



# HEALTH COMMUNICATION MINOR

DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATION STUDIES  
AT EASTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY

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.

## **REQUIRED COURSEWORK: 9 HRS**

- **HCM 2910** Introduction to Health Communication
- **HCM 3910** Communication in Health Professions
- **HCM 4910** Applied Health Communication

## **COMMUNICATION STUDIES ELECTIVES: 6 HRS**

- **CMN 2010** Introduction to Communication Theories
- **CMN 2630** 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 3650** Case Studies in Organizational Communication  
(*CMN 2650 prerequisite*)
- **CMN 3660** Communication and Conflict Management
- **CMN 3710** Intercultural Communication
- **CMN 3940** Advertising Theory and Practice
- **CMN 3960** Public Relations Writing and Production  
(*CMN 2920 prerequisite*)
- **CMN 3988** Communication and Professional Development
- **CMN 4720** Workplace Relationships
- **CMN 4765** Communication in Families

## **HEALTH STUDIES ELECTIVES: 6 HRS**

- **HST 2270** Community Health
- **HST 2600** International Health Issues
- **HST 2700** Marketing Concepts for Health Promotion Professionals  
(*HST 2270 prerequisite*)
- **HST 2900** Human Diseases
- **HST 3100** Disasters and Public Health
- **HST 3500** Human Sexuality (*Junior status or above prerequisite*)
- **HST 3560** Women's Health
- **HST 3700** Community Health Behavior Methods  
(*ENG 1002G & HST 2270 prerequisites*)
- **HST 3750** Health Care Delivery Systems  
(*ENG 1002G, HST 2270 prerequisites*)
- **HST 3765** Principles of Epidemiology (*HST 2270 prerequisite*)
- **HST 4250** Planning Health Programs (*HST 3700 prerequisite*)
- **HST 4770** Health Services Administration  
(*ENG 1002G, HST 3750, & Senior class status prerequisites*)
- **HST 4800** Drugs and Society
- **HST 4890** Health and Aging

## **TOTAL REQUIRED HOURS: 21 HRS**

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