Health and Society Minor Requirements
Student Checklist

18 Total Credits

I. Core Requirements (9 credits)

__________  Introduction to Sociology 01:920:101 (3 credits)
__________  Sociology of Medicine and Health Care 01:920:210 (3 credits)
__________  Sociology of Mental Illness 01:920:307 (3 credits)

II. Sociology Elective (3 credits)

__________  Course #: _____  Course title: ______________________

01:920:227  Population and Society (3)
01:920:303  Social Gerontology (3)
01:920:332  Social Inequalities (3)
01:920:335  Health and Inequality (3)
01:920:359  Environmental Sociology (3)
01:920:361  Sociology of Drug Use (3)*
01:920:410  Sociology of Alcohol Problems (3)
01:920:433  Race, Science, and Medicine (3)
01:920:434  Social Science and Public Policy (3)
01:920:438  Sociology of Age (3)
01:920:440  Sexuality and Society (3)
01:920:462  Sociology of Selected Institutions (3)

III. Electives from Affiliated Departments (6 credits)

(see back of page for list of courses)

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IV. Additional Information on Requirements and Restrictions

Only courses with a “C” grade or better will count toward the minor.
No more than two elective courses chosen may overlap with the major. Students also must satisfy existing
departmental prerequisites for any of the courses used for this program.

*To ensure breadth, students may take no more than two of the following three courses focused on substance use:
01:920:361  Sociology of Drug Use (3)
01:512:322  Drugs: A Social History (3)
01:830:272  DRUGS AND HUMAN BEHAVIOR

** Students may take no more than two of the following four courses focused on medical ethics:
01:730:105 or 106  Current Moral and Social Issues (3 or 4 credits)
01:730:107 or 108  Introduction to Ethics (3 or 4 credits)
01:730:249  Bioethics (3)
01:840:221  Ethical Issues, Religious Responses (3)
Electives from Affiliated Departments

Africana Studies
01:014:347: Health Issues in the African-American Community (3)

Anthropology
01:070:307: Medical Anthropology (3)

Biology
01:119:150: Biology, Society, and Biomedical Issues (3)
01:119:154: Genetics, Law, and Social Policy (3)

Economics
01:220:316: Health Economics (3)
01:220:348: Economics of Social Welfare Programs (3)

Exercise Science
01:377:225: Contemporary Health Problems (3)

Genetics
01:447:354: Social, Legal and Ethical Implications of the New Genetics (3)

History
01:506:226: Contemporary Challenges in International Health (3)
01:508:328: History of Health and Healing in Africa (3)
01:508:322: Black Death to Obesity Epidemic: History of Public Health in the West (3)
01:512:121: Health and Environment in America (3)
01:512:225: Sexuality in America (3)
01:512:321: Health Care and Society in America (3)
01:512:322: Drugs: A Social History (3)*

Philosophy
01:730:105 or 106: Current Moral and Social Issues (3 or 4 credits)**
01:730:107 or 108: Introduction to Ethics (3 or 4 credits)**
01:730:249: Bioethics (3)**

Political Science
01:790:290: Politics and Social Policy: Lessons from Europe (3)

Psychology
01:830:101: General Psychology (3)
01:830:272: Drugs and Human Behavior (3)*
01:830:333: Adolescent Development (3)
01:830:335: Adult Development and Aging (3)
01:830:340: Abnormal Psychology (3)
01:830:377: Health Psychology (3)

Religion
01:840:112: Death and Afterlife (3)
01:840:221: Ethical Issues, Religious Responses (3)**

Women’s Studies
01:988:240: Gender and Science (3)
01:988:487: Language of Women’s Health and Health Policy (3)