WHAT DISTINGUISHES OUR MPH IN EPIDEMIOLOGY?

Collaborative, interdisciplinary education
The program has a five-to-one student-to-faculty ratio, providing students with opportunities to engage with diverse faculty. Our location in the College of Public Health prepares students for interdisciplinary research and practice.

Renowned professors
Our faculty includes experts who focus on behavioral and chronic disease epidemiology, cancer prevention and control, social determinants, and water-related diseases. They have practical experience working in interdisciplinary teams in a wide variety of settings, including community-based entities, federal, state and local government agencies, health systems and clinical practices, and international nongovernmental organizations.

Real-world experience
You will gain hands-on experience working on projects with local or state agencies, private companies, or nonprofit organizations—making you competitive and prepared to launch your career after graduation.

PROGRAM
This program can be completed on a full-time or part-time basis, and is offered in person. The 45-credit program is structured as follows:

Core Courses (18 CREDITS)
- HRPR 5001 Current and Emerging Issues in Public Health and Health Professions
- EPBI 5103 Environmental Health
- EPBI 5002 Biostatistics
- EPBI 5201 Epidemiological Research Methods I
- HPM 5006 Political and Economic Aspects of Health
- SBS 5001 Fundamentals of Public Health
- SBS 5102 Theoretical Foundations of Health Behavior

Epidemiology Courses (9 CREDITS)
- EPBI 8012 Multivariable Biostatistics
- EPBI 8202 Epidemiological Research Methods II
- EPBI 8205 Chronic Disease Epidemiology
- or EPBI 8204 Infectious Disease Epidemiology

Elective Courses (12 CREDITS)
- Students can choose from topics such as environmental epidemiology, mental health epidemiology, public health data reporting and medical geography.

MPH Fieldwork Experience (6 CREDITS)

The Master of Public Health in Epidemiology prepares students for practice- and research-oriented careers in epidemiology. You will learn to use rigorous epidemiologic methods and analyses to answer pressing public health questions. The program trains you to use statistical computing software, to manage health-related data, to solve real-world problems through experiential training, and to design studies and data analyses.

Founded in 1884, Temple University encompasses 17 schools and colleges, eight campuses and over 38,000 students—making it one of the nation’s most comprehensive educational and research institutions. Temple’s College of Public Health is one of the largest and most diverse colleges of its kind in the country, incorporating healthcare and health services professions as well as traditional public health disciplines. Across our 17 disciplines and more than 50 academic programs, we are redefining what it means to be leaders in public health.
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ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

For admission consideration, applicants must have:
• A baccalaureate degree or its equivalent from an accredited post-secondary institution
• Minimum undergraduate GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale (or the functional equivalent)
• Strong grades in mathematics and/or statistics, social sciences and writing are preferred

APPLICATION DEADLINES AND REQUIREMENTS

Fall term deadline: March 1
Spring term deadline: November 1

To apply for admission, applicants must submit the following credentials:
• SOPHAS Centralized Application, available at sophas.org
• Three letters of recommendation
• Official transcripts from all post-secondary institutions attended
• Statement of goals
• Résumé or CV
• Official GRE test scores*
• For applicants whose native language is not English, the TOEFL or IELTS exam is required with the following minimum scores: 79 on the internet-based TOEFL or 6.5 on the academic version of the IELTS
• A World Education Services (WES) course-by-course evaluation is required for applicants who completed their degree outside of the United States

*GREs may be waived for students meeting certain academic requirements

TUITION AND FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION

Domestic students are eligible to apply for need-based assistance through the Office of Student Financial Services. For more information, please visit: temple.edu/sfs

Tuition rates for the 2018-2019 academic year:
Pennsylvania Resident: $954 per credit
Out-of-State Resident: $1314 per credit

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