

Public Health, Graduate Certificate

The graduate Certificate in Public Health requires 18 s.h. of credit. All certificate courses are offered online at least once a year, and all courses are offered on campus. Students who are only enrolled in the Certificate in Public Health program may not register for courses other than those required for the certificate.

The certificate program is designed to improve public health practice and public health workforce capacity in Iowa and the upper Midwest. It is intended primarily for individuals in public health practice, those in the workforce, and those interested in strengthening their knowledge and skills in basic public health competencies.

Students must complete the certificate's required course work within five years of entering the program and must maintain a g.p.a. of at least 2.75 in work for the certificate.

The graduate Certificate in Public Health requires the following course work.

CPH:4101	Introduction to Public Health	3
CBH:4105	Introduction to Health Promotion and Disease Prevention	3
BIOS:4120	Introduction to Biostatistics	3
EPID:4400	Epidemiology I: Principles	3
HMP:4000	Introduction to the U.S. Health Care System	3
OEH:4240	Global Environmental Health	3

Applicants to the certificate program must hold a bachelor's degree and must have a cumulative g.p.a. of at least 2.75. They must submit official transcript(s), a statement of purpose, two reference letters, a résumé, and an online application.

For more information about the program and how to apply, visit the Certificate in Public Health web page. The Certificate in Public Health is conferred by the Graduate College.