Preparing Tomorrow’s Leaders in Public Health

The Brown School at Washington University in St. Louis offers a unique, transdisciplinary learning experience for public health in the 21st century. We bring together knowledge and experience from diverse perspectives and disciplines across research and practice to address public health challenges in the classroom and beyond. Support for this program will strengthen our faculty, expand research, and heighten the impact of our work. Our goal is to grow the nation’s leading public health program in what is already the nation’s leading school of social work.

How the Brown School Is Making a Difference

Students in the Brown School’s MPH program take Transdisciplinary Problem Solving courses that focus on major public health issues such as health disparities, global nutrition, tobacco control, and child obesity.

Faculty and students examine these issues from a range of different perspectives, including biological, social, behavioral, systems, and policy disciplines. Students work on projects to generate and evaluate solutions, building skills in high demand by public health employers.

Our faculty includes many of the nation’s leading experts in public health who work closely with students to conduct groundbreaking research. We’re also committed to outstanding teaching; every faculty member teaches, and we apply evidence about effective learning to our graduate program.

“The MPH program trains students to bring together experts from diverse fields to make the community better.”

JAIME BODDEN, MPH/MSW, ’12
Director/Health Officer for the Shawano-Menominee Counties Health Department in Shawano, Wisconsin

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How the Brown School is Implementing Change

The Brown School’s Master of Public Health program has an innovative transdisciplinary curriculum that equips students to tackle society’s most pressing challenges with multifaceted solutions through research, programming, and policy.

→ Two year 52-credit degree program with extensive field and applied experience

→ Degree specializations currently include epidemiology and biostatistics; global health; violence and injury prevention, health policy analysis, with others coming soon in urban design and social entrepreneurship

→ Dual MPH/MSW and MPH/MBA degrees are available as well as partnerships with Occupational Therapy and Medicine

→ In the fall of 2015, we will launch our new doctorate in public health sciences

→ Common career paths include U.S./global public health practice, planning and policy; research; health care; and advanced education

Funding Opportunities

Investing in the Brown School

You can support the public health program at the Brown School by providing:

→ Endowed professorships to recruit and retain the nation’s top public health faculty.

→ Scholarships to recruit and retain the most talented students

→ Stipends for students to gain practical training in the community

→ Seminars to engage our students with health professionals in the field

→ A national speaker series to engage our students with leaders in public health

→ Pilot research funds to support faculty efforts to find innovative solutions to public health challenges

→ Support to enhance global health research, programs, and practica for students

→ Funds for students to travel to national meetings and present their work

→ Conferences that promote the development of innovative solutions to health challenges

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Yuqian Hong, MPH/MBA ’14, presented award-winning research on tobacco use in Shanghai.