ONE DEGREE. MANY CAREER OPPORTUNITIES.

Master of Public Health in Public Health Practice
WE FOCUS ON PUBLIC HEALTH PRACTICE.

At the University of Nevada, we’ve identified the most important topics that underscore the successful practice of public health and created a concentration that emphasizes this knowledge and skills. We’ve created a broad-spectrum curriculum consisting of social and behavioral health, public health policy, finance and budget, health informatics, epidemiology, biostatistics and more. In this concentration, we provide a holistic educational experience that prepares you for a greater number of job opportunities.

Public health positions exist within government agencies, educational institutions, health care facilities, managed care centers, corporations and non-profit organizations. Many of these career paths are projected to continue to show better than average growth nationally from 2014 to 2024, according to the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

As a National Tier 1 University (U.S. News & World Report), we strive to educate effective, ethical public health leaders. What does our position as a top public research university mean for you? It means we help you develop the evidence-based knowledge needed to collaborate across multiple disciplines and create effective change.

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Our school and faculty aim to:

- Prepare future public health practitioners, researchers, educators and leaders
- Develop the knowledge base for public health through research
- Engage with multiple communities through professional and scholarly service
- Expose students to diversity in multiple venues
- Be recognized for leadership in innovative approaches to public health

Why choose our online MPH?

- 100% online with no residency requirement
- Multiple start dates per year
- Graduate in as few as 24 months
- National Tier 1 University (U.S. News & World Report)
- The Master of Public Health is accredited by the Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH)
- The University of Nevada, Reno is accredited by the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU)

Our new online Master of Public Health is open to applicants with a bachelor's degree earned from an accredited school regardless of major.

This 45-credit MPH program focuses on Public Health Practice and consists of the following:

- 18 credit hours in core
- 21 credit hours in public health practice
- 3 credit hours in practicum
- 3 credit hours in capstone

**Core Courses**

- CHS 700  Research Methods for Public Health
- CHS 701  Social and Behavioral Dimensions of Health
- CHS 712  Epidemiology in Public Health
- CHS 725  Health and the Environment
- CHS 755  Health Policy and Administration
- CHS 780  Biostatistics in Public Health

**Public Health Practice (Concentration Courses)**

- CHS 720  Health Program Planning
- CHS 721  Program Evaluation in Public Health
- CHS 748  Epidemiological Surveillance
- CHS 753  Health Informatics
- CHS 756  Organizational Behavior in Health Services
- CHS 759  Health Services Finance
- CHS 761  Public Health Law

**MPH Culminating Experience**

- CHS 796  MPH Capstone
- CHS 798  Field Studies in Public Health
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- Bachelor’s degree from an accredited institution
- Three letters of recommendation
- Written Statement of Purpose: 500-word essay addressing relevance of your professional experience to public health, describing your career objectives and outlining your interest in graduate study
- Updated resume or CV
- 3.0 cumulative undergraduate GPA or 3.0 in last 60 hours

- 3 years of professional experience in public health or a related field. Students without experience or with a cumulative GPA between 2.75 and 3.0 may be considered with submission of standardized test scores (GRE, GMAT, MCAT).
- Course in Statistics.
- International applicants for whom English is not their first language must submit TOEFL scores.

ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA, RENO

U.S. News & World Report ranks us as a National Tier 1 University. We earned this distinction based on the quality of our students, faculty, research activity and degree programs.

The university offers more than 200 online courses each year. We believe in providing open access to a high-quality education.

We rank among the top 150 national universities in research and development. Over the past decade, we have tripled sponsored research grants and contracts to more than $150 million.

The university was founded in 1874 and is accredited by the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities.

We are a constitutionally established land-grant university that emphasizes programs and activities that best serve the needs of the state, region and nation.

The School of Community Health Sciences began offering the MPH program in 2000 and is committed to developing public health leaders capable of creating lasting change for people and communities.

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