

**Change yourself. Change Louisiana.**

Public health practitioners promote the health of people and communities by

- detecting, preventing and responding to disease outbreaks and environmental disasters
- promoting healthy lifestyles
- investigating health risk factors
- identifying and addressing health disparities
- creating policies to improve health quality and access

The Bachelor of Science in Public Health provides students with

- knowledge of the socioeconomic, behavioral, biological, and environmental factors that impact human health
- critical thinking and analytical skills to evaluate and address public health issues
- tools to solve health problems in human populations

**ADMISSION**

Enter the Bachelor of Science of Public Health program after completion of the prerequisite courses and at least 60 credit hours from a college or university with a cumulative GPA of 2.75.

**PREREQUISITE COURSES**

- Mathematics/Statistics (6 hours)
- English Composition (6 hours)
- Arts (3 hours)
- Humanities (9 hours)
- Natural Sciences (12 hours)
- Social Sciences (9 hours)



**FINISH STRONG**

Complete your bachelor's degree in our 2-year program.

**COURSES INCLUDE**

- Global Public Health
- U.S. Health Care Systems
- Environmental Determinants of Health and Disease
- Public Health Policy and Advocacy
- Health Equity
- Data Analysis in Public Health
- Public Health in Action – Service Learning Experience
- Climate Change – a Public Health Perspective
- Project Implementation
- Evidence-based Practice in Public Health



**JUMP START YOUR CAREER**

Graduates of the program will be prepared for employment in a wide range of health-related organizations such as state and federal health departments, healthcare delivery systems, the health insurance industry and not-for-profit organizations. Graduates can also pursue a graduate degree in public health, allied health professions, medicine, nursing or dentistry.