



Mission

Improve public health, promote individual well-being, and eliminate health disparities across North Carolina and around the world.

Some ways we serve North Carolina

- ◆ Accredit health departments to assure quality.
- ◆ Develop rapid response systems for bioterrorism, epidemics and natural disasters.
- ◆ Train more than 8,000 first responders and other health care professionals each year.
- ◆ Assist local municipalities with water and sanitation issues.
- ◆ Engineer new solutions for hog waste.
- ◆ Pioneer statistical methods to speed clinical trials.
- ◆ Use innovative modeling techniques to address overcrowding in mental hospitals.
- ◆ Explain why some people are more likely to get and die from specific diseases, such as cancer and heart disease.
- ◆ Track diseases and develop new vaccines.
- ◆ Develop and test policies and interventions to reduce domestic violence.
- ◆ Develop, test and disseminate evidence-based interventions to decrease obesity, increase cancer screening and promote other healthy behaviors.
- ◆ Train the next generation of public health leaders.

Strategic Initiatives

- ◆ Cancer
- ◆ Global Health
- ◆ Health Disparities
- ◆ Obesity
- ◆ Water



Reaching N.C. and the World

N.C. counties served: all 100

Countries in which we work: over 55

Budget: \$134.5 (FY11), 19% from state funds

Research grants: \$165M (FY11)

Full-time faculty: ~218

Student enrollment: 1,734 (Fall 2011)

Student demographics:

- ✓ 60% N.C. residents
- ✓ 9% international students
- ✓ 40% minorities (non-international)
- ✓ 27% distance learners

In-State Tuition: \$10,707-\$11,507 per year for full-time graduate student (AY2011-12)

Out-of-State Tuition: \$25,637-\$26,437 per year for full-time graduate student (AY2011-12)

Rank

Top *public* school of public health. Ranked #2 overall (*U.S. News & World Report, 2012 rankings*)

Academic Departments

- ◆ Biostatistics
- ◆ Environmental Sciences and Engineering
- ◆ Epidemiology
- ◆ Health Behavior and Health Education
- ◆ Health Policy and Management
- ◆ Maternal and Child Health
- ◆ Nutrition
- ◆ Public Health Leadership Program