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The Core Elements of Project Management in Public Health

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Course Description

This course provides awareness of and an introduction to the process of project management. The course contains eight modules that will define project management and offer an overview of the critical project management tasks of defining project scope; establishing tasks and milestones; sequencing tasks; exploring the concept of efficiency; establishing timelines; scheduling tasks and resources; and monitoring progress.

Learning Objectives

- Be aware of the key processes of project management
- Be able to define the scope of a project
- Differentiate between project tasks and milestones
- Define elementary project timelines
- Be aware of the complexity of scheduling projects
- Be able to understand the essential requirement of monitoring project progress

Core Competencies for Public Health Professionals *Council on Linkages between Academia and Public Health Practice

• 2A8: Identifies mechanisms to monitor and evaluate programs for their effectiveness and quality

MCH Competencies *Maternal and Child Health Competencies developed by the Association of Teachers in Maternal and Child Health (ATMCH)

- C1: Organizational and management theories and practices, and their administration in both public and private agencies.
- C9: Develop mechanisms to monitor and evaluate programs and service networks for their effectiveness and quality, including the use of performance measures.

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