

Lakehead University Faculty of Health and Behavioural Sciences

REQUEST REPORT

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Request Contents

Туре		Title
1.	New Degree	Master of Health Sciences (Specialization in Epidemiology)

Request History

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1.

Degree Details

7XXX - Master of Health Sciences (Specialization in Epidemiology)

Start Term: Fall 2014

End Term: No Specified End Date

Required Information

Institution Unit

Faculty of Health and Behavioural Sciences

Degree Type

MHSC

Major

Master of Health Sciences

Minor

Specialization

Epidemiology

Rationale

New Specialization option for MHSc students (Epidemiology).

Requirements

Master of Health Sciences (Specialization in Epidemiology)

A. MASTER OF HEALTH SCIENCES

All students must successfully complete a total of five (5) full course equivalents (FCEs):

- (a) Health Sciences 5015 Current Issues and Trends in Health Sciences
- (b) Health Sciences 5030 Introduction to bio-statistics (c) Health Sciences 5035 Qualitative Inquiry I

- (d) <u>Health Sciences 5070</u> Epidemiology I (e) Health Sciences 5901 (9901) (2 FCEs) Master's Thesis
- (f) Three half-courses (1.0 FCE) electives chosen in consultation with the supervisor

Students are strongly encouraged to consider taking more advance methodological courses (for example,; Health Sciences 5270 – Epidemiology II; Health Sciences 5410 - Survey Methods; Health Sciences 5036 -Qualitative Inquiry II).

B. PROGRAM WITH SPECIALIZATION IN EPIDEMIOLOGY

Students in the Master of Heath Sciences program may apply for acceptance into the Program with Specialization in Epidemiology. They will take <u>Health Sciences 5070</u> - Epidemiology I and Health Sciences 5270 - Epidemiology II in place of two of the three half-course Master of Health Sciences electives; and they

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will do a Master's Thesis in the area of epidemiology.
 (a) Health Sciences 5015 - Current Issues and Trends in Health Sciences (b) Health Sciences 5030 - Introduction to Biostatistics (c) Health Sciences 5035 - Qualitative Inquiry I
(d) <u>Health Sciences 5070</u> - Epidemiology I
(e) Health Sciences 5270 – Epidemiology II (f) 0.5 FCE electives with epidemiology relevance (Health Sciences 5370 Field EPI; Health Sciences Survey Methods or Critical appraisal
(g) Health Sciences 5901 (9901) (2 FCEs) - Master's Thesis
Budgetary Considerations
Student Enrolment

Student Enrolment Other Units

Additional Resources

Teaching Loads

TeachingSupport Services

Outside Support

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