

PUBLIC HEALTH GRADUATE CERTIFICATE

General Graduate Program Requirements

Graduate School policies and standards can be found on the Graduate School Policies page (<https://catalog.umn.edu/graduate/school-policies/>).

The minimum GPA for any graduate program is 3.0. Individual programs may require more than a 3.0 to remain in good standing.

The minimum grade for a course to be accepted toward any master's or doctoral requirement is C. The minimum grade for a course to be accepted toward a certificate program is B-. Individual programs may require higher grades for specific courses.

Online Program Option

This program may be completed in an online format (<https://catalog.umn.edu/online-programs/definitions/>). Students interested in pursuing an online degree or certificate program are strongly encouraged to contact the offering department to discuss specific program and course modalities (<https://catalog.umn.edu/online-programs/definitions/>) and create a plan of study with an academic advisor. The course requirements listed below may not be consistently offered via online delivery.

Graduate Certificate - Public Health

- The Certificate of Public Health requires the completion of 12 credits and can be accomplished completely online.
- Students in the CPH Program may take 4 public health core courses, or 3 core and 1 public health elective course.

Course Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Complete three or four of the following core courses:		12
PUBH 520 or STAT 451	Fundamentals of Biostatistics Statistical Methods I	
STAT 457 & STAT 452	Computer Data Analysis I and Statistical Methods II	
STAT 458	Computer Data Analysis II	
PUBH 510	Intro to Epidemiology	
PUBH 530	Public Health Administration and Management	
PUBH 535	Health Policy	
PUBH 540	Social & Behavioral Science in Public Health	
PUBH 550	Program Evaluation & Research Methods	
PUBH 560	Environmental & Rural Health	
PUBH 570	Ethical Issues in Public Health	
PUBH 580	Rural Health Issues Global Context	
PUBH 595	Practicum	
PUBH 599	Professional Paper/ILE	

Complete one of the following elective courses if completing three of the core courses:

PUBH 525	Multicultural/Native American Public Health
PUBH 545	Issues in Maternal and Child Health
PUBH 590	Research
PUBH 591	Special Topics/Experimental
PUBH 592	Independent Study
Total Hours	12