

*MPH ADMISSION APPLICATION*  
*On-line Program*

I wish to apply for admission to the Master of Public Health in Community Health Education On-line Program at New Mexico State University. I have read the Departmental Admissions requirements and am submitting the letters of reference and any other required documentation separately. *I understand that I must also submit an application and academic transcripts to the NMSU Graduate School.*

I understand the following:

- (1) All classes needed to complete the MPH degree will be offered on line. Each fall, spring, and summer, two courses (six semester hours of credit will be offered). Thus, this is a part-time program designed to meet the needs of working professionals. Persons who desire full time enrollment should consider the regular on-campus program. Only under special circumstances will a student be able to mix the on-line and on-campus courses.
- (2) All students are expected to attend (in person) a one day program orientation meeting, at a location in New Mexico, location, date, and time to be specified.
- (3) To participate in the program a student must have access to a reliable computer, and Microsoft Office software, particularly MS Word and Power Point. In addition, the student must have internet access (high speed internet preferred over dial-up), and the technical skills necessary to effectively participate in on-line instruction. See [http://distance.nmsu.edu/prospective/self\\_eval\\_tech.html](http://distance.nmsu.edu/prospective/self_eval_tech.html) for technical skills self-evaluation.
- (4) Application to the online program does not guarantee admission. The online cohort will be created from 20 of the strongest candidates in the applicant pool.
- (4) Students admitted to the on-line program, are responsible to completing all courses in the prescribed sequence. Failure to adhere to the sequence may result in courses missed not being immediately available during the following academic session.
- (5) In addition to the payment of tuition, students participating in the on-line program are responsible for paying an NMSU distance education fee. That fee is currently \$15 per credit hour. Students who do not have New Mexico residency will pay *instate tuition*.

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GENERAL INFORMATION

NAME:

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(Last) (First) (Middle)

Daytime telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Message Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

CURRENT MAILING ADDRESS:

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Street or PO Box)

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(City) (State) (Zip Code)

PERMANENT MAILING ADDRESS:

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(Street or PO Box)

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(City) (State) (Zip Code)

UNDERGRADUATE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS ATTENDED AND DEGREES AWARDED OR EXPECTED:

INSTITUTION: \_\_\_\_\_ From/To (Dates) \_\_\_\_\_

DEGREE: \_\_\_\_\_ MAJOR: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Awarded/Expected \_\_\_\_\_

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Are you a Returning Peace Corp Volunteer? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Name the foreign languages you can speak, read/write and note your proficiency:

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Honors or academic awards received:

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List the names and addresses of two individuals whom you have requested to fill out the enclosed reference forms. These forms should be mailed by the individuals directly to the Department of Health Science at the address below.

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Please include a description and length of service of any past or current public health experience.

ATTACH A 1-2 PAGE STATEMENT OF YOUR REASONS FOR SEEKING THE MPH DEGREE ON-LINE, YOUR INTEREST IN NEW MEXICO STATE UNIVERSITY AND YOUR PROFESSIONAL GOALS.

I attest to the validity of the above information. I understand that, if admitted to the program, I may be dismissed at anytime for providing falsified information.

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(Signature of Applicant)

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(Date)

Return all application materials to:  
Department of Health Science, Health & Social Services Building  
1335 International Mall, PO Box 30001, MSC 3 HLS, Las Cruces, NM 88003  
Telephone: 575 646 4300/ Fax: 575 646 4343  
For additional information, please contact Dr. Michael Young, MPH Program Coordinator  
Email: [myoung@nmsu.edu](mailto:myoung@nmsu.edu),  
Dept. web site: <http://www.nmsu.edu/~hlthdpt>