



2019 MAJOR – Public Health: Policy and Promotion

(Qualifying Major for Bachelor of Psychology (Honours) with the degree of Bachelor of Human Sciences)

Modern public health is key to understanding how we shape and influence the factors for good health in our society. Human health is determined by environmental and social factors and many of these are closely related. In this major you will learn about how health policy is developed and how health promotion is conducted in local and global settings. These studies complement the psychology component of the double degree, making an attractive package for those students intending to work in the public health sector.

Admission to the honours (fifth) year of this program will be determined by academic merit. The honours year commences in semester 1 only and is two semesters in duration. In this year students will plan and engage in an independent and sustained critical investigation and evaluation of a chosen research topic that will match their strengths and career interests.



The table below is a suggested first session for students beginning in Session 2, 2019. Please make your selection of units after reviewing the requirements of your award in the 2019 Handbook:

www.handbook.mq.edu.au/2019/DegreesDiplomas/Degree/Bachelor+of+Psychology+%28Honours%29+with+the+degree+of+Bachelor+of+Human+Sciences

Suggested First Session

Session 2, 2019

Unit Code	Unit Name
PSYC105	Introduction to Psychology II
ABST100 or PHL 132	Introducing Indigenous Australia Happiness, Goodness and Justice
Elective	Choose an elective unit
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- You must also meet the general requirements for the degree for which you will qualify.
- It may be possible to satisfy the requirements of your degree by taking a different selection of units in your first session from those suggested above.
- Consider what units you will want to study in second and third year. Prerequisite requirements for those units must be completed prior to enrolment in the higher-level unit.
- You can receive specific program advice from the faculty at any stage in your degree by lodging a “Program Advice” enquiry via <http://ask.mq.edu.au>.
- Progression to honours is completed in the 5th year, subject to a specified level of high achievement. On completion of this degree, students are able to proceed to postgraduate training in psychology and towards registration as a psychologist.

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