HEALTH POLICY AND MANAGEMENT: HEALTH POLICY ANALYSIS (ADVANCED CERTIFICATE)

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Program Description

NYU Wagner's Health Policy and Management program has been recognized as one of the best in the country. We draw from this program to bring you this Advanced Certificate, offering analytical skills for professionals in health policy. This Advanced Certificate will allow you to evaluate programs and policies, conduct high-level statistical analysis, and explore current issues in health policy.

Admissions

Admission to the Advanced Certificate program requires the following:

- Online Application
- Essay
- Resume
- Transcripts
- Application Fee

Admission is selective and based on the applicant's prior academic record and professional achievements. Advanced Certificate candidates are not eligible for scholarship. For more information, please contact wagner.admissions@nyu.edu.

Due to constraints relevant to US immigration regulations, applicants who will need an F-1 or J-1 student visa are not eligible to apply to certificate programs.

Students currently enrolled in a Wagner degree program cannot be admitted to nor simultaneously enrolled in a Wagner Advanced Certificate program.

See Advanced Certificate and Non-Degree Application Checklist (https://wagner.nyu.edu/admissions/degree-checklist/apc-nd/) for additional admission requirements and instructions specific to this program.

Program Requirements

The curriculum offers an opportunity for students to hone their quantitative analysis skills through a series of statistics and evaluation courses which must be taken in sequence. Students must complete 15 credits to obtain this Advanced Certificate. The curriculum is designed to be completed in two to three semesters, however students may take up to three years. Students must waive (https://wagner.nyu.edu/portal/students/incoming/getting-started/waivers/) prerequisite courses if they are required for any of the courses a student wishes to take toward the Advanced Certificate. If students are unable to waive the course(s), only one course may count toward the certificate and other courses would need to be completed in addition to the Advanced Certificate.

Course	Title	Credits
Required Courses		
PADM-GP 2171	Evaluating Programs and Policies	3
HPAM-GP 2836	Topics in Health Policy: Policy, Politics, and Power	3
PADM-GP 2875	Estimating Impact in Policy Research	3
PADM-GP 2902	Multiple Regression and Introduction to Econometrics	3
Electives		
Choose 3 credits from the following courses: [1]		3
HPAM-GP 1830	Introduction to Health Policy and Management	
HPAM-GP 2852	Comparative Health Systems	
HPAM-GP 4830	Health Economics: Principles	
HPAM-GP 4831	Health Economics: Topics in Domestic Health Policy	
Total Credits		**15**

[1] Three credits of coursework may be substituted from another NYU Wagner course (including another field/area of specialization) with approval.

Sample Plan of Study

Course	Title	Credits
1st Semester/Term		
HPAM-GP 1830	Introduction to Health Policy and Management	3
PADM-GP 2171	Evaluating Programs and Policies	3
	Credits	**6**
2nd Semester/Term		
HPAM-GP 2836	Topics in Health Policy: Policy, Politics, and Power	3
PADM-GP 2902	Multiple Regression and Introduction to Econometrics	3
	Credits	**6**
3rd Semester/Term		
PADM-GP 2875	Estimating Impact in Policy Research	3
	Credits	**3**
	Total Credits	**15**

Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of the program, graduates will:

1. Align organizational and institutional policies and practices with mission, strategy, culture, and broader policy objectives.
2. Secure and manage financial resources in a way that aligns with mission and strategy.
3. Demonstrate understanding of the policy lifecycle and the impact of social, economic, demographic, political, environmental, and regulatory factors.
4. Evaluate policies using appropriate, evidence-based methods and tools, including measuring differential impact on sub-populations.
5. Deploy conceptual frameworks to break down problems into constituent elements and to develop solutions.
6. Critically assess and synthesize existing research to identify its contributions and limitations, as well as possible research alternatives.
7. Demonstrate understanding of causality, including distinguishing between correlation and causation, the challenges to estimating causal relationships, and the importance of causality for determining impact.

8. Prepare succinct, well-argued, and well-organized written materials and verbal presentations with appropriately incorporated tables, graphs, and other visuals.
9. Translate awareness of the impact of individual and group demographics and identities into appropriate organizational, institutional, and societal policies and practices.
10. Lead projects, programs, and people, and manage resources in ways that adapt to changing social, economic, demographic, technological, and political conditions.

Policies
NYU Policies

University-wide policies can be found on the New York University Policy pages (https://bulletins.nyu.edu/nyu/policies/).

Wagner Policies

Additional academic policies can be found on the Wagner academic policy page (https://bulletins.nyu.edu/graduate/public-service/academic-policies/).