

Public Health Certificates

Program Admissions Requirements and Graduate School Admissions Requirements

- Online application
- Baccalaureate or advanced degree
- Official transcripts
- Minimum undergraduate GPA of 3.0 overall
- 3 letters of recommendation
- Personal statement

Graduate Certificate in Public Health

This completely online program is designed for individuals interested in pursuing or further developing a career in public health. Coursework consists of the five major disciplines of public health (15 credits). All credits offered in the certificate program may be transferable to the Master of Public Health program within one year of certificate completion.

Required Courses

18200 Environmental Health. *3 credits.*

18201 Principles of Epidemiology. *3 credits.*

18203 Public Health Administration. *3 credits.*

18204 Introduction to Biostatistics. *3 credits.*

18212 Behavioral Science and Public Health. *3 credits.*

Graduate Certificate in Population Health Management

This certificate is offered completely online, allowing students the flexibility to create their own daily schedules. Through innovative distance learning technologies promoting communication with faculty and fellow students, this program prepares individuals with the knowledge and skills to apply and achieve the concept of the “quadruple aim” of improved population health outcomes, better patient and provider experiences, and reduced per person costs. Coursework consists of two required courses and two elective courses for a total of 12 credits. All credits offered in the certificate program may be transferable to the Master of Public Health program within one year of certificate completion. *Experience working in a health care system, health plan, employer benefit plan, or public health department recommended.*

Required Courses

18232 Introduction to Population Health Management. *3 credits.*

18115 Health Promotion and Disease Prevention. *3 credits.*

Graduate Certificate in Community Health Assessment and Planning

This certificate is offered completely online, allowing students the flexibility to create their own daily schedules. The program focuses on working professionals who have responsibility and accountability for the health of the populations they serve. This certificate will provide the training to competently assess, plan for improvement, and monitor the health of various populations. Coursework consists of two required courses and two elective courses for a total of 12 credits. All credits offered in the certificate program may be transferable to the Master of Public Health program within one year of certificate completion. *One to two years of experience working in health care, worksite wellness, or public health strongly recommended.*

Required Courses

18209 Community Health Assessment and Improvement. *3 credits.*

18230 Community Health Program Planning. *3 credits.*