International Public Health, BIPH

This degree is designed for students who want to create solutions to global challenges and generate social impact in health and health care. In this program, you will develop the innovative mindset needed to tackle the complex public health issues affecting local and global populations.

Program Description

The Bachelor of International Public Health is designed to build and strengthen the international public health workforce and includes coursework from three leading universities: ASU; the University of New South Wales, Sydney; and King's College, London. Aligned with U.S. accreditation standards in public health, the coursework teaches new approaches to emerging public health issues including health promotion, communicable disease prevention, environmental health, public health surveillance and global health management.

Students also have the opportunity to study abroad through optional faculty-led Global Intensive Experiences as well as semester, summer and spring break programs.

In their final year, students complete a capstone experience in their area of interest, which prepares them for careers in global health policy, data and informatics, quality and process improvement, and community-based care.

At a Glance

- **College/School:** College of Health Solutions
- **Location:** online
- **Additional Program Fee:** Yes
- **Second Language Requirement:** No
- **First Required Math Course:** MAT 117 - College Algebra
- **Math Intensity:** Moderate
Required Courses (Major Map)

2019 - 2020 Major Map (Online)
Major Map (Archives)

Admission Requirements

General University Admission Requirements:

All students are required to meet general university admission requirements.
Freshman | Transfer | International | Readmission

Change of Major Requirements

A current ASU student has no additional requirements for changing majors. Students should see https://students.asu.edu/changingmajors for information about how to change the major to this program.

Attend Online

ASU offers this program in an online format with multiple enrollment sessions throughout the year. Applicants may view the program description and request more information here.

Transfer Options

ASU is committed to helping you thrive by offering tools that allow you to personalize your transfer path to ASU. Students may use the Transfer Map search to outline a list of recommended courses to take prior to transfer.

ASU has transfer partnerships in Arizona and across the country to create a simplified transfer experience for students. These pathway programs include exclusive benefits, tools, and resources and help students save time and money in their college journey. Learn more about these programs by visiting the Admissions site.

Global Opportunities

PLuS Alliance
The PLuS Alliance combines the strengths of three leading research universities on three continents - Arizona State University, King's College London and UNSW Sydney - to create and share knowledge that will solve pressing educational and societal challenges.

Students have the opportunity to collaborate with peers and specialists across the globe through PLuS-partner courses offered online. Through this PLuS Alliance collaboration degree program, students develop transferable global competencies and gain exposure to international teaching and academic content. [https://www.plusalliance.org/global-learning-network-programmes](https://www.plusalliance.org/global-learning-network-programmes)

**Global Experience**

With over 250 programs in more than 65 countries (ranging from one week to one year), study abroad is possible for all ASU students wishing to gain global skills and knowledge in preparation for a 21st-century career. Students earn ASU credit for completed courses, while staying on track for graduation, and may apply financial aid and scholarships toward program costs. [https://mystudyabroad.asu.edu/](https://mystudyabroad.asu.edu/)

The College of Health Solutions recommends the following study abroad programs for students majoring in International Public Health: [https://chs.asu.edu/students/study-abroad](https://chs.asu.edu/students/study-abroad).

**Global Degree**

**Career Opportunities**

The most recent report of the United Nations High-Level Commission on Health Employment and Economic Growth described the importance of a global workforce that will support the creation of 40 million new jobs, particularly in low- and middle-income countries by 2030. Critical needs include global health policy, data and informatics, quality and process improvement, ethics, economics and community-based care.

Specific career titles include:

- education coordinator
- health coach
- program coordinator
- program manager
- program officer
- project analyst
- research associate
- research manager
Commonly cited hiring organizations include the Peace Corps, the United States Agency for International Development, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the World Health Organization, the United Nations Children's Fund, and other nongovernmental organizations. Other opportunities include postgraduate fellowships with the CDC and UNICEF, among others.

Career examples include but are not limited to those shown in the following list. Advanced degrees or certifications may be required for academic or clinical positions.

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<th>Career</th>
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<td>Certified Health Education Specialist (CHES) ♦</td>
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* Data obtained from the Occupational Information Network (O*NET) under sponsorship of the U.S. Department of Labor/Employment and Training Administration (USDOL/ETA).

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