

## Advanced Certificate in Health Education K-12 Summer 2020 - Spring 2021

NYC DOE K-12 Teachers who are Currently Teaching Health but who have their Initial Certification in Another Teaching Area are Encouraged to Apply!

**Apply by Monday, January 27, 2020**

### OVERVIEW:

As part of the multi-year [Health Ed Works](#) initiative to revitalize Health Education for all students, the Office of School Wellness Programs and the Office of Teacher Recruitment and Quality, in collaboration with Lehman College, are pleased to offer in-service, K-12 Health Education teachers an opportunity to apply for an 18-credit program leading to the Advanced Certificate in Health Education. The NYC DOE will cover the cost of tuition and fees. Coursework begins in June 2020 and concludes in spring 2021.

### PROGRAM COMMITMENTS:

- Accepted applicants will be required to formally apply to Lehman College and attend a **mandatory** orientation session at Lehman College tentatively scheduled on May 5, 2020 from 6-8 pm.
- Students must enroll in and pass 18 credits and must earn and maintain a minimum GPA of 3.0.

### COURSE DETAILS:

The courses for this program are primarily online classes, with a small percentage (~15%) of in-person class-time during evening hours.

- 12 credits required in Health Education core content; Summer (June & July) and Fall 2020
- 6 credits required in fieldwork through the Student Teaching Internship course; Spring 2021

### ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

- Must possess a Master's Degree in any subject area
- Must have a graduate level GPA of 3.0 or higher
- Must be currently teaching health education in a NYC DOE public school, but not certified in health
- Must possess an active Initial, Professional, or Permanent teaching certificate issued by the New York State Education Department, in any subject area other than health
- Must NOT have taken any credits towards an advance certification in Health
- Must NOT be currently enrolled in a Master's degree or advanced certificate program

### APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:

- Resume or CV
- Graduate and Undergraduate Degree Transcripts
- Electronic copy of Initial, Professional or Permanent teaching certificate
- A letter of support from current school principal/AP on official school letterhead
- Essays

### TO APPLY:

- Follow this link for more information regarding application requirements and to submit an application: <https://www.surveymzmo.com/s3/5329416/Lehman-College-Advanced-Certificate-in-Health-Education-Program>

### QUESTIONS?

For questions about the Advanced Certificate in Health Education program, email [Healthedworks@schools.nyc.gov](mailto:Healthedworks@schools.nyc.gov) with the words "Lehman College Health Ed Certificate" in the subject line.