

MPA DEGREE-COMPLETION ROADMAP
Fall 2020 Cohort

Program Overview: The program requires the completion of eight four-unit graduate courses which will total thirty-two semester units. Each semester is 15 weeks long and courses are offered in the Fall and Spring semesters only. We do not accept transfer or substitution courses for any of the eight required courses. You must maintain an overall GPA of 3.00 (B average) or better in the program, and earn a grade of C or better in all courses. Failure to meet this requirement will place you on academic probation. Students have to two concentration options: Health Care Administration and Public Management and Policy Analysis.

The required course and their individual units are:

Course # and Units	Course Title
PA 611 (4)	Public Administration Philosophy, Theory, and Practice
PA 612 (4)	Research Methods in Public Administration
PA 621 (4)	Seminar in Human Organizations, Change, and Social Realities
PA 622 (4)	Seminar in the Public Policy Process
PA 631 (4)	Management, Human Resources, and Ethics in the Public Sector
PA 641 (4)	Public Budgeting and Finance Administration
Or	
HCA 611 (4)	Evolution of the U.S. Health Care System, Health Disparities and Policy
HCA 612 (4)	Health Care Management, Leadership and Strategic Planning
PA 697 (4)	Issues in Public Administration
PA 692 (4)	Graduate Synthesis

Roadmap: Two courses per term is full-time status, and students may not enroll in more than two courses per term. Students may be part-time or full-time students.

Year 1	<u>Fall 2020</u> PA 611 PA 612	<u>Spring 2021</u> PA 621 PA 622
Year 2	<u>Fall 2021</u> PA 631 or HCA 611 PA 641 or HCA 612	<u>Spring 2022</u> PA 697 PA 692

University Writing Skills Requirement (UWSR): The University Writing Skills Requirement (UWSR) must be met by all CSUEB students, including graduate students. You will not be able to enroll in MPA 692 (Graduate Synthesis) nor file to graduate until you successfully meet the UWSR. Please contact the CSUEB Testing Center for information regarding the UWSR:
<http://testing.csueastbay.edu/>.

If you have any additional questions please email the MPA Graduate Coordinator (Professor Michael Moon at Michael.Moon@csueastbay.edu).