



Graduate certificate

Health/Social Emotional Education for School and Community Certificate

• CIP code 131307 • 12 credits, 2 or more terms

Program Description — This Health/Social Emotional Education certificate is for physical educators, community and public health educators, wellness and fitness center employees who want current knowledge of health and how to teach it effectively. Students learn to teach skills-based health education based on the Massachusetts performance indicators and the National Health Education Standards.

Two courses are required and two are selected from the initial licensure courses of the Skills-Based Health/Social Emotional Learning master's program.

Learning Outcomes include increased competency in health education content and teaching skills.

Pre-Practicum field experience: Students completing the certificate do not need to complete pre-practicum field experiences. However, students who matriculate at a later time must complete all pre-practicum field experiences associated with these courses.

Successfully completed courses may be accepted into the Skills-Based Health/Social Emotional Learning (SEL) initial licensure program if taken within 5-7 years of matriculation (subject to change).

Program and course schedule subject to change.

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Required Courses **6 credits**

- EHE622 Implementing Curriculum in the Health/SEL Classroom Fall
- EHE632 Teaching About Human Sexuality Fall

Electives in Health Education **choose 6 credits**

- EHE613 Principles of Health/Social Emotional Promotion & Public Health Issues Fall
- EHE642 Promoting Wellness: Building Positive Health/SEL Behavior. Spring
- EHE652 Preventing Unintentional Injury & Violence Spring
- EHE682 Health-SEL Skills for Risk Reduction & Positive Behavior Change Spring
- EHE662 Promoting Mental/SEL Health Through School-Based Intervention. Summer
- EHE672 Improving School Health/SEL Through Coordination Summer

(All courses @ 3 credits except as noted.)