

PUBLIC HEALTH

"The Hudson Valley is experiencing great job growth in the healthcare industry, and we expect that will continue for many years. A Public Health degree may be a great option if you are interested in a healthcare career, but may not be drawn to a profession of direct patient care. You will build a broad base of healthcare knowledge and be introduced to a variety of healthcare careers."

Dr. Kristine Young



Why Public Health?

All health professionals play a role in community health, whether they are educating school children on dental hygiene, assisting injured or differently abled folks back to independence, preventing illness or injury with immunization and well checks, analyzing specimens, or treating the sick. Public Health professionals work within a variety of settings, including state and local health departments, hospitals, workplace wellness programs, government agencies, educational institutions, research organizations and international development agencies.

Why Public Health at SUNY Orange?

The program is designed specifically for students to transfer to the appropriate upper-level college or university of their choice, where they can complete a bachelor's degree in Public Health or their chosen field of study. Students will gain foundational knowledge in public health that can also be used in a wide range of professions and many other health-related fields.

TOP 5 REASONS YOU SHOULD STUDY Public Health AT SUNY ORANGE

- ⇒ You may elect to enroll in dual degrees, pairing Public Health with another degree that will expand your existing skills.
- ⇒ Fields such as medicine, veterinary, dental and even social work all have a need for Public Health skills, meaning you will have many career options.
- ⇒ You will develop an understanding of how to support those on the front lines in the battle against many chronic and infectious diseases.
- ⇒ You will learn how you can make a difference the prevention of diseases, thereby positively impacting the well-being of your neighbors.
- ⇒ You will learn risk factors and modes of transmission for diseases and their effect on populations.