

The Program has six terms annually, each lasting eight weeks: Summer I, Summer II, Fall I, Fall II, Spring I, and Spring II. Please see the Graduate Bulletin for the dates. The following courses will be taught on an annual basis:

- Summer I: MMA 600 - Seminar in Medical Anthropology; MMA 640 - Rural Health Issues and Initiatives
- Summer II: MMA 750 - Quantitative Research Analysis
- Fall I: MMA 610 - Public Health Anthropology
- Fall II: MMA 760 - Qualitative Field Research Methods
- Spring I: MMA 630 - Health Care and Health Issues; MMA 650 Indigenous Health Issues
- Spring II: MMA 620 - Global Health

During any of these semesters, students can sign up for an elective course offered by the MMA program or other programs. Students are required to take two elective courses. Students can select any graduate course offered by other graduate programs at Creighton University as an elective; they should discuss their choice with their advisor and get approval from the MMA program chair.

Students are strongly encouraged to take MMA 650 - Indigenous Health Issues as one of their electives, which is offered in Spring I. Students can also sign up for MMA 660 - Directed Projects in Medical Anthropology as one of the two required electives, after discussing a possible project with their advisor and having identified a faculty member to mentor them for this project.

Students, who have completed the regular academic year (Fall I, Fall II, Spring I, and Spring II) select one of the following courses and sign up for 6 credit-hours in Summer I and 3 credit hours in Summer II. Students from the School of Medicine sign up for 3 credit hours in Fall I, Fall II, and Spring I:

MMA 770 Field Research and Thesis Writing
MMA 771 Library Research and Thesis Writing
MMA 772 Practicum/Program Development