

Certificate of Graduate Study in PUBLIC HEALTH



With as Few as Five Courses, You Can Elevate Your Career!

Health is a Human Right.

The Certificate of Graduate Study in Public Health provides post-baccalaureate students with an opportunity to broaden their understanding of public health, supplement another degree, enhance their current professional or clinical skills, or prepare for further graduate study. This program is great for non-degree seeking professionals who have an undergraduate degree in a related discipline and want to demonstrate content competence in public health. This certificate is also helpful for current graduate students who want to complement their existing graduate study with essential public health knowledge.

LEARNING OUTCOMES:

- Core principles and applications of public health
- Measures of population health and illness, including risk factors, epidemiological data, and healthcare access
- Applying epidemiological methods across diverse public health settings
- Major social determinants of health and their impact on programs and policies
- Collecting and using quantitative and qualitative data for public health contexts
- The role of public health programs and policies in promoting health equity and reducing disparities

WHY A CERTIFICATE IN PUBLIC HEALTH?

- Foundational courses align with **Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH)** accredited MPH programs
- Comprised of core foundational public health graduate courses, certificate courses can be easily transferred into the NCWU MPH program and should transfer into most MPH programs
- Expand professional skills or specialize in a public health-related area
- Enhance current graduate program and/or increase your post-graduate marketability

BY THE NUMBERS:

- 11% Career Growth*
- 100% Online
- 14 Credit Hours
- 2 Semesters

*Bureau of Labor Statistics, US Department of Labor (2024)



CAREER FIELDS:

- Healthcare Personnel
- Healthcare Administration Professionals
- Exercise Science Professionals
- Health Promotion/Education Specialists
- Psychologists or Nutritionists
- Community Advocates/Community Health Workers

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