

These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's [core regulations for postgraduate programmes](#).

MSc Public Policy and Global Health (B9K709)

1. This programme is available at Queen's Campus Stockton in a full-time (12 months) or part-time (36 months or 24 months by concession) mode of study.
2. The admissions criteria for these programmes are:
 - a. 2.1 Hons degree or international equivalent (eg, GPA 3.2/4.0) in a relevant subject, such as medicine, the health sciences, nursing or the social sciences or professional qualification or three years relevant work-based experience. Applications may be accepted from those who have studied a less directly related subject at undergraduate level, but who can demonstrate interest and motivation. Applicants without a degree will be required to demonstrate sufficient academic capability to satisfactorily complete their programme. This may entail submission of a portfolio of work or a 2,000 word essay on a nominated topic.
 - b. A strong personal statement.
 - c. A pass at Grade C or above in mathematics at GCSE level or equivalent is also required. Students without a Grade C pass at GCSE level or equivalent may be required to complete a mathematical exercise.
3. Candidates whose first language is not English will normally be required to possess recent (within two years) English Language test scores of 7.0 or above in IELTS (with a writing band of at least 6.0) or a minimum overall score in the TOEFL IBT (internet based test) of 102 (with a minimum score of 23 in all elements). Please note that TOEFL is NOT normally accepted without additional information being provided on the scores obtained in the supplementary tests: the Test of Written English (TWE) and the Test of Spoken English (TSE). Alternatively the Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency of English with grades of A, B and C or the Advanced Certificate (CAE) with a score of A is acceptable. The Pearson's test is acceptable with a score of 70 provided no score is less than 56 in each component.
4. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules:

	Credit value
Global Health and Governance	HEAS43915 15
Public Policy, Health & Health Inequalities	HEAS44615 15
Health Systems Analysis and Comparison	HEAS44715 15
The Dynamics of Evidence Informed Policy	HEAS44515 15
Gender, Sex, Health and Politics	HEAS44415 15
Qualitative Methods Applied to Policy and Health Research	HEAS44115 15
Epidemiology and Statistics	HEAS44015 15
Placement in Public Policy and Global Health	HEAS44215 15
Dissertation In Public Policy and Global Health	HEAS43660 60

5. Candidates must attempt Epidemiology and Statistics and Qualitative Methods Applied to Policy and Health Research before commencing the dissertation ([HEAS43660](#)).