**Epidemiology PhD Minor**

for Students Enrolled in Other Campus PhD Programs

PhD students enrolled in other campus programs may pursue a minor in Epidemiology. Those who wish to do so may contact the Graduate Program Coordinator for minor advising (see * below). A minimum of 10 credits of course work consisting of three required 3-credit courses and 1-3 credits of an Epidemiology elective must be completed.

Required courses:

- PHS 797  Introduction to Epidemiology (3 cr) Fall
- PHS 798  Epidemiologic Methods (3 cr) Spring
- PHS 805  Epidemiologic Methods 4 (3 cr) Fall OR PHS 806 Practice of Epidemiology (3 cr) Spring

An Epidemiology elective from the following list must also be completed:

- 621  Intro to Nutritional Epidemiology (1 cr) Fall
- 713  HIV/AIDS Epidemiology (1-3 cr) Fall, Spring, Summer
- 750  Cancer Epidemiology (2-3 cr) L/O Spring '11
- 791  Physical Activity Epidemiology (3 cr) L/O Spring '12
- 801  Epidemiology of Infectious Diseases (3 cr) L/O Spring '12
- 904  Special Topics in Epidemiology (each topic counts as a separate course)
  - 904-002  (Fall) Genetic Epidemiology (1-3 cr) Fall, Spring, Summer
  - 904-004  (Fall) Global Health Epidemiology (1-3 cr) Fall, Spring, Summer
  - 904-005  Cardiovascular Disease Epidemiology (1-3 cr)

Students who request exemptions and/or substitutions for required minor courses must appeal to the Director of the Graduate Program through the Graduate Program Coordinator. In this case, the appeal must include a Proposed Minor Program Plan, which must be approved and signed by the Graduate Program Director.

*In order to have approval to pursue the Epidemiology minor, please send an email to Graduate Program Coordinator, Kathy Rutlin ([karutlin@wisc.ed](mailto:karutlin@wisc.ed)), explaining the sequence of courses that you plan to take towards the PhD minor requirement. Be sure to include course completion dates. Your plan will be approved via email. When you are ready to have your warrant signed, email Kathy Rutlin again to make arrangements to obtain a signature.*