

Recruitment Toolkit

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School of Public Health



School of Public Health programs

- MHA (Master of Health Administration) (60 hours)
- MPH (Master of Public Health)
 - o Professional Option (42 hours) Must meet one of the 3 criteria:
 - Hold an advanced degree (PhD, DO, MD, JD, MSN, MBA, PA)
 - Currently enrolled in a masters or doctoral program
 - Have three years of work experience in the health professions
 - o Biostatistics (48 hours)
 - o Community Health (48 hours)
 - Environmental and Occupational Health (48 hours)
 - o Epidemiology (48 or 51 hours)
 - Health Management and Policy (48 hours)
 - Dual Degree Must apply to both schools
 - DO/MPH (any of 5 concentrations or professional option (TCOM)
 - MSN/MPH Health Management and Policy (UTA)
 - MS Applied Anthropology/MPH Community Health (UNT Denton)
- DrPH Generalist (60 hours)
- PhD in Health Sciences (90 hour post-baccalaureate) Pending final approval by the Texas Higher Education
 Coordinating Board, applications deadline is Jan 15th
 - Biostatistics
 - o Environmental Health Sciences
 - o Epidemiology
 - Social & Behavioral Sciences
 - Health Service & Policy

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Admission requirements and procedures

For Non-degree seeking students:

- Applicants must hold a minimum of a bachelor's degree or equivalent with minimum overall 3.0
- Student must maintain a minimum of 3.0 in all classes attempted
- International applicants requiring or holding F-1 visa status are not eligible for non-degree admission
- Maximum of 12 hours can be taken
- Non-degree students have no assurance that work completed under this status will be applicable toward degree requirements should he or she subsequently be admitted to a degree program at the health science center
- Submit completed <u>application</u> and application fee of \$40
- Submit complete, official transcripts from all colleges and universities

For all Masters Programs:

- Applicant must hold a minimum of Bachelors degree or equivalent
- Submit application at WWW.SOPHAS.ORG (Schools of Public Health Application Service)
- Submit ALL official transcripts from colleges and universities attended
- Submit official test scores from one of the following tests: GRE, GMAT, MCAT, LSAT, DAT, PCAT)
 - The examination requirement is waived for applicants possessing a professional doctoral degree with a license to practice in the United States.
- Three letters of recommendation
- Statement of Purpose (1-2 pages referencing the desired field of study)
- Current resume or curriculum vita
- International applicants must submit TOEFL scores and meet minimum requirements
 - o Written 550; Computer based 213; Internet based 79
- Applicants with foreign transcripts must include an official WES or ECE transcript evaluation

For PhD and DrPH programs (Everything above applies in addition to):

- Hold a minimum of a masters degree (DrPH)
- Completion of related Master's degree strongly preferred (PhD)
- Minimum graduate GPA of 3.2, however admission to program is highly competitive
- 3 years of public health work experience strongly preferred (DrPH)
- Applicants will be reviewed for best fit with concentrations and faculty mentors (PhD)

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Admission deadlines

Note: To be considered for funding completed applications (all application materials) must be received in our office from SOPHAS by the dates below. You should allow 4-weeks after e-submitting and paying application fee to SOPHAS for delivery of your completed application to our office.

- MHA/MPH/MPH Professional and dual degree options
 - o Fall March 15 (extended to June 30)
 - o Spring June 1
 - Summer February 1 (extended to April 29)
- DrPH
 - o Fall January 15
- PhD
 - o Fall January 15

Approximate cost to complete program, including fees

- MHA 60 hours
 - o Texas resident \$11,700
 - Out of state or foreign residency \$34,020
- MPH 48 hours
 - o Texas resident \$9,725
 - Out of state or foreign residency \$37,675
- DrPH 60 hours
 - o Texas resident \$9,305
 - Out of state or foreign residency \$ 26,586
- PhD 60 hours (assuming 30 SCH in "advanced standing")
 - o Texas resident \$7173
 - Out of state or foreign residency \$24,453





Visiting the campus

- Contact Dianna Garcia at <u>Dianna.garcia@unthsc.edu</u> or 817-735-2459
- Individual visit with admissions, faculty member, tour campus Fridays at 10 am and 1:30 pm
- Preview Day group setting, faculty panel, admissions, financial aid, alumni and social
 - o Thursday, April 7, 2011 1:00 4:30 pm
 - o Friday, August 5, 2011 1:00 4:30 pm

Scholarships

Offered to a limited number of incoming students in the fall semester, this competitive \$1,000 scholarship provides \$500 of financial assistance in the fall semester and \$500 of financial assistance in the spring semester during the student's first year at the School of Public Health. This competitive scholarship also provides an out-of-state tuition waiver for students that do not meet Texas residency requirements. For additional information, contact the Office of Student Services by telephone at (817) 735-2401 or by emailing sph@unthsc.edu.

Important Contact Information

UNTHSC website: www.hsc.unt.edu

Financial Aid: finaid@unthsc.edu or 817-735-2505

Tuition and Fees: http://www.hsc.unt.edu/Sites/UNTHSCTuitionandFees/

General email: sph@unthsc.edu

Admissions Phone: 817-735-2401

Application Website: www.sophas.org

School of Public Health Institution Code for GRE scores: 6565