

SOCIAL WORK / HEALTH SERVICE POLICY AND MANAGEMENT, M.S.W. / M.P.H.

Graduates of the combined degree MSW/MPH program can expect to find employment in traditional health care settings that rely on the medical model of intervention as well as in settings that use a social health mode. Students may choose either the Health Promotion and Education (HPEB) track or the Health Services Policy and Management (HSPM) track in the MPH program. Students normally spend the equivalent of three years in their studies for their combined MSW/MPH degrees. Students' MSW fieldwork can be used to satisfy the MPH required practice experience – students should make those arrangements with the HPEB MPH Program Director. For more specific degree information, go to the MSW/MPH (<https://academicbulletins.sc.edu/graduate/dual-degree-programs/social-work-health-promotion-education-behavior-msw-mph/>) section of the Academic Bulletin.

Note: MSW/MPH students are required to complete five (5) credit hours of HPEB 797 to graduate. Students normally complete HPEB 797 during the last year of the program. Two (2) of the five (5) HPEB 797 credit hours are to be completed during SOWK 783. The remaining three (3) credit hours will be completed during SOWK 784. The MPH Program Director will provide more information about these requirements.