

## Master of Public Health

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### Preparation for promoting good health

The Master of Public Health program offered by St. Bonaventure's School of Health Professions prepares students for careers as leaders in the public health sector.

The COVID-19 pandemic underscores the importance of disease prevention and the promotion of good health. The Master of Public Health degree equips you with the knowledge to focus on the science of creating and sustaining good health in local communities through education, research and the promotion of healthy lifestyles.

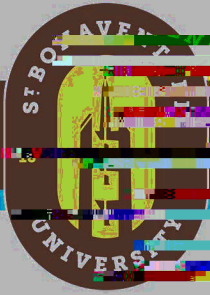
An aging population has created unprecedented demand for dedicated professionals committed to preventing disease and promoting global health. The U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics projects 15 percent growth in health care jobs over the decade ending in 2029 and the creation of some 2.4 million new jobs.

Graduates of our program are prepared for immediate employment in a number of public health fields, such as community health, health education, health/safety administration, public policy, biostatistics, epidemiology and environmental health.

### A unique focus on rural health

Our program takes advantage of the unique characteristics associated with St. Bonaventure's rural campus setting, its Franciscan heritage, and its mission to serve the needs of all citizens, particularly those on the margins of society.

As a small, private, Catholic institution in Western New York's Southern Tier, we focus our program on the specific health concerns of those living in rural environments. These lessons are highly adaptable and will serve our graduates well wherever they choose to work, throughout the country or globally.



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- MPH 532. Social & Behavioral Determinants of Health
- MPH 533. Programming Evaluation
- MPH 540. Public Health Marketing & Communication
- MPH 541. Public Health Leadership
- MPH 542. Interprofessional Education
- MPH 550. Capstone: Introduction