)
- PSY 3521 Psychology of Adolescence and Young Adulthood (*PSY 1879G or PSY 1890G*)
- PSY 3525 Psychology of Maturity and Old Age (*PSY 1879G or PSY 1890G*)
- PSY 3530 Industrial/Organizational Psychology (*PSY 1879G or PSY 1890G*)
- PSY 3590 Theories of Personality (*PSY 1879G or PSY 1890G*)
- PSY 3690 Controversial Topics in Psychology (*PSY 1879G or PSY 1890G*)
- PSY 3765 Methods in Behavioral Management (*PSY 1879G or PSY 1890G*)
- PSY 3780 Abnormal Psychology (*PSY 1879G or PSY 1890G*)
- PSY 3870 Social Psychology (*PSY 1879G or PSY 1890G*)
- SOC 4820 Sociology of Health and Health Care (*SOC 1838G or permission of instructor*)