Public Health is a multidisciplinary profession that focuses on prevention of disease and promotion of health in populations. The public health disciplines include health policy and management, health services administration, nutrition, biostatistics, epidemiology, oral health, family health, health education and communication, occupational safety and health, environmental health and international and global health.

American Journal of Public Health
American Public Health Association (APHA); APHA Newspaper; Internships and Fellowships; Student Assembly
Association of Public Health Laboratories (APHL); Laboratory Fellowships
Association of Schools & Programs of Public Health (ASPPH) Fellowships and Internships
Association of State and Territorial Health Officials (ASTHO)
Association of State Public Health Nutritionists (ASPHN) Health Equity Internship Program
Before You Apply
Campbell University College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences Ransdell Family Health Professions Readiness and Enrichment Program (HPREP)
CareersinPublicHealth.net
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC); CDC Office of Minority Health and Health Equity (OMHHE) Internships and Fellowships in Public Health; CDC Public Health Associate Program (PHAP); CDC Undergraduate Student Internships in Public Health
City University of New York School of Public Health Virtual Admissions Information Chat Sessions on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays
Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health Biostatistics Epidemiology Summer Training (BEST) Diversity Program
Columbia University Summer Public Health Scholars Program (SPHSP)
Dartmouth Atlas of Health Care
Emory University Rollins School of Public Health Magazine
Financing Your Public Health Degree
Funding for a Career in Public Health
Global Health Statistics and Facts
Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health Admissions Information Sessions
Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health Fostering Advancement & Careers Through Enrichment Training in Science (FACETS) Summer Program
Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health Magazine
Harvard T. H. Chan School of Public Health Summer Internships in Biological Sciences in Public Health
Harvard T. H. Chan School of Public Health Summer Program in Biostatistics and Computational Biology
Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health Summer Program in Epidemiology Health, Science, and Society Concentration, Clark University
Healthy People 2020
Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health Diversity Summer Internship Program (DSIP) for Undergraduates
Johns Hopkins Public Health News Center
Mass.gov Public Health Blog
Massachusetts Department of Public Health; Internships
Massachusetts Public Health Association (MPHA)
University of Washington Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation (IHME) Post-Bachelor Fellowship

What Is Public Health?

World Health Organization (WHO)

Yale School of Public Health Information Sessions

Degree

MPH (Master's in Public Health), DrPH (Doctorate in Public Health)

Program Length

Approximately 2 years for master's degree programs.

Professional Schools' Organization

ASPPH (Association of Schools & Programs of Public Health)

Academic Program Finder

Association of Accredited Public Health Programs (AAPHP); AAPHP Student Research Scholarships

Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH); CEPH Degree Program Search; Accredited Schools and Programs List

MPH Schools and Programs

Public Health Graduate School Programs

Public Health Program Ranking

Application Service

SOPHAS (Schools of Public Health Application Service)

Academic Admission Requirements

School specific and vary with specialty area, e.g., epidemiology requires science background where policy and management requires more background in management.

Admission Exam

GRE

Personal Attributes & Experiences

Skills and competencies in the public health disciplines include analytic and assessment, policy development and program planning, communication, cultural competency, basic public health sciences, financial planning and management, leadership and an understanding of systems.

Recommendation Letters

Individual letters of support.