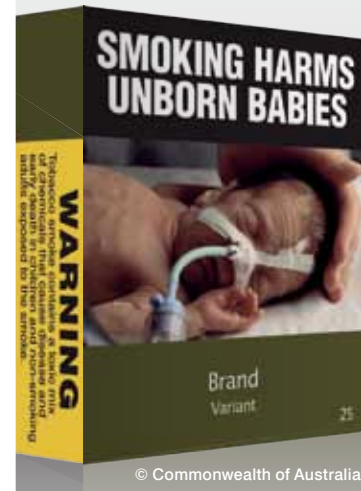




MELBOURNE SCHOOL OF  
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& GLOBAL  
HEALTH**

# Master of Public Health



## THE MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Attracting students from all over the world, the Master of Public Health offers students the opportunity to gain the skills and knowledge required for a career in public health practice. Within the course students are exposed to the core foundations of public health theory and practice and also have the opportunity to specialise in the advanced public health training streams offered through the University of Melbourne. The Master of Public Health programs at the University of Melbourne are delivered by academic staff and public health professionals with extensive experience and depth of knowledge, who are leaders in their chosen fields of public health.

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Our graduates are employed in a diverse range of fields both locally and internationally. Many find work in the public sector in local, state or federal health departments. Others find employment in universities as researchers or pursue graduate research studies in public health. Those interested in working for non-profit organisations are employed in health advocacy, policy or research positions for organisations such as the Cancer Council, the Red Cross, bilateral aid agencies and the World Health Organisation. Other graduates find work in a variety of public or private health care institutions, or in the many diverse elements of the private sector.

## WHY STUDY AT THE MELBOURNE SCHOOL OF POPULATION AND GLOBAL HEALTH?

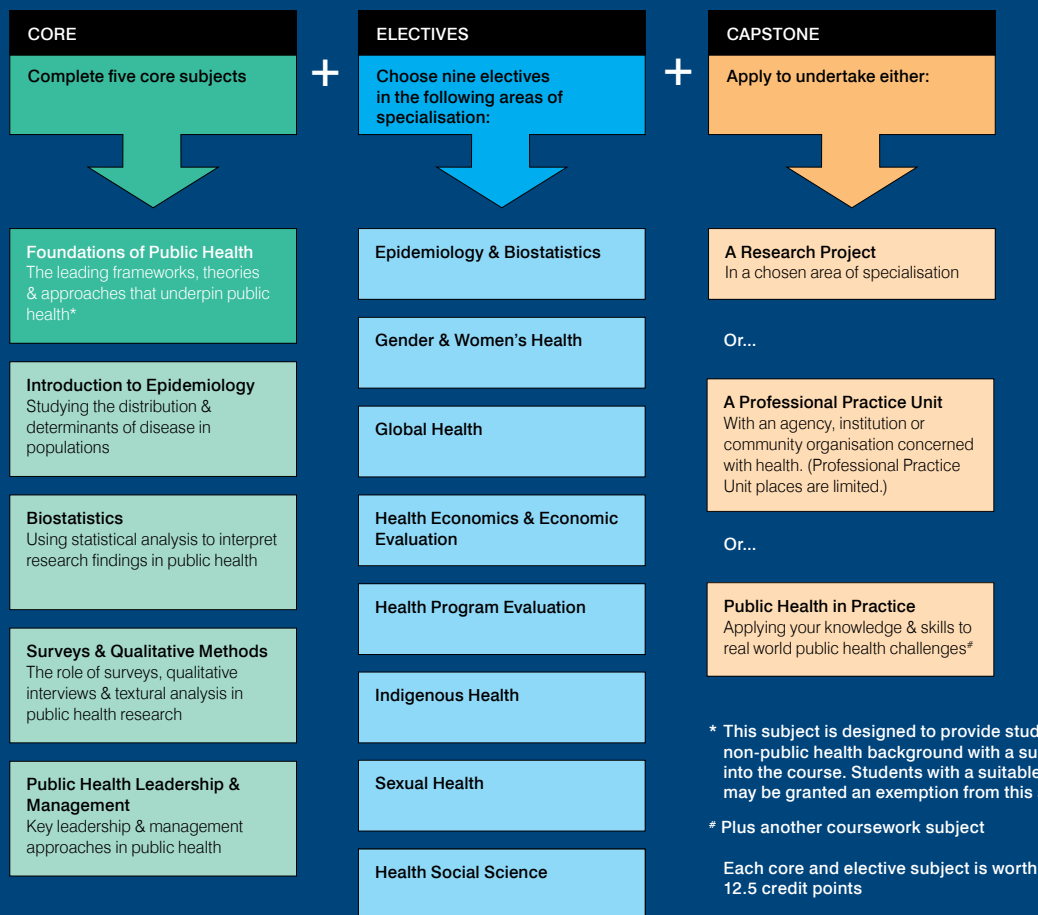
The Melbourne School of Population and Global Health is at the forefront of the prevention of disease and injury and the promotion of health and wellbeing. It provides world-class teaching and research expertise that is grounded in community development.

Our research evaluates and informs local, national and international health strategy. We are a vibrant, multidisciplinary school with strengths in epidemiology and biostatistics, health social sciences, global health, women's health and Indigenous health.

Our School is part of the University's Faculty of Medicine, Dentistry and Health Sciences, which is located in one of the world's most highly concentrated biomedical and public health precincts. The Faculty has extensive links with hospitals, leading research institutes, the public and private sectors and is internationally renowned for global leadership in health research, policy and practice. The University of Melbourne is Australia's top-ranked university. The University graduates more PhD students and attracts more nationally competitive funding than any other Australian university.

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# MPH COURSE STRUCTURE



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## SELECTION CRITERIA

You are eligible to apply for the Master of Public Health if you have:

- an undergraduate degree in any discipline, or the equivalent; or
- at least 200 points of tertiary study in any discipline and at least five years of documented relevant health-related work experience.

Successful applicants with **i)** an appropriate health professional degree, or **ii)** an undergraduate degree and a minimum of two years of documented health related work experience may be granted 25 points of advanced standing (2 subjects less).

Successful applicants with **i)** an undergraduate degree and a minimum of two years of documented public health related work experience, or **ii)** an undergraduate degree in a cognate discipline, or **iii)** a Graduate Certificate in a cognate discipline may be granted 50 points of advanced standing (4 subjects less).

Successful applicants with a Postgraduate Diploma in a cognate discipline may be granted 100 points advanced standing (8 subjects less).

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"I came to the University of Melbourne Master of Public Health having completed undergrad degrees in Science and Arts, majoring in Medical Microbiology and Development Studies and with a desire to explore public health. The Melbourne MPH was perfect, providing me with both the breadth to explore the many different aspects of public health and the depth to specialise in the area that I discovered a passion for, epidemiology.



As well as a solid theoretical grounding, the Melbourne MPH allowed me to make extensive networks which, combined with my participation in the Professional Placement Unit (undertaken with the Epidemiology and Surveillance team at the Victorian Department of Health), not only confirmed and strengthened my desire to build a career in public health but also provided me with the experience and contacts that made possible the next steps towards making that dream a reality."

– Courtney Lane  
MPH Graduate

## HOW DO I APPLY?

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