Bachelor of Science

Environmental Public Health

Protect public health and build a career that makes a difference. Alaska Pacific University's accredited Environmental Public Health program prepares you to identify and address real-world environmental hazards, from unsafe drinking water and air pollution to food safety and hazardous waste. Gain practical skills and build professional connections through field-based coursework and a unique practicum working with multiple organizations. Learn from faculty actively working in the field, explore specialized internship and scholarship opportunities, and prepare for careers with Tribal, state, federal, and local organizations. With hybrid online learning options, you can pursue your education with a flexibility that fits your schedule.



Career Opportunities

- Air & water quality control
- Food safety officer
- Solid & hazardous waste management
- Occupational health & safety officer
- Environmental health planning
- Zoonotic & vector-borne diseases research





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Core Competencies

- Effective Communication
- Critical Thinking
- Cultural & Historical Perspective
- Scientific Inquiry
- Ethical Engagement

Foundational Studies

- Written Communication (4)
- Presentation & Media Literacy (3-4)
- Critical Thinking (3-4)
- Computation (3-4)
- Intellectual Traditions (4)
- Creative Endeavors (4)
- Intercultural & Spiritual Understandings (3-4)
- Biological/Physical Scientific Inquiry (4)
- Social/Behavioral Scientific Inquiry (3-4)
- Social Responsibility (2)
- Personal Responsibility (1-2)

Major Studies

- Principles of Biology II (4)
- Principles of Chemistry I (4) & II (4)
- Applied Statistics for Environmental Science (4)
- Environmental Physics (4)
- Essentials of Human Anatomy & Physiology (4)
- Organic Chemistry I (4)
- Environmental Health I (4) & II (4)
- Environmental Toxicology (4)
- Epidemiology (4)
- Practicum I (4) & II (8)

Self-Determined Studies

Students must complete an additional 4 elective credits and can choose from options such as Air Quality Control, Food Safety & Security, Occupational Health & Safety, Environmental Law, Climate Change, and Water Quality & Treatment.

The list above is a sample of course offerings and not a full list of program requirements. APU is accredited by the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities. APU is an Equal Opportunity institution.

Admission Requirements

- Application
- Application Fee*
- Official Final High School Transcript**
- Official College Transcript(s)

*Fee waiver available for those who qualify
** If less than 24 college credits earned

Get started today!

Minimum GPA: 2.5 or higher - If you have a GPA lower than 2.5, there is an additional step in the admissions process, and we are happy to work with you to complete your application.

Send Documents

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Fall & Spring semester start dates!

Degree Completion & Course Delivery

BLOCK FIRST 4 WEEKS OF SEMESTER

SESSION LAST 11 WEEKS OF SEMESTER

FULL SEMESTER 15 WEEKS

128 credits minimum are required to complete the degree program. Core competencies, foundational, major, and self-determined studies are offered in a mixed format of:

- On-campus
- Online via synchronous learning

Questions?

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