

COMMUNITY HEALTH, BS & EPIDEMIOLOGY, MPH

for the degrees of Bachelor of Science Major in Community Health and Master of Public Health in Epidemiology

A 5 year BS MPH joint degree program is available for students majoring in Community Health, I-Health, or Kinesiology. Students apply for the program in the latter part of their third year (junior year) of study. Students accepted into the BS MPH joint degree program take 12 credit hours of coursework in their senior year that apply to both BS and MPH degrees. In the 5th year of study, students complete the remaining requirements for the MPH degree, and graduate simultaneously with both BS and MPH degrees. A summary of the requirements for the MPH degree is provided here (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/graduate-majors/community-health/master-pub-health/#degreerequirementstext>). The requirements are explained in more detail on the MPH program website: <http://www.mph.illinois.edu/Program/>. (<https://ahs.illinois.edu/how-to-apply-bs-mph/>)

Programs in Kinesiology and Community Health

Undergraduate Programs:

- major:** Community Health, BS (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/community-health-bs/>)
concentration: Community Health: Health Education & Promotion, BS (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/community-health-bs/health-education-promotion/>)
concentration: Community Health: Health Planning & Administration, BS (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/community-health-bs/health-planning-administration/>)
concentration: Community Health: Rehabilitation Studies, BS (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/community-health-bs/rehabilitation-studies/>)
- major:** Kinesiology, BS (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/kinesiology-bs/>)
concentration: Kinesiology: Teacher Certification, BS (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/kinesiology-bs/teacher-certification/>)
- major:** Interdisciplinary Health Sciences, BS (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/interdisciplinary-health-sciences-bs/>)
concentration: Interdisciplinary Health Sciences: Health & Aging, BS (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/interdisciplinary-health-sciences-bs/health-aging/>)
concentration: Interdisciplinary Health Sciences: Health Behavior Change, BS (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/interdisciplinary-health-sciences-bs/health-behavior-change/>)
concentration: Interdisciplinary Health Sciences: Health Diversity, BS (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/interdisciplinary-health-sciences-bs/health-diversity/>)
- minor:** Kinesiology (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/minors/kinesiology/>)
minor: Disability Studies (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/minors/disability-studies/>)
minor: Interdisciplinary Aging (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/minors/aging/>)
minor: Health Administration (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/minors/health-administration/>)
minor: Public Health (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/minors/public-health/>)
- joint degree:** Community Health, BS and Public Health, MPH (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/community-health-bs-public-health-mp/>)
joint degree: Community Health, BS and Epidemiology, MPH (p. 1)
joint degree: Kinesiology, BS and Public Health, MPH (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/kinesiology-bs-public-health-mp/>)
joint degree: Kinesiology, BS and Epidemiology, MPH (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/kinesiology-bs-epidemiology-mp/>)
joint degree: Interdisciplinary Health Sciences, BS and Public Health, MPH (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/interdisciplinary-health-sciences-bs-public-health-mp/>)
joint degree: Interdisciplinary Health Sciences, BS and Epidemiology, MPH (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/interdisciplinary-health-sciences-bs-epidemiology-mp/>)

Graduate Programs:

- degree:** Kinesiology, MS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ms_kines/)
degree: Kinesiology, PhD (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/graduate-majors/kinesiology/#doctoratestext>)
degree: Community Health, MS (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/graduate-majors/community-health/ms-comm-health/>)
degree: Community Health, PhD (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ahs/community-health-phd/>)
degree: Rehabilitation, MS (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/graduate-majors/community-health/ms-rehab/>)
degree: Public Health, MPH (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/graduate-majors/community-health/master-pub-health/>)
degree: Epidemiology, MPH (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ahs/epidemiology-mp/>)
degree: Health Administration, MHA (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ahs/health-administration-mha/>)
degree: Health Technology, MS (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ahs/health-technology-ms/>)
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The Community Health Program at the University of Illinois prepares students in the ever changing world of health care and health behavior as practitioners and offers three concentrations at the undergraduate level: Health Education & Promotion, Health Planning & Administration, and Rehabilitation Studies. All curricula are built on a foundation of general education courses which emphasize communication skills and critical

thinking. The Professional Core courses are designed to help students develop skills in planning, implementation, and evaluation in the context of health services and programs. Students must complete an internship during their senior year in a setting related to the degree and their interests. Recent internship sites have included the American Heart Association, the American Red Cross, hospitals, nursing homes, fitness centers, work site health education programs, and substance abuse prevention centers.

Further information is available from the Academic Affairs Office, Department of Kinesiology & Community Health, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 1206 S. Fourth Street, 2021 Khan Annex, Huff Hall, Champaign, IL 61820, (217) 333-2307.

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General Education

Code	Title	Hours
Communication Arts		
Composition I and an approved speech performance course; or CMN 111 and CMN 112		6-7
Advanced Composition (CHLH 304 fulfills requirement)		3-4
Quantitative Reasoning I & II		
From approved campus list (must include a course in statistics from approved campus list) (CHLH 244 and CHLH 421 fulfills requirement)		6
Humanities and the Arts		
From approved campus list (CHLH 260 fulfills 3 hours of requirement)		9
Social and Behavioral Sciences		
From approved campus list		9
Natural Sciences and Technology		
From approved campus list		9
Cultural Studies ¹		
One course from Non-Western Cultures approved campus list.		3
One course from U.S. Minority Cultures approved campus list		3
One course from Western Cultures approved campus list		3
Foreign Language: Completion through the third level of the same language in high school or college		
Total Hours		51-53
Code	Title	Hours
Community Health Program Core Requirements		
CHLH 100	Contemporary Health	3
CHLH 125	Orientation KIN & Comm Health	1
CHLH 201	Public Health Research Methods	3
CHLH 210	Community Health Organizations	2
CHLH 250	Health Care Systems	3
CHLH 274	Introduction to Epidemiology	3
CHLH 304	Foundations of Health Behavior	4
CHLH 410	Public Health Practice	4
CHLH 421	Health Data Analysis	3
Kinesiology and Community Health Department Core Requirements		
CHLH 101	Introduction to Public Health	3
KIN 122	Physical Activity and Health	3
Correlate Areas (see Correlates List Tab)		18
Each student completes correlates that are planned with the assigned advisor. These courses are designed to enhance and support career goals.		
Electives		9-11
Concentration Requirements		18
Total Hours		128

¹ Courses in cultural studies may be completed through other categories where appropriate.

Course List for the Epidemiology, MPH

Code	Title	Hours
CHLH 410	Public Health Practice	4
CHLH 469	Environmental Health	3 or 4
CHLH 550	Health Policy: United States	4
CHLH 568	Computer Packages in Health Research	2
CHLH 572	Principles of Epidemiology	4
CHLH 573	Biostatistics in Public Health	4
CHLH 576	Analytical Epidemiology	4
CHLH 578	Applied Epidemiology	4
CHLH 581	Professionalism in Public Health (2 semesters)	2
CHLH 582	Advanced Biostatistics	4
CHLH 587	MPH Applied Practice Experience	4
CHLH 589	MPH Integrative Learning Experience	2
Electives	2 courses, 3-4 hours each	8
Total Hours	(minimum required)	48

Other Requirements

Required Courses:	Required Hours
Minimum 500-level hours Required Overall:	12 (8 within the unit)
Minimum GPA	3.0

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Department Website: <http://www.kch.illinois.edu/>

Department Faculty: Kinesiology & Community Health Faculty (<https://ahs.illinois.edu/kch-directory-update/>)

College Catalog Page: Applied Health Sciences (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/schools/ahs/academic-units/>)

College Website: <http://www.ahs.illinois.edu/>