BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN PUBLIC HEALTH – HEALTH STUDIES

21% increase in demand for public health workers by 2022.

Public health is the science of preventing disease, promoting health, and prolonging life within entire populations. These populations can be as small as a neighborhood or community, or even as big as a country or region of the world. Unlike clinicians who treat patients individually after they become sick, public health professionals work to identify the root causes of health problems, and then implement large-scale solutions to prevent injury or illness. Although the field of public health is vast with many opportunities to find your niche, public health professionals:

- Monitor health
- Identify and investigate health problems
- Conduct research to enhance prevention
- Advocate for, develop, and evaluate public health policies
- Implement prevention strategies
- Promote healthy behaviors and environments

The Bachelor of Science in Public Health provides a foundation in the core areas of public health and focuses on addressing health disparities.

WHY UNCG
- Recognized as a top 3 Best Online College
- Original UNC institution
- Faculty who know the workplace
- Accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS)

PROGRAM AT A GLANCE
- Fully online
- Cohort based
- Sequenced courses
- Focused on health disparities including: race/ethnicity, gender, and socioeconomic status

CAREER OPTIONS
- Businesses
- Hospitals
- Non-profits
- Research
- Schools
- Universities

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS
- AA, AS, BA or BS degree
- Minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5
- Completion of prerequisites with a grade of C or higher

START DATES
To start in August apply by April 1

HOW TO APPLY
- Apply online at spartanlink.uncg.edu
- Completion of UNCG Application for Admission
- Completion of Department secondary application at phe.uncg.edu

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CURRICULUM

Core Courses
HEA 308 Introduction to Public Health
HEA 312 Public Health and Health Care Systems in the US
HEA 314 Public Health Diseases
HEA 315 Epidemiology
HEA 316 Environmental Health
HEA 325 Public Health Data Analysis
HEA 350 Race, Ethnicity and Health
HEA 433 Gender and Health
HEA 447 Income, Social Status and Health
HEA 490 Health Seminar

Elective Courses
HEA 113 Medical Terminology for the Public Health Professional
HEA 201 Personal Health
HEA 307 Global Health
HEA 260 Human Sexuality
HEA 310 Mental Health and Wellbeing
HEA 331 Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs
HEA 450 Special Topics
HEA 470 Adolescent Health
HEA 471 Immigrant and Refugee Health

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

- 122 total credit hours, including accepted transfer credit and courses completed at UNCG
- Maximum semester hours that can be transferred from a community college is 64
- 51 semester hours in major
- 33 semester hours of core courses
- 18 semester hours of health electives
- 31 semester hours minimum earned at UNCG
- 36 semester hours at 300 level or above
- Minimum grade of C in all HEA classes
- Minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA

TESTIMONIALS

“Even though my classes were online, there was consistent communication and detailed support.”

“UNCG’s BS in Public Health fully prepared me for the Master’s of Public Health I’m now pursuing.”

COST

2017–2018 UNCG Online Undergraduate Tuition & Fees

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* Outside North Carolina means education is received in a state other than North Carolina. Most students not living in North Carolina will fall into this category.

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