**Leadership Theory and Practice**

This certificate provides students with the theories behind leadership excellence as well as discussion on current leadership issues. It helps train present and future public health leaders in personal leadership qualities and skills needed for effective leadership including systems thinking; team work, cultural humility, strategic planning, and other leadership skills.

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| **Degree-Seeking and Non-Degree-Seeking Students Certificate Requirements** |
| Course | Credits | Title | Semester & Year | Grade | Notes |
| **Required Courses** |
| *3 credit hours* |  |
| PH 5200 | 3 | Foundations of Leadership in Public Health |  |  |  |
| **Elective Courses** |
| *9 credit hours – (see planning note 1)* |  |
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| **Total Credits** |  | *At least 12 credit hours are required* |

*For course availability, including online offerings, please reference the* [*Course Rotation Schedule*](https://web.sph.uth.edu/student-forms/Academic_Requirements/Schedule%20of%20Classes/Reference.Course_Rotation.pdf) *and the* [*Interactive Course Schedule*](https://web.sph.uth.edu/course/CourseSchedule)*.*

**Planning Notes:**

**Planning Note 1 (Electives):** Students are required to complete a minimum of nine (9) credit hours of electives. The PHD prefix indicates a doctoral level course, the PHM prefix indicates a master’s level course, and the PH prefix indicates that it is open to both doctoral and master’s level students.

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| Elective Options |
| Course | Credits | Title |
| PHW 3616 | 3 | Thinking for the Future |
| PH 3738L | 3 | Legal Issues in Healthcare |
| PH 3825 | 3 | Public Health Law |
| PHD 3743L | 3 | Organizational and Management Theory |
| PHM 3744L | 3 | Organizational Behavior and Human Resource Management in Health Services Organizations |
| PHM/PHD 3800L | 3 | Working with Diverse Communities |
| PHD 3946L | 3 | Strategy, Governance, and Leadership |
| PHD 3950 | 3 | Applied Leadership Studies in Public Health |
| PH 3999\* | varies | Independent Study in Management, Policy, and Community Health |
| PHM/PHD 5210 | 1-2 | Selected Readings in Leadership Studies |
| PH 5220 | 3 | Gender and Leadership |
| PH 5298 | 1 | Advocacy for Public Health*Note: This course is no longer offered, effective fall 2022.* |
| PH 5298 | varies | ST: Special Topics in Leadership Studies*Note: This course is no longer offered, effective fall 2022.* |

\**Requires Leadership Certificate Coordinator approval.*

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