

**CHSC 6100 LEARNING OBJECTIVES:**

After completing this course, each student should be able to:

- Discuss the mission, core functions, and essential services of the public health system;
- Describe the historical development and statutory basis of the public health system;
- Describe the structure and financing of the public health system, including the roles, responsibilities, and activities of all levels of governmental public health agencies;
- Identify the major ethical, legal, and enforcement constraints involved in public health practice;
- Propose specific changes to public health system structure, policy and/or practice which might improve the system;
- Describe the political nature of public health, its legislative process and advocacy;
- Discuss approaches to working with existing constraints and political limitations to achieve positive changes in the public health system.
- Discuss acquisition skills for the ability to interact with both diverse individuals and communities to produce or impact an intended public health outcome.
- List leadership styles which will increase his/her ability to create and communicate a shared vision for a changing future; champion solutions to organizational and community challenges; and energize commitment to goals.
- Apply ethical principles to public health program planning, implementation and evaluation.