

Admissions Criteria

Qualifications

Applicants need to provide evidence of a U.S. bachelor degree (or foreign equivalent) at a regionally accredited institution of higher education with a GPA of 3.0 or higher; OR a graduate or professional degree at a regionally accredited institution of higher education.

Application Deadline*

For Fall 2017: July 15, 2017

*Accepting only UTMB-affiliated applicants for Fall 2017.

Application Process*

Fall 2017 UTMB-Affiliated Applicants only: Apply online at:

https://www.utmb.edu/OnlineApp/Login_Main.asp?strPurpose=ViewApplication

*Please note that the application and review process for certificates are separate from the MPH application process. Students admitted to the certificate program that later decide to complete an MPH must submit a full application and be considered by the faculty admission committee.

Test Scores*

Certificate applicants are not required to submit GRE exam scores.

*Please note that students interested in continuing on with the MPH program will need to have GRE scores within the past 5 years.

Personal Statement

Compose an essay describing your past education, experience, and professional career objectives. You are encouraged to comment on your reasons for interest in a public health certificate; your specific area(s) of research/professional interest; the applicability of the certificate to your career goals, and your interest in UTMB.

Resume / Curriculum Vitae

All applicants must submit a complete, up-to-date resume / CV that includes all employment, activities, community service, education and academic or professional honors.

Recommendations

All applicants are required to submit one letter of recommendation. The reference should be from a person qualified to assess your academic work, professional experiences, or leadership potential in public health.

