

Eugenio Maria de Hostos Community College of the City University of New York
Academic Advisement, Division of Academic Affairs

For an Associate in Science/Certificate (A.S./Cert) Degree in Community Health

Community Health (A.S.)

- *The A.S. degree in Community Health at Hostos Community College will produce graduates who can provide culturally and linguistically appropriate services to the most vulnerable populations in New York City. The goal of this program is to educate an emerging group of public health professionals in an effort to increase diversity in health-related fields. Students graduating from this program would be in unique positions to join national efforts to eliminate health disparities in New York City and other metropolitan areas in the United States.*
- *Paraprofessionals who are not seeking an A.S. degree, but want to update their skills and expand their employment opportunities may choose to seek a Community Health Worker (CHW) Certificate. The Community Health Worker Certificate could be applied towards satisfaction of College graduation requirements.*

Program of Study Leading to the A.S. Degree in Community Health

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS.	CREDITS
ENG 110..... Expository Writing	3
ENG 111..... Literature and Composition	3
MAT 120..... Introduction to Probability & Statistics.....	3
HISTORY.....	3
BLS 150..... Ethnicity, Health & Illness OR	
VPA 192..... Fundamentals of Public Speaking.....	3
PSY 101..... General Psychology.....	3
SPA 101..... Elementary Spanish I AND	
SPA 102..... Elementary Spanish II	
OR	
SPA 117..... Spanish for English Dominant Hispanics I AND	
SPA 118..... Spanish for English Dominant Hispanics II	
OR	
SPA 121..... Spanish Composition I OR HIGHER	3-8**
BIO 230..... Anatomy & Physiology I.....	4
BIO 240..... Anatomy & Physiology II.....	4
Subtotal	29-34

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS	CREDITS
HLT 110..... Intro to Community Health Education.....	3
HLT 212..... Bilingual Issues in Community Health	3
HLT 214..... Substance Use and Abuse	3
HLT 215..... Nutrition.....	3
HLT 220..... Contemporary Health Issues	3
HLT 299..... Field Experience in Community Health.....	3
Subtotal	18

Select three credits from the following: Program Electives

GERO 101..... Introduction to Gerontology	3
HLT 103..... Interpersonal Relations	3
HLT 111..... Health of the Young Child.....	3
HLT 117..... First Aid and Safety	2
HLT 118..... CPR.....	1
HLT 119..... Mental Health	3
HLT 120..... Human Sexuality	3
HLT 124..... Medical Terminology	3
HLT 133..... AIDS Perspectives and Implications for Health Professionals.....	3
Subtotal	3

Free Electives..... 5-10

Total Credits for Degree..... 60

***Based on placement, native speakers of Spanish will be required to complete 3 credits and non-Spanish speakers will be required to complete 8 credits of Spanish.*

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(Community Health Worker).**

HLT 110.....	Introduction to Community Health Education	3
HLT 117.....	First Aid and Safety	2
HLT 118.....	CPR.....	1
HLT 212.....	Bilingual Issues in Community Health	3
HLT 214.....	Substance Use and Abuse	3
HLT 220.....	Contemporary Health Issues	3
Total.....		15

Note: *A minimum grade of “C” is required in each course to receive credit toward the certificate.*