

Tulane University  
School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine

## **Declaration of Minor**

### **INSTRUCTIONS**

Any Tulane University student may pursue a minor in Public Health. Minors will not be listed on your diploma but will appear on your transcript after graduation.

Generally, Tulane students pursuing a minor in Public Health expand their junior/senior concentration area to fit in the course work.

#### **THE PROCESS OF DECLARING A MINOR IS AS FOLLOWS:**

Take Declaration of Minor Form to the School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine's academic office in Alcee Fortier, Room 201D. Courses required for the minor, including completed and remaining courses must be listed and signed off by your adviser. This is essential in terms of knowing you will be able to complete all requirements and graduate on time. It is also necessary for us to know that you've completed all requirements when we certify you for graduation.

Bring the signed and completed Declaration of Minor Form to the School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine's academic office. We will enter it into the computer system for you and place it in your permanent folder. It is then your responsibility to complete exactly what is on the form. Any changes or substitutions must be authorized and documented by the minor department and placed in your record.

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**APPLYING FOR A PUBLIC HEALTH MINOR**

***INFORMATION SHEET***

This minor has been designed for Tulane University students who are not in the School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine but who want a general introduction to the concepts and applications of public health.

**Public Health Minor**

Please note the following before applying to the Public Health Minor:

◆Applicants must have junior standing and be in good academic standing with an overall GPA of 2.0 or better.

◆All minor courses must be taken for a letter grade, with an overall GPA of 2.0 or better.

**Undergraduate Core Courses**

Select 18 credit hours from the courses listed below.

<u>Course No.</u>	<u>Course Description</u>	<u>Credit Hours</u>	<u>Semester</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> SPHL 101	Epidemics, Revolutions, and Response: The Historical Development of Public Health	3	F
<input type="checkbox"/> SPHL 102	The Cell, The Individual, and The Community	3	S
<input type="checkbox"/> SPHL 201	Disease Ecology and Public Health Concepts	3	F
<input type="checkbox"/> SPHL 202	Genetics and Human Health with Lab	4	S
<input type="checkbox"/> SPHL 301	Public Health Systems Design and Decision Analysis	3	F
<input type="checkbox"/> SPHL 302	Knowledge and Information in the Practice of Public Health	3	S
<input type="checkbox"/> SPHL 401	Foundation and Formulation of Public Health Policy	3	F

A minimum GPA of 2.0 is required and a minimum of 18 credit hours to fulfill the minor. Advanced public health courses currently offered may be substituted with adviser's approval.

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID# \_\_\_\_\_

Current Major: \_\_\_\_\_ G.P.A.: \_\_\_\_\_ Year of Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of hours completed: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

### To: School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine Adviser

This Tulane student is pursuing a minor in Public Health. Please list the course work required to satisfy this minor, as discussed with the student.

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Major Adviser Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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## Change of Minor

(To be completed by student)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID# \_\_\_\_\_

Number of hours completed: \_\_\_\_\_ G.P.A.: \_\_\_\_\_

Year of Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Minor you are transferring from: \_\_\_\_\_

Minor Adviser Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**MINOR YOU ARE APPLYING TO:  
SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND TROPICAL MEDICINE**

**(Please Check Off One)**

Environmental Health Sciences

Global and Community Health

Health Informatics

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Public Health Adviser Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

CC: Minor student is transferring from