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**Degree Program:** Doctorate  
**Concentration:** Public Health



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**PSM 70705 Advanced Risk Management in Public Administration**

Presents the major aspects of risk management and risk reduction from effects of the general public to the crime and controversies thereof. Emphasis is placed on risk reduction strategies for communities near high crime areas. Major areas include risk characterization and technical strategies for clean-up of problem areas of violence and crime. Other topics include the legal systems and environmental law, regulatory requirements, cultural/behavioral values and economic impact analysis.

**PSM 70771 Environmental Health**

The course covers the major issues relative to physical, chemical and biological environments using a qualitative approach. Studies on environmental aspects of law, economics, planning and management complete this overview of environmental issues. Major environmental health problems include water quality, wastewater, occupational health, trace elements in the environment, municipal and hazardous waste, food protection, vector control and air quality are discussed.

**PSM 70772 Sewage Treatment**

Concerned with water quality criteria and standards, hydrologic and hydraulic aspects of water supply, theory and operation of water treatment processes, analysis and design of water treatment facilities, and fundamentals of industrial water treatment.

**PSM 70773 Child Safety**

The focus of this course is the promotion of child health through provision of preventive, curative, and rehabilitative services according to the comprehensive interdisciplinary model to meet health care and safety needs in the various stages of growth from birth through adolescence.

**PSM 70774 Healthcare Management**

Survey of the many approaches that have been suggested, researched and used to understand and manage work behavior. These ideas and prescriptions will be examined for their applicability to managing health care organizations.

**PSM 70781 Teen Mothers**

An analysis of teenage mothers in social context, with emphasis on the ways in which communities and societies promote stability and change in families and single mothers. Patterns of interaction among family members are also explored, together with the impact of family life on the individual's social development.

**PSM 70782 Social Policy**

An analysis of the social causes and consequences of political behavior. Topics include community power structure, voting, political parties, civic activism, and social movements. A review of the relationship between society and the person. The social

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*“Stop thinking in terms of limitations and start thinking in terms of possibilities”*  
*- Terry Josephson, 20th/21st-century motivational author*

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<b>PSM 70771 Environmental Health</b>
<b>Textbook: Environmental Health</b>
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<b>Textbook: Teen Mothers: Citizens or Dependents?</b>
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