

ADOLESCENT AND YOUTH DEVELOPMENT MINOR

<https://chhs.unh.edu/recreation-management-policy/program/minor/adolescent-youth-development>

Description

The departments of Recreation Management and Policy and Human Development and Family Studies offer an interdisciplinary minor designed to give students an opportunity to develop knowledge and skills regarding adolescence and youth development. The two required courses offer a foundation in theory, research, and practice, and students choose three additional courses in order to better prepare students to work with this age group.

Interested? Contact one of the Minor Coordinators: [Dr. Cindy Hartman \(cindy.hartman@unh.edu\)](mailto:cindy.hartman@unh.edu) in Recreation Management and Policy or [Dr. Erin Hiley Sharp \(erin.sharp@unh.edu\)](mailto:erin.sharp@unh.edu) in Human Development and Family Studies.

Requirements

The Adolescent and Youth Development minor requires students to complete 20 credits.

Code	Title	Credits
Two (2) Required Courses:		
RMP 668	Youth Culture and Programs	4
HDFS 624	Developmental Perspectives on Adolescence and Early Adulthood	4
Select three supporting courses (12 credits) approved by a minor advisor.		
EDUC 556	Peer to Peer Mentoring for Students with Disabilities	2
EDUC #717	Growing up Male in America	4
HDFS 444A	Children at Risk	4
HDFS 707	Practicum	1-6
HDFS 776	Children, Adolescents and the Law	4
RMP 563	Recreation Management and Policy Practicum	2
RMP 560	Recreational Sport Management	4
SOC 525	Juvenile Crime and Delinquency	4
CMN 714	Youth and Media	4
SML 565	Principles of Coaching	4
SW 705	Child and Adolescent Risks and Resiliency: Program, Policy and Practice	4
Other adolescent or youth-based courses as approved by minor coordinator.		

- RMP majors may use [RMP 668](#) Youth Culture and Programs to meet both major and minor requirements.
- The Adolescent and Youth Development Minor follows UNH's policy on minors. Following University policy, students must complete 20 semester hours with a grade of C- or better and a 2.00 grade point average.
- No more than 8 credits used by a student to satisfy major requirements may be used for the minor.
- Students must submit a *Certification of Completion of Minor form* during their final semester to one of the Minor Coordinators: [Dr. Cindy Hartman \(cindy.hartman@unh.edu\)](mailto:cindy.hartman@unh.edu) in RMP or [Dr. Erin Sharp \(erin.sharp@unh.edu\)](mailto:erin.sharp@unh.edu) in HDFS.