

Graduate Certificate in Spanish for Health Professions

Admission Requirements

For admission into the Spanish for Health Professions (SPHP) Certificate Program, applicants must satisfy the following criteria:

1. Admission to the Graduate School
2. Applicants whose language is not English need to meet the following
 - a. TOEFL Requirements: (1) Internet-based test (IBT): a total score of 80 with a score of at least 20 on each Section of the IBT;
 - b. or minimum rating of Intermediate High on the ACTFL English OPI.
3. It is highly recommended that students complete SPAN 1101-1102 or equivalent.

Language Core Courses

Students complete a minimum of **9 credits** from the following *or other approved electives*. Please speak to an advisor about appropriate placement and verify pre-requisites in the *Catalog*. Many of these courses are offered online or in a hybrid format.

| Code | Title | Credits |
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| SPAN 5500 | Spanish Advanced Grammar | 3 |
| SPAN 5510 | Spanish for the Health Professions | 1-3 |
| SPAN 5560 | Topics in Interpretation and Translation | 1-4 |
| SPAN 5594 | Topics in Language and Culture for the Professions I | 1-3 |
| SPAN 5595 | Topics in Language and Culture for Professions II | 1-3 |
| Approved graduate level elective taught in the Spanish language | | 3 |

Culture Electives

Students complete a minimum of **6 credits** from the following *or other approved electives from an approved program of studies*. Please speak to an advisor about appropriate coursework. Many of these courses are offered online or in a hybrid format.

| Code | Title | Credits |
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| ANTH 5530 | Human Evolution | 3 |
| ANTH 5507 | Anthropology of Global Health | 3 |
| ANTH 5508 | Topics in Medical Anthropology | 3 |
| ENGL 5588 | Introduction to Sociolinguistics | 3 |
| HIST 5579 | History of Disease, Medicine, and Society | 3 |
| MPH 6604 | Social and Cultural Perspectives in Public Health | 3 |
| SPAN 5505 | Study Abroad | 1-3 |
| SPAN 5593 | Spanish Internship | 1-3 |
| SPAN 5575 | Topics in Culture and Literature | 3 |
| Approved graduate level elective | | 3 |