

**Master of Public Administration (MPA) – Traditional (Campus) Program**  
Advisement/Degree Completeness Worksheet

Course #	Course Title	Cr.	Term /Year	Grade
<b>Core I: Foundation (complete 12 credits/4 courses)</b>				
20:834:501	Introduction to Public Administration <i>(must be taken in first semester)</i>	3		
20:834:515	Administrative Ethics	3		
20:834:521	Technology and Public Administration	3		
20:834:541	Economics for Public Administration	3		
<b>Core II: Research &amp; Analysis (complete 6 credits/2 courses)</b>				
20:834:561	Applied Statistics <i>(recommended to take in second long semester)</i>	3		
20:834:562	Applied Research Design <i>(prerequisite 20:834:561 – Applied Statistics)</i>	3		
<b>Core III: Management (complete 9 credits/3 courses)</b>				
20:834:522	Managing Public Organizations	3		
20:834:523	Human Resources Administration	3		
20:834:524	The Public Policy Process	3		
<b>Core IV: Financial Management (complete 3 credits/1 course)</b>				
20:834:542	Public Budgeting Systems	3		
<b>Core V: Application (complete 3 credits/1 course)</b>				
20:834:563	Capstone Project <i>(prerequisite 20:834:561 &amp; 20:834:562; taken in final semester; offered in Fall and Spring semester)</i>	3		
<b>Electives (complete 9 credits/3 courses)</b>				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ To earn a concentration, complete 2 of the 3 required elective courses in the same concentration area. The 3rd required elective course can be from the same or different concentration area.</li> <li>▪ If you do not want to pursue a concentration, then complete any three MPA elective courses.</li> </ul>				
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**Concentrations and Electives**

**Budgeting and Financial Management**

20:834:543 Public Financial Management  
20:834:545 Capital Budgeting and Debt Management  
20:834:568 Government Revenue Theory and Administration

**Healthcare Administration**

20:834:581 Health Systems and Policy  
20:834:582 Healthcare Management  
20:834:584 Health Care Finance

**Leadership of Public Organizations**

20:834:505 Intergovernmental and Intersectoral Mgmt.  
20:834:507 Leadership and Diversity  
20:834:527 Labor Relations

**Nonprofit Management**

20:834:571 Nonprofit Budgeting  
20:834:575 Grant Writing and Grants Management  
20:834:576 Resource Development for Nonprofit Orgs.

**Advanced Study Courses (count as electives)**

20:834:503 Special Topics  
20:834:590 Internship  
20:834:597 Advanced Study  
20:834:598 Independent Study

**PLEASE NOTE: The MPA curriculum consists of a total of 42 credits/14 courses. Students need to complete all required courses and obtain a cumulative GPA of a 3.0 or higher to graduate.**