Early Admission Master’s Program

Pitt students: how would you like to...

- Collaborate with the nation’s top researchers on prevention of cancer, diabetes and cardiovascular disease
- Work at the forefront of our nation’s defense against bioterrorism
- Run a hospital, personal care facility, or managed care program
- Find a cure for the AIDS virus
- Get a jump start on a dynamic career in public health with early admission to Pitt Public Health.

Our Early Admission Master’s program seeks outstanding University of Pittsburgh undergraduates who want to become public health professionals. Early Admissions students must have completed all undergraduate requirements except for elective courses by the end of their junior year. After junior year, they will no longer register as undergraduates, but as Pitt Public Health students, and they will take Pitt Public Health courses. Approximately 24 credits of those Pitt Public Health courses will serve as undergraduate elective credits and fulfill the remaining undergraduate credits.

Applicants must meet the school-wide and program admission requirements. Applicants should be outstanding and motivated students whose performance will not be affected by the loss of one baccalaureate year.

Master’s degrees and programs available:

- Behavioral and Community Health Sciences
  - Master of Public Health
- Biostatistics
  - Master of Science
- Environmental and Occupational Health
  - Master of Science
  - Master of Public Health
- Health Policy & Management
  - Master of Health Administration
  - Master of Public Health
- Human Genetics
  - Master of Science
  - Master of Public Health
- Infectious Diseases and Microbiology
  - Master of Science
  - Master of Public Health (concentrations in)
    - Infectious Disease Pathogenesis, Eradication and Laboratory Practice
    - Infectious Disease Management, Intervention and Community Practice

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