



BS IN Public
Health

Bachelor of Science in
PUBLIC HEALTH



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ABOUT THE PROGRAM

Public health is concerned with protecting the health of entire populations. These populations can be as small as a local neighborhood, or as big as the world (Global Public Health). Most people do not realize the impact that Public Health has on their lives, but there are examples all around you.

Public Health is the science of protecting and improving the health of communities through education, promotion of healthy lifestyles, and research for disease and injury prevention. Public health professionals analyze the effects of genetics, personal choice, and the environment on peoples' health.

Requirements for a Bachelor of Science in Public Health:

Open to Stockton students in good academic standing

- Students are advised to declare their major by the beginning of the sophomore year to provide sufficient time to meet all program requirements for graduation by the end of their senior year.
- Credit for transfer students will be considered on an individual basis.
- An interview by appointment with a Public Health faculty member is strongly recommended prior to declaration of the major.
- A "C-" or better in all Public Health courses (or their equivalents) and a 2.0 PUBH GPA or higher is required for graduation.
- Students have the opportunity to earn Minors in a variety of fields such as Gerontology; Holistic Health; and Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies.
- Spanish or another modern language is recommended for Public Health majors.

PROGRAM CONCENTRATIONS AVAILABLE

- Health Administration
- Community Health Education*

* *Community Health Education concentration graduates may be eligible to take the examination to become a Certified Health Education Specialist (CHES).*

THE CURRICULUM

Core courses (28 credits)

PUBH 1200	Introduction to Public Health
PUBH 2330	Research Methods & Statistics
PUBH 2450	Public Health and Marketing
PUBH 2530	Basic Environmental Health
PUBH 3415	Writing for Health Professionals
PUBH 3420	Epidemiology
PUBH 4950	Internship & Fieldwork

In addition to the core, students must complete courses specific to one of the concentrations.

DUAL BS/MPH DEGREE PROGRAM IN PUBLIC HEALTH

Public Health offers a 4+1-year Dual Degree option, where students can obtain both a Bachelor of Science (B.S) and a Master of Public Health (MPH) in the CHED Concentration. The accelerated dual degree provides students with the foundational skills, education, research experience and service needed to fill leadership roles in public health settings, including state or local health departments, federal health agencies, voluntary health agencies, public utilities, private industry, consulting firms, hospitals, nursing homes, community health centers, health insurance companies, health maintenance organizations and preferred provider organizations.

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