

SCHOOL HEALTH EDUCATION (P-12) ADDITIONAL LICENSURE PREPARATION - NON-DEGREE

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Description

The School Health Education (9-12) Additional Licensure Preparation non-degree program is designed for professionals who already hold a teaching license and who desire an additional teaching license in school health education. It meets the national and state professional preparation standards for school health educators that emphasize program planning, implementation, and evaluation of accurate and current health education information for diverse learners in PreK-12 educational settings.

The non-degree program is not a master's degree program. Students interested in obtaining a teaching license and a master's degree from Kent State University must also be fully admitted into the master's degree program and complete the prescribed coursework on the master's degree prospectus.

Fully Offered At:

- Kent Campus

Admission Requirements

- Bachelor's degree from an accredited institution
- Minimum 3.000 GPA
- Official Transcripts
- Goal Statement
- Two letters of recommendation
- Questions in Anticipation of Licensure form
- Evidence of valid 4-Year Resident Educator or 5-Year Professional State of Ohio teaching license

Program Learning Outcomes

Completers of this program will be able to:

1. Demonstrate competency in health education content, health literacy skills, and digital literacy skills for the purpose of instilling healthy behaviors in all learners.
2. Plan relevant, meaningful, age and developmentally appropriate, ability centered, and culturally sensitive school health education instruction and programs that are theoretically based, sequential, and aligned with the national health education standards.
3. Implement a range of school health education instructional strategies equitably and reflectively to meet the diverse needs of all learners.

4. Use multiple methods of assessment to enhance the acquisition of functional health knowledge and health-related skill proficiency for all learners.
5. Work collaboratively with various stakeholders in advocating school health education as an integral component of the school experience, demonstrate ethical behavior, and engage in and reflect on various professional learning

Program Requirements

Licensure Requirements

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Licensure Requirements		
HED 54051	BIOBEHAVIORAL ASPECTS OF DISEASE PREVENTION IN HEALTH EDUCATION AND PROMOTION	3
HED 54543	ADMINISTRATION OF SCHOOL HEALTH PROGRAMS	3
HED 54544	SEXUALITY EDUCATION PROGRAMS	3
HED 54550	DRUG ABUSE AND VIOLENCE EDUCATION PROGRAMS	3
HED 64050	HEALTH BEHAVIOR	3
HED 57091	CURRENT ISSUES IN HEALTH EDUCATION AND PROMOTION	1
HED 64058	DEVELOPMENTAL APPROACHES IN TEACHING SCHOOL HEALTH EDUCATION	3
HED 64063	STRATEGIES IN HEALTH EDUCATION AND PROMOTION	3
Minimum Total Credit Hours:		22

Progression Requirements

- Must maintain a 3.000 overall GPA

Graduation Requirements

- Minimum 3.000 overall GPA
- An analysis of additional content-area coursework required at the post-undergraduate level will be completed before entering into the program, and a Plan of Study will be created based on transcript analysis and current licensure requirements by the Ohio Department of Education. A minimum B grade is required in each of these courses. This coursework would be in addition to requirements for the School Health Education non-degree program.

Licensure Information

Prior to program completion, the candidate must demonstrate proficiencies in the following areas (including but not limited to): Data literacy and analysis, use of research and assessment data, leadership and collaboration, utilizing and supporting appropriate technology for the discipline, and application of professional dispositions, laws and policies, codes of ethics and professional standards appropriate to their field of specialization.

Candidates seeking Ohio teaching licensure are required to pass specific requirements in order to apply for licensure from the Ohio Department of Education (ODE). Students should consult the Health Sciences department for specific program requirements and refer to the Ohio Department of Education - Educator Preparation website for more information on assessments specific to licensure type.