

in the above disciplines with a minimum of two (2) years post qualification experience in a health related field or

- First degree with Post graduate Diploma in Public Health with at least two (2) years relevant post qualification experience.

5) Master of Science in Health information Management

Entry Requirements

- First degree in the following fields: Medicine, veterinary medicine, nursing, Pharmacy and Dentistry or
- First degree, First Class Honours or Second Class Honours (upper) in any of the following fields: Environmental Health, Community Health, Nutrition, Psychology, Information Science, Economics, Business Administration, Commerce, Community Development, Public Administration, Law and Human Resource Management.
- First degree Second Class (Lower Division) in the above disciplines with a minimum of two (2) years post qualification.
- First degree with a health related Post Graduate Diploma of Kenyatta University or any other recognized institution with at least two (2) years post qualification experience.

6) Master of Science in Public Health Systems Management and Application

7) Master of Health Management

Entry Requirements

- First Class Honours or Second Class Honours (Upper Division) in any of the following fields: Environmental Health, Community Health, Nutrition, Psychology, Information Science, Economics, Business Administration, Commerce, Community Development, Public Administration, Law and Human Resource Management.
- First degree Second Class (Lower Division) in the above disciplines with a minimum of two years post qualification experience in a health related field.
- First degree with a health related Post Graduate Diploma of Kenyatta University or any other recognized institution, with at least 2 years post qualification experience

8) Master of Public Reproductive Health

Entry Requirement

- Bachelor degree in Medicine, Veterinary Medicine, Nursing, Nutrition and Dietetics, Pharmacy, Dentistry, population Health, Public health Environmental Health, Population Health and Community Health or
- Bachelor's Degree with at least Upper Second Honours (Lower Division) in the above fields and at least two years relevant work experience in a health related field will be considered in exceptional cases.

9) Master of Science (Community Resource Management)

Entry Requirement

- Upper second class honours degree in Community Resource Management, Family & Consumer Sciences, Home

Economics or any other related field of study.

- Second Class (Lower Division) with a minimum of Grade "C" and above in units relevant to their areas of specialization.

10) Master of Science in Food, Nutrition and Dietetics

Entry Requirements

- First or Second Class Honours (Upper Division) in Bachelor of Science Degree in Food, Nutrition and Dietetics, Community Nutrition, Clinical Nutrition, Post Graduate diploma in Nutrition and Dietetics from a recognized institution OR
- Bachelor of Education Degree with at least 2 years' experience in the field of nutrition and a major in Food, Nutrition and Dietetics Upper Class Honours.
- Those with Second Class (Lower Division) may be considered on condition that they have Grade C and above in units relevant to their areas of specialization. Programme Structure

11) Master of Science (Exercise and Sports Science)

Entry Requirements

- First Class or Second Class Honours (Upper Division) first degree or its equivalent in a relevant discipline
- Graduates of Physical Education, Exercise and Sports Science or Recreation and Sports Management as well as those in related fields such as Medicine, Nursing, Nutrition and Special Education shall be considered.
- Holders of a relevant Post Graduate Diploma in Sports Administration and Management of Kenyatta University or any other recognized University shall be eligible for admissions to the programme while holders of a Post Graduate Diploma in related disciplines may also be considered.

12) Master of Science (Physical Education)

Entry Requirements

- Second Class Honors (Lower Division) in Bachelor's Degree in Physical Education, Sports /Exercise Science, or Recreation Management from a recognized and accredited University.
- A Post graduate Diploma in Physical Education from Kenyatta University or any other recognized University
- Minor in Physical Education at Bachelors level will be required to take a Postgraduate Diploma in Physical Education course as a bridging course before admission into a Master's degree.

Doctor of Philosophy Programmes

- Doctor of Philosophy in Public Health:
- Doctor of Philosophy in Environmental Health
- Doctor of Philosophy in Health Information Management
- Doctor of Philosophy in Public Health (Reproductive Health Option)
- Doctor of Philosophy in Community Resource Management
- Doctor of Philosophy in Food Nutrition and Dietetics

VII. Doctor of Philosophy in Exercise and Sports Science

VIII. Doctor of Philosophy in Physical Education

IX. Entry Requirements

Master's Degree in relevant area of study from Kenyatta University or any other recognized institution

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Hospitals and Health Care Insurance Organisations.
- Relevant National and County Governments, Research and Academic Institutions.
- Non-Governmental Organisations & UN Bodies
- Private Sector e.g. Hospitality & Tourism Industry, Trans-port& communication Industry
- Education Advancement into Masters and PhD in specific areas of Environmental Health, University teaching and research related institutions.
- Occupational Health & Safety Audit, Manufacturing, Communication, Mining and Health Industry.
- Ergonomics, Industrial Safety, Occupational Hygiene and in Risk management.
- Food Industries
- Sports Industries
- Self-employment.



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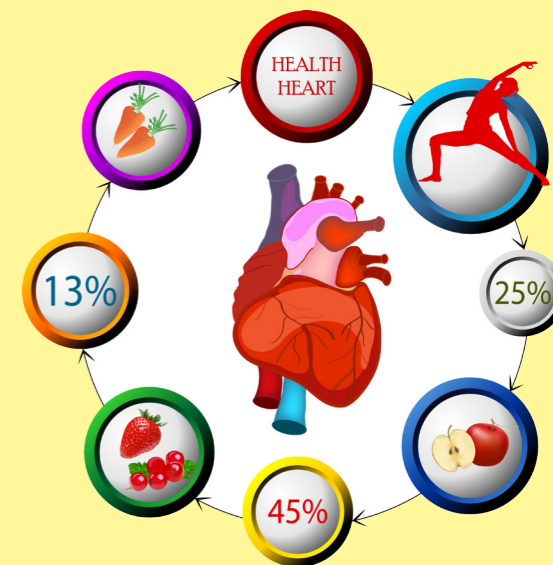
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Introduction

The School of Public Health was operationalized in August 2011. It was previously a Department in the School of Health Sciences. The establishment of the School was propelled by the need to strengthen delivery of training of innovative and creative public health professionals and researchers and in addition to improve community engagement. In September 2018 the University restructured the schools and departments. This resulted to merging of some departments from the School of Applied Human Sciences with those in the School of Public Health. The School now has six departments from its previous four. The name of the School has also changed to accommodate the additional departments and is now referred to as the **School of Public Health and Applied Human Sciences**.

Vision

To become a regional and international Centre for excellence in the training, research, practice and consultancy in public health and applied human sciences.

Mission

Training and production of health workers who will promote health for all, and prevention of disease through the empowerment of communities to take control over health related risk factors.

STRUCTURE OF THE SCHOOL

The school has the following teaching departments which offer both undergraduate and postgraduate degree programs:

1. Department of Community Health and Epidemiology
2. Department of Environmental & Occupational Health
3. Department of Health Management & Informatics
4. Department of Population, Reproductive Health and Community Resource Management
5. Department of Physical Education and Exercise Science
6. Department of Food, Nutrition and Dietetics

Duration and Pattern of Programs

1. **Diploma programs** - 2 years
2. **Undergraduate Degree Programs** – 4 academic years
3. **Master's Degree Courses** – **Minimum of** eighteen (18) months (two academic years). The courses are offered by Coursework, Thesis and examination.
4. **Doctor of Philosophy** - Offered by Coursework, Thesis and examination.

Mode of Study:

Part-time (KU City and Nakuru Campuses),
Full-time (KU Main Campus)
Digital School of Virtual and Open Learning (DSVOL)

Diploma Programmes

a) **Diploma in Nutrition and Health**

Entry Requirements:

- C and above in KCSE and with at least a C in two of the following subjects from the two categories.
 - Category A: Biology, Home science, Chemistry and Agriculture.
 - Category B: Home science, Biological Sciences, Geography, Agriculture and Physical Sciences.
- C- (minus) at KCSE with a certificate in Nutrition and Dietetics from a Kenya Nutritionists and Dieticians Institute (KNDI) recognized institution, and must be registered by KNDI or equivalent bodies for international students.

Undergraduate Programmes

1. **Bachelor of Science in Community Health**

Entry Requirements

- C+ (plus) and above at KCSE at least C+ (plus) in English/Kiswahili, Mathematics and any one science or humanities subject.
- Diploma certificates in health related fields from recognized fields with at least 2 years relevant post qualification experience. In addition, the candidate should have obtained a mean grade of C (plain) at KCSE or Division III at EACE.

2. **Bachelor of Science in Environmental Health**

3. **Bachelor of Science in Occupational Health**

Entry Requirements

- C+ (plus) and above at KSCE or its equivalent with at least C+ (Plus) in the following subjects: Mathematics/Physics, chemistry/Physical Sciences, Biology/ biological sciences and English/Kiswahili.
- Holders of diploma certificates with a credit pass from recognized institutions with mean grade of C (Plain) at KSCE or Division II at EACE and two years of relevant working experience.

4. **Bachelor of Health Service Management Health**

5. **Bachelor of Science in Health Records and Information Management**

Entry Requirements

- Mean grade of C+ (plus) and above with at least a C+ (plus) in the following subjects; English/Kiswahili, Biology/Biological Sciences/One humanities subject and Mathematics.
- Holder of a Diploma with a Credit pass in Health Records and Information Technology from a recognized institution with at least 2 years relevant post qualification experience. In addition the candidate should have obtained a C (plain) at KCSE or Division III at EACE.
- Holder of a Diploma with a Credit pass in Management or Systems Management from a recognized institution with at

least two (2) years relevant post qualification experience. In addition the candidate should have obtained a C (plain) at KCSE or Division III at EACE.

6. **Bachelor of Science in Population Health**

7. **Bachelor of Science in Health Promotion**

Entry Requirements

- C+ (plus) and above at KCSE with at least C+ (plus) in the following subjects: Mathematics/Physics, Chemistry/Physical Sciences, Biology/Biological Sciences and English/Kiswahili.
- Holders of diploma certificates with a credit pass from recognized institutions with mean grade of C (plain) at KCSE or Division II at EACE and two years of relevant working experience.

8. **Bachelor of Science (Community Resource Management)**

Entry Requirement

- C+ and above in KCSE either of the following subjects:
 - Alternative A: Biology or Agriculture, Geography or Home Science.
 - Alternative B: Business Studies, Commerce, Accounting or any Other Art-Based Subjects Or
- C (Plain) at KCSE or equivalent with a Diploma of at least credit pass in Community Development or Extension-related work from a recognized institution. Or
- C- at KCSE and progressed from certificate to Diploma of at least credit pass in Community Development or Extension-related work at Kenyatta University or any other recognized/ accredited Institutions.

9. **Bachelor of Education (Physical Education)**

Entry Requirements

- C plus (C+) and above in KCSE or its equivalent.
- Diploma in Education with Physical Education as a teaching subject from a recognized and accredited institution.
- In addition to either one of the above, a candidate must have done biology or biological sciences with a grade of C+ and above at the level of KCSE or its equivalent from a recognized institution.

10. **Bachelor of Science (Exercise and Sport Science)**

Entry Requirements

- C+ in KCSE or its equivalent with C+ and above in at least **one** of the following subjects: biology, mathematics, physical sciences, chemistry or physics.
- C (plain) in KCSE or its equivalent with a diploma in Sports Administration/ management, Physical Education, Sports Science, Hospitality, Nutrition, Nursing, Physiotherapy, Public Health and Coaching or in other related field from a recognized institution.

11. **Bachelor of Science in Food Nutrition and Dietetics)**

Entry Requirements

- Mean grade of C+ (Plus) at KCSE or equivalent with at least C+ (Plus) in each of the following categories of subjects.
 - Category A: Mathematics, Biology, Chemistry and

English.

- Category B: Biological Sciences, Physical Sciences, and Kiswahili. OR,

- Diploma holders in Nutrition or related fields with Credit Pass and with a Minimum grade of C Plain in KCSE. Or
- Mean grade of C (Plain) at KCSE or equivalent with a Diploma in Nutrition and Dietetics or Nutrition and Food Sciences with a credit pass and a minimum grade of C- (Minus) at KCSE.

Post Graduate Programmes

a. **Post Graduate Diploma (Foods, Nutrition and Dietetics)**

Entry Requirements

- Bachelor degree in Health, Biological sciences, Food and Nutrition related sciences or
- Bachelor of Education Degree in Home Economics

b. **Post graduate Diploma in Physical education**

Entry Requirements

- Bachelor of Education or its equivalent from a recognized university or
- Any other Bachelor's degree and a Diploma or Postgraduate Diploma in Education

Masters Programmes

1) **Master of Science in Occupation Health & safety**

2) **Master of Science in Environmental Health**

Entry Requirements

- Bachelor degree in Occupational Health & Safety, Environmental Health, Public Health, Medicine, Pharmacy, Nursing, Engineering, Population Health, Environmental Studies OR
- A holder of Bachelor degree in Occupational Health & Safety, Environmental Health, Public Health, Medicine, Pharmacy, Nursing, Engineering, Population Health, and Environmental Studies with Lower Second Class honors shall be admitted provided he has two years' work experience.

3) **Master in Public Health**

Entry Requirements

- First class honours or second class honours Upper division in the related field, or
- Second class (lower division) in health related field with at least two years post qualification experience.

4) **Master of Science in Water Supply and Sanitation**

Entry Requirements

- **First** degree in the following fields: Medicine Veterinary Medicine, Nursing, Pharmacy and Dentistry Or
- First degree with First class honours or second class honours (Upper division) in the following health related fields:
 - Nutrition and Environmental Health related field or a holder of a second class (lower Division)