LSU School of Public Health's Mission

The LSU School of Public Health mission states that our goal is for "a healthier Louisiana with a workforce addressing the core functions of public health, equipped with data and knowledge, and supported by LSU's faculty, students and staff." Your education here will give you real-world, practical experience to make the world a healthier place.

Goals of the MD/MPH Joint Degree Program

Make an impact as a physician improving the public's health – and start on an exciting and meaningful career path – with the new LSU 4-year MD-MPH (Master of Public Health) Dual Degree Program. The new program integrates curricula in the School of Medicine and School of Public Health to prepare medical students as excellent clinicians who can improve public health through application of knowledge and skills from one of four public health disciplines.

4-Year MD-MPH Program students at LSU benefit from dynamic courses, diverse field placements, and outstanding faculty from across the Health Sciences Center – providing them with advanced foundations in the disciplines of clinical medicine and public health improvement – and allowing them to pursue individual interests while they develop critical skills for healthcare in the 21st century. The MD-MPH program provides students with the analytical tools to define, evaluate and solve emerging health and health care problems.
MD-MPH Admissions and Application Information

To gain the most in depth information on the MD/MPH Program, please indicate you are interested in the MD/MPH on your secondary application to LSU Health New Orleans School of Medicine.

**Students interested in the MD/MPH Dual Degree Program will apply to a specific MPH concentration:**
- Behavioral and Community Health Sciences (BCHS)
- Environmental and Occupational Health Sciences (ENHS)
- Epidemiology (EPID)
- Health Policy and Systems Management (HPSM)

**Application Requirements:**
- Acceptance by LSU Health New Orleans School of Medicine
- MPH Application for MSW/MPH Joint Degree Program (Editable PDF)
- Students Authorization to Release Medical School Records
- 1 page goal statement stating why you wish to pursue an MPH

**All pieces must be submitted to Isabel Billiot prior to May 1st**
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**Questions?**
Additional information about the LSU School of Public Health, the curriculum for the joint degree program, faculty and staff can be found on our website at [sph.lsuhsc.edu](http://sph.lsuhsc.edu).

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