

## **SYLLABUS**

# **MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH**

## **SESSION 2013 - 2015**

## First year

code	Subjects
Mph11	Epidemiology
Mph12	Biostatistics
Mph13	Social and Behavioral Aspects of Public Health
Mph14	Ethics in Public Health
Mph15	International Nutrition

## Second year

code	Subjects
Mph21	Environmental Health & Sustainable Development
Mph22	Research Methodology
Mph23	Health system & polices in public health
Mph24	Health economic & health care financing
Mph25	Health program management

#### **MPH11: Epidemiology**

- \* Recent development in epidemiology
- Definition, scope and use of epidemiology
- ❖ Epidemiology and public health
- ❖ Achievement in epidemiology
- Measuring health and disease
- Measuring disease frequency
- Death rates
- Observation epidemiology
- **\*** Experimental epidemiology
- Potential errors in epidemiological studies
- Causation in epidemiology
- Communicable diseases
- Clinical epidemiology

### **MPH12: Bio statistics**

- Principle of biostatistics
- Properties of measurement
- Measuring reliability and validity
- Sampling
- Source of date
- Population
- Strategies for understanding the measure of data
- Descriptive statistics measure of central tendency
- Conditional probability
- Marginal probability
- Using sample date to make estimates about population

### MPH13: Social and Behavioral Aspects of Public Health

Difference between sex and gender.

- Mechanisms that relate gender to wellness and illness.
- health in a cultural perspective
- Race and Ethnicity
- Poverty
- Social Support, and Social Capital
- Role of Families
- Rational Decision Making
- Spirituality
- Change Within Systems

#### MPH14: Ethics in Public Health.

- Tradition and profession and values in public health
- Research ethics in public health
- Special ethics concerns
- Public health research and practice in international settings
- Community base practice
- Ethics and infections disease control
- Public health genetics
- Public health and health system reform

#### **MPH15: International Nutrition**

- Presents major nutritional problems that influence the health, survival,
- Developmental capacity of populations in developing societies.
- World declaration on the survival, protection and development of children.
- Millennium development Goals (MDGs)
- Under nutrition
- Community, national, and international levels to improve nutritional status.
- Full economic development through targeted public and private sector interventions that address the causes of malnutrition.
- Breast and complementary feeding
- Community based Nutrition interventions
- Nutrition and HIV infection
- The Nutrition Transition

#### MPH21: Environmental Health and sustainable development

Human impact on the environment

- Environment-human interaction
- Environmental impact on humans
- Exposure, dose, response
- Environmental toxicology
- Environmental carcinogenesis
- Risk assessment and management
- Indoor and outdoor air pollution
- Environmental health economics and policy
- Occupational health
- Food- and water-borne disease
- Municipal, industrial, and hazardous waste
- Environmental justice and policy
- Risk communication

#### **MPH22: Research Methodology**

- Definition of Research
- Motivation in Research
- Types of Research

- Significance of Research
- Research and scientific method
- Research process
- Criteria of a Good Research
- Problems encountered by researchers in India

# MPH23: Health system & polices in public Health

- Policy making process, with historical, Ethical, legal.
- Basic model and function of health service
- International health
- Persistent and wide spread issues in providing health service
- Standard framework for policy analysis

# MPH24:Health Economic and health care financing

- ❖ Basic economics tools
- Microeconomics tools for health economic
- Statistical tools for health Economics

- Supply and demand
- Production of health
- Demand for health capital
- Demand and supply of health insurance
- The organization of health insurance market
- Key players in the health care sector
- Hospital and long term care
- Government intervention in health care
- Government regulation principle regulatory mechanism
- ❖ Social insurance
- Health system reform
- Epidemiology and economics

#### MPH25:Health program management

- princples in practice of health management
- Health development
- Health care as system
- Public health service

- Quality of health care management
- Management cycle from planning to evaluation
- Health needs concepts
- Health organization and strategies intent
- Health policy analysis tools for planning and evaluation of public health intervention.

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