NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA

PROGRAMME STRUCTURE: M.SC PUBLIC HEALTH

OUTLINE PROGRAMME PROPOSAL (OPP)

YEAR I: FIRST SEMESTER

COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	CREDIT UNIT	STATUS
PHS 801	INTRODUCTION TO PUBLIC HEALTH AND PRIMARY HEALTH CARE	2	C
PHS 803	PRINCIPLES OF EPIDEMOLOGY	2	C
PHS 805	RESEARCH METHODS IN PUBLIC HEALTH	3	C
PHS 807	ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH	2	C
PHS 809	SOCIAL MEDICINE	2	C
PHS 811	PRINCIPLES OF HEALTH PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT(HEAL H POLICY/PLANNING	2	C
PHS 813	BIOSTATISTICS AND APPLICATION	3	C

PHS 815	HEALTH CARE FINANCING	2	C
PHS 817	OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY	2	C
GST 807	A STUDY GUIDE FOR THE DISTANCE LEARNER	2	C

ELECTIVES :

PHS 819: HEALTH PROMOTION AND EDUCATION 2
E

PHS 821: SCHOOL HEALTH PROGRAMME 2
E

TOTAL CREDITS COMPULSORY (CORE) 22
C
TOTAL CREDITS ELECTIVE 2
E
TOTAL CREDIT UNITS 24

YEAR I: SECOND SEMESTER

COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	CREDIT UNITS	STATUS
PHS 802	INTRODUCTION TO PUBLIC HEALTH NUTRITION	2	C

PHS 804	MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH	2	C
PHS 810	PHARMACOLOGY AND THERAPEUTICS IN PUBLIC HEALTH	2	C
PHS 812	GLOBAL HEALTH	2	C
PHS 818	PUBLIC MICROBIOLOGY AND ENTOMOLOGY	2	C

ELECTIVES:

PHS 820: INTRODUCTION TO STRESS & COPING MEASURES 2 E
PHS 839: PSYCHOLOGICAL FOUNDATION OF HEALTH BEHAVIOR & CHANGE 2 E
TOTAL CREDITS COMPULSORY (CORE)
10 C
TOTAL CREDITS ELECTIVE
2 E
TOTAL CREDIT UNITS
12

YEAR II: FIRST SEMESTER

COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	CREDIT UNITS	STATUS
PHS 822	SEMINAR	4	C
PHS 823	PRACTICUM	4	C

PHS 824	DISSERTATION	6	C

TOTAL CREDIT UNITS (COMPULSORY) = 14

NOT RECOMMENDED

1. GROUP DYNAMICS AND COMMUNITY MOBILIZATION -2 CREDIT UNITS
2. COMMUNICATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH -2 CREDIT UNITS
3. INTRODUCTION TO FAMILY AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH -2 CREDIT UNITS
4. SCIENTIFIC WRITING AND PRESENTATION SKILLS- 2 CREDIT UNITS
5. MULTIVARIATE ANALYSIS -3 CREDIT UNITS
6. DESIGN AND ANALYSIS OF EXPERIMENT -3 CREDIT UNITS
7. COMMUNICABLE DISEASES -2 CREDIT UNITS
8. NON-COMMUNICABLE DISEASES -2 CREDIT UNITS