

2.0 Instructional Programs

2.1 Degree Offerings. The school shall offer instructional programs reflecting its stated mission and goals, leading to the Master of Public Health (MPH) or equivalent professional master's degree in at least the five areas of knowledge basic to public health. The school may offer other degrees, professional and academic, and other areas of specialization, if consistent with its mission and resources.

The Master of Public Health (MPH) degree is offered in the five core concentrations in public health: Biostatistics, Environmental Health, Epidemiology, Public Health Management and Policy, and Social and Behavioral Sciences. A sixth concentration, Public Health Practice, allows students with prior or concurrent professional degrees to select intermediate and advanced courses in two or more of the core concentrations. The College also offers four doctoral degrees in public health disciplines — Biostatistics, Epidemiology, Health Services Research, and Public Health with concentrations in environmental and global health, one health, and social and behavioral science. In addition, the College of Public Health and Health Professions offers two Bachelor of Health Science (BHS) majors, two Master of Science degrees (MS), seven other professional degree programs at the master's or doctoral level, and three other PhD programs.

Required Documentation.

2.1.a An instructional matrix presenting all of the school's degree programs and areas of specialization. If multiple areas of specialization are available within the departments or academic units shown in the matrix, these should be included. The matrix should distinguish between public health professional degrees, other professional degrees and academic degrees at the graduate level, and should distinguish baccalaureate public health degrees from other baccalaureate degrees. The matrix must identify any programs that are offered in distance learning or other formats. Non-degree programs should not be included in the matrix. See CEPH Data Template 2.1.1.

Instructional programs offered by the College of Public Health and Health Professions are listed in Table 2.1.a.1.

Table 2.1.a.1 Instructional Matrix – Degrees and Specializations

Degree/Specialization	Academic	Public Health Professional	Other Professional	Other Baccalaureate
Bachelor's Degrees				
Bachelor of Health Science – Communication Sciences and Disorders				X
Bachelor of Health Science in Health Science – Health Science Track				X
Bachelor of Health Science in Health Science – Pre-OT Track				X
Bachelor of Health Science in Health Science – Pre-Public Health Track				X

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Degree/Specialization	Academic	Public Health Professional	Other Professional	Other Baccalaureate
Master's Degrees				
Master of Public Health – Biostatistics		X		
Master of Public Health – Environmental Health		X		
Master of Public Health – Epidemiology		X		
Master of Public Health – Public Health Management and Policy		X		
Master of Public Health – Public Health Practice		X		
Master of Public Health – Social and Behavioral Sciences		X		
Master of Public Health – Public Health Practice - Distance Learning		X		
Master of Science – Biostatistics	X			
Master of Science – Epidemiology	X			
Master of Arts – Communication Sciences and Disorders			X	
Master of Health Administration			X	
Master of Health Science in Environmental and Global Health: One Health			X	
Master of Occupational Therapy			X	
Doctoral Degrees				
Doctor of Audiology – Distance Learning			X	
Doctor of Audiology			X	
Doctor of Physical Therapy			X	
Doctor of Philosophy in Biostatistics	X			
Doctor of Philosophy in Communication Sciences and Disorders	X			
Doctor of Philosophy in Epidemiology	X			
Doctor of Philosophy in Health Services Research	X			
Doctor of Philosophy in Psychology	X			
Doctor of Philosophy in Public Health – Environmental and Global Health	X			
Doctor of Philosophy in Public Health – One Health	X			
Doctor of Philosophy in Public Health – Social and Behavioral Sciences	X			
Doctor of Philosophy in Rehabilitation Science	X			
Collaborative Degrees				
Bachelor's/Master of Public Health Combined Degree		X		
Master of Business Administration/Master of Health Administration			X	
Juris Doctor/Master of Public Health		X		
Doctor of Medicine/Master of Public Health		X		
Doctor of Pharmacy/Master of Public Health		X		
Doctor of Physical Therapy/Master of Public Health		X		
Doctor of Veterinary Medicine/Master of Public Health		X		

The joint degree programs listed in Table 2.1.a.1 are formally approved by the Graduate Council of the University for all students who are accepted into them. In addition to these programs, qualified students may enroll in non-traditional PhD/MPH (or other master's) programs or concurrent other master's/MPH programs. These programs are developed on an individual basis, as described under Criterion 2.13.

2.1.b The school bulletin or official publication, which describes all degree programs identified in the instructional matrix, including a list of required courses and their course descriptions. The school bulletin or other official publication may be online, with appropriate links noted.

Current descriptions of instructional programs offered by the College, including curricula, course descriptions, and course syllabi, may be found on the College website: www.phhp.ufl.edu/. In addition, all programs offered through the University of Florida Graduate School are described in the *University of Florida Graduate Catalog* <http://gradcatalog.ufl.edu/>. The BHS degrees are described in the *University of Florida Undergraduate Catalog* <https://catalog.ufl.edu/ugrad/current/Pages/home.aspx>. The College website is updated frequently, while most elements in the UF catalogs are updated annually.

2.1.c Assessment of the extent to which this criterion is met and an analysis of the school's strengths, weaknesses and plans relating to this criterion.

This criterion is met.

Strengths:

1. The College of Public Health and Health Professions offers the MPH degree in the five concentrations required by CEPH, the MPH with a concentration in public health practice, and four PhDs in public health disciplines, one of which has three concentrations.
2. The College also offers two BHS majors, seven other professional degrees, three other PhD programs, and two academic master's degrees. A combined degree program between bachelor's and MPH degrees, and five joint instructional programs between professional degrees and the MPH are also offered. The wide range of instructional programs in the College provides a framework for promoting collaboration with disciplines inside and outside traditional public health boundaries as stated in the College mission and goals.
3. Detailed information about instructional programs offered by the College is available and accessible at the College website and in UF catalogs.

Weaknesses:

1. None identified.

Plans:

1. Develop MPH joint degree programs with dentistry (DMD) and nursing (DNP).