

Bachelor of Arts in Public Health Application Checklist

Current UIC students must submit:

- (1) Application which includes the following:
 - a. Applicant Information Form
 - b. Resume addressing employment history and volunteer/service activities
 - c. Prerequisite Self-Evaluation
 - d. Personal Statement
 - e. One Letter of Recommendation
 - f. Request for Prerequisite Exception (if necessary)

Application information and forms are available on the School of Public Health's website (www.publichealth.uic.edu/admissions) and must be submitted to the program at:

SPH Undergraduate Admissions Committee
1603 West Taylor Street, Room 1113 (MC 923)
Chicago, IL 60612-4394

- (2) Academic History/Transcripts: UIC students should print their UIC Academic History available online via www.my.UIC.edu and include this information with their application materials. In addition, official sealed transcripts from all other colleges and universities attended since matriculating to UIC are to be submitted to:
UIC Office of Admissions and Records (MC 018)
Box 5220
Chicago, IL 60680-5220

Students applying from other colleges or universities must submit:

- (1) Completed UIC Transfer Application: This online application requires a \$50.00 application fee. You can access the application here: www.uic.edu/depts/oar/undergrad/apply_undergrad.html.
- (2) Personal Statement: Applicants should be sure include a statement addressing their desire to pursue the public health major as part of the Program Choice Personal Statement prompt in the online Transfer Application. Include in the statement the life experiences, activities, and academic work that have prepared you to pursue a baccalaureate degree in public health.
- (3) Supplemental Application Materials which includes the following:
 - a. Resume addressing employment history and volunteer/service activities
 - b. Prerequisite Self-Evaluation
 - c. One Letter of Recommendation

Supplemental application information and forms are available on the School of Public Health's website (www.publichealth.uic.edu/admissions) and should be uploaded into the online application system.

- (4) Official Transcripts: Official sealed transcripts from all colleges and universities attended are to be submitted to:
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Minimum Application Requirements:

- (1) Successful candidates will typically have a cumulative GPA of 2.75/4.00 or higher.
- (2) Evidence of successful completion or pending completion before matriculation of the minimum 60 semester hours of general education course work outlined on the Prerequisite Self-Evaluation Form. This course work reflects the completion of PUBH 100, 110, 120 or equivalent courses* with grades of B or higher.
- (3) The program will consider applicants who have not yet completed PUBH 110 or their full foreign language sequence who submit a written Request for Prerequisite Exception with their application.

*To determine if a course is an equivalent, the student must submit a course syllabus for review by the Curriculum Committee well in advance of the application deadline.