



Health Law and Policy Certificate Requirements and Information

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Certificate Requirements

- ❑ MLS, Juris Doctor, or LLM student in good standing
- ❑ Substantive Coursework
- ❑ Minimum Average Grades
- ❑ Active Participation in Health Law
- ❑ Writing Requirement

Substantive Coursework Requirement

Students must earn **15** total credit hours related to health law and policy:

- **4** credits from 2 core courses:
 - Health Law and Policy [**2 credits**] - Fall
 - Public Health Law and Ethics [**2 credits**] – Spring
- **11** additional, elective course credits (not including externships)

Substantive Coursework Requirement: Elective Courses*

*subject to further modification

- Administrative Law
- Bioethics & Law
- Biotechnology: Science, Law & Policy
- Data Privacy and Protection
- Elder Law
- Family Law
- FDA Regulation
- Genetics & Law
- Health Information Privacy
- Health Technologies, Innovation & Law
- Healthcare Entrepreneurship Clinic
- Healthcare Fraud & Abuse
- Healthcare Fraud Investigation
- Health Insurance Law Seminar
- International Human Rights
- Law & Psychology
- Law, Science & Technology
- Mass Tort Litigation
- Medical Error
- Medical Malpractice
- Nanotechnology & Law
- Neuroscience, Ethics & Law
- Privacy Law
- Reproduction, Reproductive Technologies & Law
- Research Ethics & Law
- Scientific Evidence

Minimum Average Grade Requirement

- Cumulative average grade of **at least 3.0** for all required substantive courses
- **Minimum grade of B-** for any law course applied toward the Certificate (whether taken at ASU Law or other accredited law schools visited by the student while enrolled at ASU Law)
- Pass/Fail courses:
 - Exception to minimum average grade requirement
 - **1** P/F course may count as satisfying a core/elective course (with exception for the Spring 2020 term)

Active Participation in Health Law

- Participation in at least **1** of the following:
 - Research assistant for a semester/summer with the **Center for Public Health Law and Policy***
 - Active participation as an officer for **1** year with the student **Health Law Society**
 - Editorial board position for **1** year with *Jurimetrics*
 - Health/public health law-based **externships** for a semester/summer session**

*Or other centers/programs focused on health-related topics

**Upon approval from Certificate Director or designee

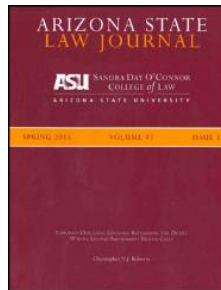
Health Law Externship - Opportunities



Writing Requirement

Paper Requirements:

- Substantial paper on health/public health law topic
- At least **15** single-spaced pages
- Under guidance of ASU Law faculty



Achieved Via:

- Graduation Writing or Flexible Writing Requirement
- Law journal note/comment
- Elective course papers
- Independent studies
- Co-authored papers with at least **15** single-spaced pages per co-author, with Certificate Director's approval

Faculty Advisor

- Certificate Director primarily responsible for Certificate administration
- Students may seek alternative advisors for the Certificate at the student's or advisor's request
- *Note* – your advisor for Certificate purposes does not have to be the same advisor for the writing requirement.

How to Apply – Typically 2L Year

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Application Form

How to Receive – 3L Fall or Spring Term



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Check Out Form

Thank you for completing the Health Law and Policy Certificate from ASU Law. Please provide the following information:

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