

Individualized Training Plan is Developed with Program Director and Mentoring Team
Program Progression Checklist - CPHR doctoral degree

Student Name: _____

Advisor: _____

Semester Enrolled: _____

Degree Plan: _____

Mentor: _____

Substantive Area: _____

	Credits	Date	Comments
CTS602A Epidemiology	3		
CTS602B Epidemiology	3		
CTS603A Biostatistics	4		
CTS603B Biostatistics	4		
CTS702 Ethics	2		
CTS875 Grant Writing	3		
4 credits of Theory*:			

*(selected from: Social Epidemiology, Genetic Epidemiology, Behavior Change Theory, Health Policy.

Note: some courses may count towards theory, substantive, or methods depending on content.

Substantive Electives (at least 6 credits)		
Courses may include (tailored to students needs/ goals): E.G. Pharmacoepidemiology, Design of Studies of Chronic Diseases, Psychiatric Epidemiology, Genetic Epidemiology, etc.		

Methods Electives (at least 8 credits)		
E.G. Clinical Trials, Behavioral Trials, Analysis of Health Outcomes, Analysis of Population and Healthcare Databases, Systematic Review, etc.		
Teaching Requirement		

EVALUATION MILESTONES:		
Comprehensive Project (end of summer Year 1)		
Written Qualifying Exam (Jan or May Year 2)		
Dissertation Proposal Copy (2-3 wks prior to Oral)		
Oral Exam (within one year of written)		
Dissertation Defense		

Committee Members		
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
Outside Reader		

SAMPLE CPHR Course Sequence

Year 1

FALL	Credits	SPRING	Credits	SUMMER	Credits
CTS602A Epidemiology	3	CTS602A Epidemiology	3	CTS604 Comprehensive Project	2
CTS603A Biostatistics	4	CTS603A Biostatistics	4	Methods Elective	2
CTS702 Research Ethics Theory Elective	2	Substantive Elective	2	Methods Elective	2
Research Assistantship	2	Research Assistantship	4	Research Assistantship	6
Total Credits	13		13		12

Year 2

FALL	Credits	SPRING	Credits	SUMMER	Credits
Substantive Elective	2	Theory Elective	2	CTS880 Pre-thesis Research	9
Methods Elective	4	CTS875 Proposal Development	3	Dissertation Proposal Defense	Late Summer/ Fall
Substantive Elective	2	CTS880 Pre-thesis Research	6		
CTS880 Pre-Thesis Research	4	Written Qualifying Exam			
Research Assistantship		Research Assistantship		Research Assistantship	
Total Credits	12		11		9

Year 3-4

FALL	Credits	SPRING	Credits	SUMMER	Credits
CTS900	12	CTS900	12	CTS900	12
Research Assistantship		Research Assistantship		Research Assistantship	
		TRAC Meeting	1		
Total Credits	12		12		12

* Year 5 and beyond: Students enroll in Graduate Research (0 credits) each term, TRAC Meeting (1 credit) every spring.