

# OHIO UNIVERSITY

**SCRIPPS**  
College of Communication

School of Communication Studies

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## Health Communication

**Overall:** 61 (non-dissertation) credit hours\*

**Core Courses:** 13 credit hours

- 7000 *Professional Seminar: Pedagogy* (1 credit hour)
- 7005 *Introduction to Graduate Study in COMS* (4 credit hours)
- 7020 *COMS Inquiry I* (4 credit hours)
- 7030 *COMS Inquiry II* (4 credit hours)

**Primary Area:** 20 credit hours

Required: At least 12 credit hours of the following:

- 8400 *Health Communication in Organizations* (4 credit hours)
- 8430 *Relational Issues in Health Communication* (4 credit hours)
- 8440 *Health Communication & Society* (4 credit hours)
- 8450 *Health Communication Campaigns* (4 credit hours)

Remaining 4 or 8 credit hours from the following:

- 8420 *Health Communication & Culture* (4 credit hours)
- 8460 *Persuasion & Social Influence* (4 credit hours)
- 8470 *Health Communication Uncertainty & Risk* (4 credit hours)
- 8480 *Environmental Communication* (4 credit hours)
- 8490 *Special Topics in Health Communication* (4 credit hours)

**Research Competency:** 5 courses and 15 credit hours, minimum

**Electives:** 3 courses and 9 credit hours, minimum\*\*

**Dissertation:** 12 credit hours, minimum

\*Students may need additional coursework to reach 61 credit hours.

\*\*Students may take no more than four classes outside of the School of Communication Studies.