# Public Health (PHHE)

**Degree:** Bachelor of Science  
**Major:** Public Health  
**Concentration:** Health Equity  
**Minor:** selected from catalog (except for Public Health or Secondary Education)  
**120 Hours**

The degree requirements below are outlined in the 2023 Undergraduate Catalog and will remain valid through summer 2029.

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<th>Institutional Requirement (1-9 hours)</th>
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<td>University Seminar</td>
<td>US 1100</td>
<td>Waived for transfer students with 16+ hours.</td>
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<td>Foreign Language Proficiency</td>
<td>Modern Language 1410 and 1420</td>
<td>Waived with 2 years of high school language credit OR complete Modern Language 1411 and 1412</td>
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### Core Curriculum (42 hours); if a specific TCCN is not listed, transfer students can refer to core curriculum options at their current institution

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| 010 Communication (6 hours) | ENG 1310  
ENG 1320 | 010 Course  
010 Course |
| 020 Mathematics (3 hours) | MATH 1312, 1315, or 1319* | 020 course except MATH 1332, 1342, 1442* |
| 030 Life and Physical Sciences (6 hours) | 030 Course  
030 Course | 030 Course  
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| 040 Language, Philosophy, and Culture (3 hours) | PHIL 1305 or 1320 | 040 Course |
| 050 Creative Arts (3 hours) | ART or DAN or MU or TH 2313 | 050 Course |
| 060 American History (6 hours) | HIST 1310 or 2327 or 2381  
HIST 1320 or 2328 or 2382 | HIST 1301 or 2327 or 2381  
HIST 1302 or 2328 or 2382 |
| 070 Government/Political Science (6 hours) | POSI 2310  
POSI 2320 | GOVT 2306  
GOVT 2305 |
| 080 Social and Behavioral Sciences (3 hours) | 080 Course | 080 Course |
| 090 Component Area (6 hours) | COMM 1310  
ENG 2310-2371 | 090 Course  
090 Course |

### Major (40 hours)

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<th>Major</th>
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| Foundations in Personal Health | PH 1310*  
PHED 1304* | PHED 1304* |
| Introduction to Public Health | PH 1320* |
| Community Health | PH 2340* |
| Environmental Health | PH 3301* |
| Prevention of Disease | PH 3348* |
| Consumer Health | PH 3350* |
| Epidemiology | PH 3370* |
| Professional Development in Public Health | PH 4100* |
| Public Health Leadership | PH 4335* |
| Health Behavior Theory | PH 4336* |
| Community Health Program Planning and Evaluation | PH 4640* |
| 6 hours of Public Health Electives | See 2nd page for options* |

### Concentration (16 hours)

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<td>Inclusion and Diversity in Women’s Health</td>
<td>PH 3330</td>
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<td>Health Disparities</td>
<td>PH 4330A</td>
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<td>10 Hours of Concentration Electives</td>
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### Support (3 hours)

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<td>Statistics</td>
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<td>MATH 1342 or PSYC 2317</td>
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### Minor (18+ hours)

See the “minor options” section on the Public Health program page for a list of recommendations.

### Comments

* Requires grade of ‘C’ or better  
† CC/JC may require 4-hour course with lab; lab is not required at TXST and will be considered an “open elective” towards your degree  
This degree program requires a 2.0 Texas State GPA, 2.25 Major GPA, and 2.0 Minor GPA to graduate.  
Students should not complete more than 66 degree-applicable CC/JC hours.
The sequencing below reflects course prerequisites that are subject to change each academic year. For use in planning Fall 2023, Spring 2024, and Summer 2024 semesters.

Prioritize these courses in your schedule each semester:

- PH 1320
- PH 2340

Use these courses to fill remaining space in your schedule each semester:

- Core Curriculum
  - 010
  - 020 Core MATH (Except MATH 2316)
  - 030
  - 040
  - 050
  - 060
  - 070
  - 080
  - 090A
  - 090B

- Major
  - PH 1310
  - PH 3301 fall | spring
  - PH 3348
  - PH 3350
  - PH 4335 fall | spring

- Concentration
  - PH 3330 fall
  - PH 4330A fall

- Support
  - Select one statistics course from:
    - CJ 3347, MATH 2328, PA 3311 fall/spring,
    - PH 3315, PSY 2301, or SOCI 3307

- Minor
  - Select 10 hours from:
    - ANTH 3303 or ANTH 3322 or ANTH 3324 or ANTH 3331E or ANTH 3331F or ANTH 3350 or ANTH 3360 or ANTH 4309 or COMM 3329 or COMM 4336 or COMM 4341 or DVST 3301 or DVST 3320 or GEO 1310 or LATS 2300 or PFW 11 or SOCI 3322 or SOCI 3324 or SOCI 3327 or SOCI 3330 or SOCI 3350 or SOCI 3363 or SOCI 3372 or SOCI 3375K or SOCI 3383 or SOCI 3395 or SOWK 4310 or SOWK 4355 or WS 3376 or WS 3377
  - Only 1 PFW course can be used to satisfy this requirement

- GPA restricted (3.0 Major) | * requires grade of ‘C’ or better | † classification restriction

**PRIORITY DUE TO SEQUENCING**

- Internship, if chosen:
  - PH 4660* full-time; by itself in final fall/spring
  - PH 4360* part-time; concurrent with other courses

**ADDITIONAL REQUIRED COURSES**

- If choosing internship, take fall/spring immediately prior; otherwise, take in final year

**The department recommends completing the other PH and Concentration courses listed below before progressing in this sequence. PH 3301, 3370, and 4335 are recommended in the Junior and Senior year.**

This degree program also requires a 2.0 Texas State GPA, 2.25 Major GPA, and 2.0 Minor GPA to graduate.