



DIVISION OF LIBERAL ARTS

INDIANA UNIVERSITY-PURDUE UNIVERSITY
COLUMBUS

Application for a Minor in Medical Sociology

Date: _____

Name: _____ (Please print or type) Student ID#: _____

Email: _____ Phone: (_____) _____

Declared Major: _____ Faculty Advisor for Major: _____

The Department of Sociology offers a minor in medical sociology, which emphasizes the understanding of the social context of health, health care, and the delivery of medical services. Medical sociologists study a wide range of topics, including (but not limited to): doctor-patient relationships, the social organization of health care, epidemiology (the study of how illness, disability, and death are distributed within a population), professional education, and acute and chronic illnesses.

Requirements for Medical Minor: 15 credit hours of sociology course work, with a grade of C (2.0) or better.

R100 - Introduction to Sociology AND R381 - Social Factors in Health and Illness

9 additional credit hours selected from the following:

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| R385 AIDS and Society | R410 Alcohol, Drugs and Society |
| R320 Sexuality and Society | R415 Sociology of Disability |
| R321 Women and Health | R485 Sociology of Mental Illness |
| R327 Sociology of Death & Dying | |

Course #	Course Title	Credit Hours	Semester/Year Completed:	Grade
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Sociology Majors: You **CANNOT** use elective courses to count both for the Medical Minor and for the completion of your major requirements. This means that if you wish to complete both a Medical Minor and a Sociology Major, you would need to take 8 sociology electives in addition to R381 or R382: 3 medical electives from the above list (for the medical minor), and 5 other sociology electives (for the sociology major).

This form should be completed and submitted when you are enrolled in your final Medical Sociology class.
Return form to Vicki Kruse, Room CC 162, 812-348-7393, vikruse@iupuc.edu

Date of Graduation: _____ Student Signature: _____

FOR DEPARTMENT ACTION

_____ APPROVED DATE: _____

_____ DISAPPROVED

Reason for Disapproval:

cc: Student File

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