

Between Oakland University and Macomb Community College
For a Bachelor of Science in Public Health

About Public Health: The Bachelor of Science in Public Health (PH) degree program in the Department of Public and Environmental Wellness prepares students to live and promote a healthy lifestyle. These professional skills are utilized in health enhancement, disease prevention, health education, health and fitness, corporate and worksite wellness, as well as human resource practice and management. [Click here](#) to learn more about the Public Health program at OU.

Credits completed at Macomb Community College before transfer

Complete:

- Associate Degree in one of the following programs:
 - Dental Hygiene
 - Exercise Science
 - Health and Wellness Promotion
 - Health Information Technology
 - Medical Assistant
 - Nursing
 - Occupational Therapy Assistant
 - Physical Therapist Assistant
 - Radiologic Technology
 - Respiratory Therapy
 - Surgical Technology
 - Students who hold an AAS degree in any other medical or health-related field not listed above may seek permission to enroll from the Public Health Program Director
- MTA endorsement (must include ENGL 1190 or ENGL 1220 Composition II)

Additional Courses that can be completed at Macomb Community College before transfer:

- Knowledge Applications General Education Course (see MCC [General Education transfer guide](#) - recommended SPCH 1060, course can also count as elective course)

Classes taken at Oakland University

General Education

- Knowledge Applications General Education Course (see catalog - recommended COM 2000, course can also count as elective course) if not completed at MCC (4)

Foundations

- PH 2800: Introduction to Health Literacy (4)

Cultural Ethnicity and Well-Being Core

- WHP 3010: Equitable Wellness for Diverse Populations (4)
- WHP 3600: Wellness Facilitation (4)
- WHP 4000: Assessment and Interventions in Wellness (4)
- WHP 4030: Laboratory in Assessment and Interventions (4)

Public Health Core

- PH 3000: Introduction to Public Health (3)
- PH 3800 (previously WHP 3800): Persuasion and Marketing in Health Promotion (4)
- HS 4500: Ethics in Health Care (4)
- PH 4650: Social Determinants of Health (4)
- PH 4950 (previously WHP 4950) or PH 4995 (previously WHP 4995)
Internship in Health Promotion or Research in Public Health (4)

Electives:

- Elective Courses (see catalog for approved courses) (see notes below)

Notes:

- Students who do not complete the MTA, will need to complete OU's [General Education](#) requirements.
- 120 total credits to complete OU Bachelor of Science in Public Health degree. Additional credits beyond 120 may be required to complete all general education requirements and major requirements.
- A minimum 45 credit hours need to be completed at OU where 32 of the 45 credits are at the 3000-4000 level.
- Number of required elective credits varies based on core courses completed and are selected with assistance from your academic adviser, based on your career goals, from an approved list of courses. Students must achieve a minimum of 120 total course credits with a minimum of 32 upper level (3000-4000) course credits and satisfy all University degree requirements to graduate.
- Submit official transcripts showing AAS degree and all coursework completed with a minimum 2.0 GPA.
- Please contact the School of Health Sciences Academic Advising at (248)370-2369 or visit oakland.edu/shs/advising for more information.