

B.S. in Public Health at the University of Tampa: Degree Requirements 2019-2020

This summary of degree requirements is intended to assist prospective students with a general timeline for degree completion. For official degree requirements, refer to the current UT catalog at www.ut.edu/catalog.

Students must complete the below requirements for a B.S. in Public Health:

Course #	Course Name	Credits
HSC 236	Introduction to Public Health	3
HSC 240	Global Disparities in Environmental Health	3
HSC 340	Qualitative Research Methods	4
HSC 350	Biostatistics	4
HSC 355	Research Methods in Health Education and Promotion	4
HSC 360	Principles of Epidemiology in Exercise and Public Health	4
HSC 375	Health Education Theory and Strategies	3
HSC 440	Health Policy and Social Change	3
HSC 445	Program Planning and Evaluation in Health Promotion and Education	3
HSC 450	Public Health Management and Leadership	3
HSC 490	Internship in Public Health	2-6

One of the following:

SOC 306	Racial and Ethnic Relations	4
SOC 313	Social Stratification	4
SOC 320	Sociology of Gender	4

Health Education and Wellness Concentration (optional):

Students can pair their major with a concentration in Health Education and Wellness that will allow them to sit for a professional certification test in health education (CHES) or they may choose elective courses, with advisor approval, to complement their public health general degree.

HSC 100	Personal and Family Health	3
HSC 130	Medical Terminology	3
HSC 203	Nutrition	3
HSC 380	Materials and Methods in Health Education and Health Promotion	3
HSC 220 OR ESC 280	Functional Anatomy OR Adult Fitness	3

ESC 301 OR HSC 420	Sport and Exercise Psychology OR Nutritional Supplements	2-3
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Students must also fulfill Baccalaureate Experience requirements (in credit hours):

AWR 101	4	Biological Science (NS)	3	Art/Aesthetic (A)	3
AWR 201	4	Physical/Chemical Science (NS)	3	Non-Western and International/Global Awareness (NW/IG)	9
MAT 155, MAT 160 OR higher (excluding MAT 180 and MAT 201)	4	Humanities/Fine Arts (HFA)	11	Writing Intensive requirement (W) (must be completed at UT)	9
BAC 101 and 102 OR HON 101 and 102 OR BAC 103* OR BAC 104	1 or 2	Social Science (SS)	11	Some courses may fulfill multiple sections of the Baccalaureate Experience	

*BAC 103 is suggested for incoming transfer students, but is not mandatory

As part of the natural science component, each public health student must have credit in BIO 183 or BIO 198 and CHE 150 or CHE 152 (note that CHE 153L is a co- or prerequisite for CHE 152).

Please ensure that you check the [Course Descriptions](#) for any prerequisites or additional requirements.