



BS in Public Health (Occupational Health and Safety)

Fall 2020 – Summer 2026

- ALL courses in the major require a grade of “C” or better
- Total Units Required for BS Degree: 120
- Total Units Required in Major: 58-65

Required Lower Division Courses (16 units) – *Pre-Major Requirements*

	Units	Course Prerequisites?
BIO 25 Human Anatomy & Physiology I	4	No
BIO 26 Human Anatomy & Physiology II	4	BIO 25
CHEM 6A Intro. to General Chemistry	5	No
STAT 1 Introduction to Statistics	3	See Catalog

Required Upper Division Courses (minimum of 15 units)

	Units	Course Prerequisites?
PUBH 118 Introduction to Public Health*	3	No
PUBH 147 Health Data Analysis *	3	STAT 1 or STAT 10B
PUBH 148 Epidemiology *	3	STAT 1
PUBH 151 Introduction to the US Healthcare System*	3	No
PUBH 195 Fieldwork – Health or Safety	3-4	Permission of Faculty Advisor

Take *all* of the following (minimum of 18 units)

	Units	Course Prerequisites?
CHEM 6B Introduction to Organic and Biological Chemistry <i>OR</i> CHEM 20 Organic Chemistry	5/3	See Catalog
PUBH 100 Fundamentals of Safety and Health*	3	No
PUBH 106 Occupational Health*	3	No
PUBH 107 Occupational Safety*	3	No
PUBH 108 Occupational Health and Safety: Laws and Regulations*	3	No
PUBH 109 Cause and Control of Occupational Loss*	3	No

Take *three* of the following (minimum of 9 units)

	Units	Course Prerequisites?
BIO 39 Microbiology for Allied Health Students <i>OR</i> BIO 139 General Microbiology	4/4	See Catalog
ENVS 128 Environment and the Law	3	No
ENVS 130 Environmental Toxicology	3	CHEM 1A or CHEM 6A
ENVS 165 American Environmental History	3	No
FIN 138 Principles of Risk Management and Insurance*	3	No
PHYS 10 Physics in Our World <i>OR</i> PHYS 5A General Physics: Mechanics, Heat, Sound	3/4	No/See Catalog

See catalog for full course descriptions. Courses may be subject to change each academic year.

^ Writing Placement for Junior (WPJ) is a prerequisite to enroll in a Writing Intensive Course.

* Student must be a Public Health major or minor to enroll. All other courses do not have a major/minor prerequisite.

Foreign Language: Students graduating with a BS in Public Health (all concentrations) will not be subject to the University’s Foreign Language Graduation Requirement. *Students who change their major may be subject to the University’s Foreign Language Graduation Requirement.*