

THE PUBLIC HEALTH PROGRAM - MISSION, GOALS, AND OBJECTIVES 2009

***Mission:** To promote the health and well being of local and global communities through education, service, and research with a focus on underserved populations.*

Table 1.1c: Program Goals and Objectives	
INSTRUCTION	
Objectives	Time Designation
1) 100% of course syllabi to contain a written statement of competencies for each of the core courses, track courses, and elective courses with the method of evaluation included in syllabi	Every semester
2) 100% of course syllabi to be reviewed by the Curriculum Committee, focusing on the content of each course, to ensure that the course content matches PH Program competencies	Annually
3) Ad hoc Self Assessment Committee composed of community members and greater TU-C faculty and administration to review and solicit possible curriculum modifications	Twice Annually
4) Community Advisory Committee to provide feedback on program curriculum	3 x Annually
5) 80% of students to complete and pass the core courses in the PH Program	Every semester
6) 80% of students to complete and pass the concentration courses in the PH Program	Every semester
7) 80% of students to complete and pass the Field Study	Every semester
8) At least 30 of field study sites to be available in the local community	Annually
9) At least two field study sites to be available internationally	Annually
10) 80% students will complete and pass a Capstone project demonstrating core competencies	Every semester
RESEARCH	
Objectives	Time Designation
1) At least two faculty to publish peer reviewed journal articles	Annually
2) At least 10% of faculty to obtain extramural funding (grants or contracts)	Annually
3) 20% of faculty to submit grant proposals or contract agreements	Annually
4) 50% of faculty to attend at least one international, national or regional conference	Annually
5) 20% of faculty to present at least one paper or poster at two international, national or regional conferences	Annually
6) At least three students to present posters at international, national or regional conferences	Annually
7) At least two internal MPH research grants to be provided by PH Program to its students and/or faculty	Annually
8) At least five students to participate in faculty lead research projects	Annually
SERVICE	
Objectives	Time Designation
1) 80% of faculty to provide consultation or other services to local community organizations as requested by such organizations	Annually
2) 30% of faculty to collaborate in studies or other intellectual activities with faculty at external institutions	Annually
3) 80% of faculty to be members of appropriate professional public health organizations	Annually
4) 20% of students to volunteer in community health activities	Annually
5) At least four students to be recognized for individual achievement for public health service	Annually
6) 80% of faculty to volunteer a minimum of 3 hours monthly in community health activities	Monthly
7) 30 formal linkages to be made with local community organizations/agencies serving underserved populations	Annually
8) At least two formal linkages to be made with global institutions	Annually
9) At least one continuing education classes/workshops to be offered	Annually
10) At least five students to serve on PH Program committees on an ongoing basis	Annually
11) At least three students to serve in student government	Annually
12) 80% of core faculty to serve on TU-C campus wide committees or in sponsored University activities	Annually