



COMBINED BA/MD DEGREE PROGRAM

HMHV Seminars

HMHV 1110. Contours of Health in New Mexico (3 credit hours)

Seminar exploring ethnic, economic, demographic, and geographic variables impacting public health in New Mexico and the Southwest. Topics include access to health care; local alternatives to medical treatment; cultural definitions of health, illness, and death.

HMHV 2110. Literature, Fine Arts, and Medicine (3 credit hours)

Seminar exploring links among health, illness, literature and the arts, encompassing a diverse range of forms and genres. Topics include representations of health, illness, and medicine; arts as therapy; medical history in literature and art.

HMHV 301. Health Economics, Politics, and Policy (3 credit hours)

Seminar exploring political and economic forces that impact health care policies and practices. Topics include political and economic forces impacting health care; health care reform; the institutional and political organization of medicine.

HMHV 310. Health and Cultural Diversity (3 credit hours)

Seminar exploring cultural variables that affect the experience and practice of health and health care: how culture, ethnicity, race, and gender inform ideas of health and illness, death and dying, and the patient-physician relationship.

HMHV 401. Ethics, Medicine, and Health (3 credit hours)

Seminar exploring ethical and legal considerations that influence medical practices and decision-making. Topics include contemporary ethical and moral issues in medicine; and a comparative and critical analysis of relationship between professional ethics and personal beliefs.

HMHV Workshops

HMHV 2993. Health, Medicine and Human Values Workshop (1 credit hour)

Taken in the fall and spring semester of the first year. They are designed to assist students in learning how to navigate the university, the program, and exposure to community and clinical health through community service, shadowing experiences, and health education topics.

HMHV 398. Community Services/Public Health Workshop (2 credit hours)

Taken in the spring semester of the second year. It is designed to expose students to the history and importance of public health and prepare students for the Summer Practicum experience.