I knew I wanted to improve health services experience and value for vulnerable populations - but NYU Wagner gave me the constructs to understand how I might tackle this systemically. My MPA has been an open door for each new opportunity I pursue.

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ACADEMIC OVERVIEW

The MPA-HPAM program can be completed in 2 years full-time or 3 to 4 years part-time, with the option to switch between the two schedules. All students take core courses to gain essential skills in finance, policy and management. Students can then focus on a specialization, each of which has a set of required courses and a wide range of electives.

REQUIRED CORE COURSES:
- Statistical Methods for Public, Nonprofit, and Health Management
- Managing Public Service Organizations (MPSO)
- Financial Management for Public, Nonprofit, and Health Organizations
- Microeconomics for Public Management, Planning, and Policy Analysis
- Introduction to Public Policy

SPECIALIZATIONS:
- Health Services Management
- Health Policy Analysis
- Health Services Financial Management
- Health Care Public Finance
- International Health

SAMPLE ELECTIVE COURSES:
Choose from courses offered at NYU Wagner and across NYU in a range of areas. Sample of elective courses:
- Current Issues in Health Policy
- Introduction to Global Health Policy
- Health System Reform: Comparative Perspective
- Planning Healthy Neighborhoods
- The Business of Health Care

A full list of courses can be found at: WAGNER.NYU.EDU/COURSES/LISTINGS

For information on required courses by specialization, visit WAGNER.NYU.EDU/HEALTH.

FINANCIAL AID

NYU Wagner will assess all applicants for merit-based scholarship opportunities. Approximately 20 percent of all our students receive a merit-award for the duration of their degree program. Students interested in merit aid consideration are encouraged to submit their applications early. For more information about financial aid, please contact us at WAGNER.ADMISSIONS@NYU.EDU.