

# PBH 230 : Introduction to Public Health

This course introduces the basic principles of public health. The context and scope of public health are covered including history, philosophy, essential services, ethics and application to current events. Public health is explored from both historical and modern perspectives. Some of the topics covered include social justice, health disparities, vulnerable populations and the role of governments in health care.

**Credits** 4

**Semester Offered**

Offered fall