

# ABM Program

## ABOUT THE PROGRAM

This program allows outstanding BSPH or undergraduate students to accelerate their path towards a Master of Public Health (MPH) by enrolling in graduate level courses during their junior and senior years. Students should consider the Accelerated Bachelor to Master of Public Health (ABM) early in their undergraduate career, in consultation with their academic advisor.

## IS THIS PROGRAM FOR YOU?

- Those completing a BSPH or bachelor's degree and are considering a graduate degree in public health
- Students looking to be on the fast-track to a Master's in Public Health

## BSPH TO MPH TRANSITION

BSPH students who complete the ABM program can apply for admission into the School of Public Health's MPH program upon graduation. They can apply up to 12 hours of graduate coursework to both their undergraduate and graduate programs. However, graduate coursework will not apply toward the undergraduate GPA.

Once a student has received a grade of "B" or better in eligible ABM courses and been accepted into the MPH program, credit for these courses will be applied to their transcript and counted toward their MPH.

## ACCELERATED BACHELOR TO MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH

## 12 CREDIT HOURS

### TO APPLY

- Undergraduate students in Public Health
- Completed public health courses relevant to the BSPH degree, with a minimum GPA of 3.25
- Two (2) letters of recommendation



## CURRICULUM

The four courses that an undergraduate should take to accelerate their path toward MPH attainment are:

PUBH 7150 | Biostatistical Methods I

PUBH 7160 | Social and Behavioral Science Principles

PUBH 7170 | Epidemiology in Public Health I

PUBH 7180 | Foundations of Public Health

## WHAT WILL YOU LEARN

ABM students will develop skills in multidisciplinary fields of public health including biostatistics, epidemiology, social and behavioral science, environmental health and health policy.

## CONNECT WITH OUR TEAM



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