

<p>Course Name: HLTH 305/3.0</p> <p>Fundamentals of Health Policy</p>	<p>Course Instructor:</p> <p>TBC</p>	<p>Contact Hours: Lectures: 1 x 3 hr / 12 weeks Field Studies: 2 x 2 hr / 2 weeks</p>
		<p>Prerequisite: HLTH 101/3.0 and Level 3 in a HLTH, PHED or KINE Plan or registration at the BISC</p>
		<p>Exclusion: None</p>

<p>Course Description:</p> <p>This course is intended to provide you with a general overview of policy and policy change, with a focus on Canadian health care policy. We will study the history and current structure of Canada's health care system, and analyze current debates about how Canadians access health care.</p>	<p>Course Texts:</p> <p>Journal articles, book chapters and other reading materials available on onQ</p>
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<p>Intended Student Learning Outcomes:</p> <p>By the end of this course you will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discuss theories and processes of policy and policy change • Explain ideological influences on health policy, • Understand the history and current structure of the Canadian health care system, • Contrast the Canadian health care system with health care systems in other countries, • Discuss current debates about reforms to the Canadian health care system, and • Demonstrate enhanced critical thinking, presentation, and writing skills. 	<p>Course Evaluation*:</p> <table> <tr> <td>Participation & Professionalism</td> <td>20%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Quizzes</td> <td>30%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>ELO Analysis</td> <td>20%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Final Exam</td> <td>30%</td> </tr> </table> <p><i>*Subject to change</i></p>	Participation & Professionalism	20%	Quizzes	30%	ELO Analysis	20%	Final Exam	30%
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Course Outline	
Introducing health policy and policy studies	Reforming Canadian health policy and healthcare
Ways of knowing: Health policy and health studies	Indigenous and non-Canadian health policy
Basic income guarantee	Fundamentals of health policy
Health policy in other wealthy countries	Ways of thinking about policy
Build systems that support the implementation of large-scale change	Theories of public policy
Get better value for money by reorganizing care and resources	Understanding policy change/Influences on policy relationship-based primary care
Canada's health care system	Ideologies and health policy

Eliminate unnecessary tests and interventions

Expand Medicare to medically necessary prescription medicine