

HEALTH PROFESSIONS EDUCATION (MS)

Master of Science in Health Professions Education

Unit: College of Education and Human Development (<https://louisville.edu/education/>) (GE)

Department: Educational Leadership, Evaluation and Organizational Development (<https://louisville.edu/education/departments/eleod/>)
Program Webpage

Academic Plan Code(s): HPEDMS, MPEDMS_0

Program Information

This program can be completed in a traditional classroom format or entirely online (<https://louisville.edu/online/programs/masters/online-master-of-science-in-health-professions-education/>).

The Master of Science in Health Professions Education program at the University of Louisville is designed to prepare faculty and graduate students of medicine, dentistry, public health, and nursing who plan to teach in their respective fields. Potential candidates for the degree are faculty members, graduate students, and sub-specialty fellow in training with the intent of entering academic medicine or dentistry.

Degree Summary

Code	Title	Hours
	HPE Core	15
	Education Core	9
	Electives	6
	Exit Requirement/Practicum	3
Minimum Total Hours		33

Admission Requirements

The required credentials for admission include:

- Admission to Graduate School
 - a. For applicants with a terminal degree, a curriculum vitae and all transcripts must be submitted; OR
 - b. For applicants without a terminal degree, a curriculum vitae and all transcripts must be submitted, plus a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 for all undergraduate and graduate coursework.
- a.

Degree Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
	HPE Core ¹	
LEAD 665	Foundations of Health Professions Education	3
LEAD 675	Teaching and Learning in Health Professions Education	3
LEAD 676	Instructional Strategies in Health Professions Education	3
LEAD 685	Evidence-based Practice in HPE	3
LEAD 607	Principles of Educational Leadership	3
Education Core		

LEAD 666	Program Development & Assessment in Higher Education	3
LEAD 694	Diversity in Higher Education	3
LEAD 661 or LEAD 681	Adult & Organizational Learning The Philosophy of Higher Education	3
HPE Core + Ed Core		
Electives* Choose 6 hours from approved list		6
Exit Requirement		
LEAD 697	Organizational Improvement in Higher Education	3
Minimum Total Hours		33

¹ Mid-Point Assessment: Students must maintain a 3.0 GPA (no grade less than a "B") in HPE specific courses to remain in the program.

Code	Title	Hours
Approved Electives		
LEAD 600	Introduction to Research Methods and Statistics	3
LEAD 661	Adult & Organizational Learning	3
LEAD 681	The Philosophy of Higher Education	3
LEAD 678	American College and University	3
LEAD 668	Academic Advising	3
LEAD 670	Instructional Strategies	3
LEAD 683	College Teaching	3
LEAD 687	Education Policy & Equity	3

Exit Assessment: A minimum of 33 credit hours with an overall grade point average of 3.0, and no more than two grades of C.