



GRADUATE SCHOOL

CERTIFICATE IN COMMUNITY HEALTH ASSESSMENT & PLANNING



The Certificate in Community Health Assessment and Planning is offered completely online, allowing students the flexibility to create their own daily schedules. This 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.

CERTIFICATE HIGHLIGHTS

- 100% online learning experience
- Designed for working professionals
- Only 4 courses (12 credits)
- Complete in 1-2 years
- Credits may transfer into MPH
- Exceptional faculty with practice and research experience

CERTIFICATE BENEFITS

- Enhances public health practice skills
- Advances skills in assessing health care status of populations
- Improves skills in utilizing community health planning models
- Develops skills in areas such as evaluation, research, and policy
- Serves as a pathway to pursue MPH degree at MCW

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- Online application *Visit: mcw.edu/apply*
 - Baccalaureate or advanced degree
 - Official transcript
 - Minimum undergrad GPA of 3.0 overall
 - 3 letters of recommendation
 - Personal statement
- * *One to two years experience working in health care, worksite wellness, or public health strongly recommended.*

2 REQUIRED COURSES (total of 6 credits)

- Community Health Assessment and Improvement (fall)
- Community Health Program Planning (spring)

2 ELECTIVE COURSES (Select 2 courses for a total of 6 credits)

- Community Health Program Evaluation (fall)
- Public Health Policy (spring)
- Performance Management and Quality Improvement (fall)
- Public Health Research (spring)
- Health Communications (fall)
- Health Promotion and Disease Prevention (spring)

APPLICATION DEADLINES (mcw.edu/apply):

- July 1 (fall)
- Nov. 1 (spring)
- Apr. 1 (summer)



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