

Template for Public Health Honors Thesis Prospectus

Must be submitted to Director of Undergraduate Studies, Dr. Risica (patricia_risica@brown.edu) (cc kira_philips@brown.edu) **by Friday, May 9, 2025 (December 6, 2024 for .5ers)**. Please complete this document single-spaced with 12 point font.

Anticipated Graduation: ___ December 2025 ___ Spring 2026

Student Name: _____ **Email:** _____

Honors Project Title/Topic:

Complete the following sections in this form.

(A.) Objective(s) of the project and thesis: This should be less than 250 words.

Give a short description of what your thesis will address or achieve.

Include the research question(s) that you will answer in your thesis.

(B.) Background: This should be concise. Please do not exceed one page.

Provide a background that summarizes why your topic is important to study.

(C.) Methods: Also, this should be concise. Please do not exceed one-half of a page.

Summarize the methodological approach you will use for your project. Include if you plan to collect primary data (and describe that data collection process), if you will analyze secondary data (and what dataset you will use), or if you plan to conduct literature review, and what form that will take.

Primary Advisor:

- Name:
- Department:
- Institution:
- Email:
- Phone Number:

Primary Advisor Signature (Required): _____

Secondary Advisor

- Name:
- Department:
- Institution:
- Email:
- Phone Number:

The signature of the secondary advisor is not required. However, they will be contacted to confirm agreement to serve as advisor.

Note: Please contact Professor Risica (patricia_risica@brown.edu) immediately if you plan to be off-campus during your 6th, 7th, and/or 8th semester(s) and you plan to do an honors project.