

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

A Generalist Master of Public Health (MPH) provides a strong foundation in the principles and practices of public health. The mission of this CEPH-accredited MPH program is to provide a stimulating academic environment in a metropolitan setting that supports excellence and innovation in education, research and service to enhance the lives and health of individuals, families and communities in the Mid-South and beyond.

WHAT YOU WILL LEARN

Students will have a strong theoretical understanding of public health principles, as well as a foundation in research methodology, implementation and communication, and program evaluation. Graduates will be prepared to plan, implement, and evaluate health projects, assess health impacts and conduct mixed methods research at the community level.

IS THIS DEGREE FOR YOU?

You should apply to the program if you are ready to immerse yourself in a deeper study of population health, health research and evidence-based intervention strategies.

EMPLOYMENT PREPAREDNESS

The Generalist MPH program prepares future leaders in the field of public health by providing the highest quality education and practice opportunities in theories, approaches, methods, and other substantive issues pertinent to public health. This degree is highly valued in population health and clinical practices and will serve those preparing for or already engaged in the clinical medical field.

MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH

GENERALIST TRACK

45 CREDIT HOURS

PROGRAM OUTLINE

- 18 hours | Core Courses
- 9 hours | Generalist concentration
- 9 hours | Elective courses
- 3 hours | Practicum/field experience
- 3 hours | Thesis or master's project



PUBLIC HEALTH CURRICULUM

(CORE COURSES)

PUBH 7120 | Environmental Health I

PUBH 7150 | Biostatistical Methods I

PUBH 7170 | Epidemiology in Public Health I

PUBH 7180 | Foundations of Public Health

PUBH 7160 | Social and Behavioral Sciences Principles

HADM 7105 | Health Policy and Organization of Health Services

(GENERALIST TRACK COURSES)

HADM 7110 | Leadership and Organizational Change in Health Care

PUBH 7004 | Interdisciplinary Approaches to Population Health Challenges

PUBH 7141 | Epidemiologic Survey Method

(ELECTIVES)

PUBH 7985 | Practicum/Field Experience

One of the following:

PUBH 7992 | Master's Project Seminar

PUBH 7996 | Master's Thesis

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- Bachelor's degree
- Minimum GPA of 3.0
- Three (3) letters of recommendation
- Statement of Purpose (400-500 words)
- Curriculum Vitae/Resume

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