What Do I Need to Know?

The CPH exam is 200 multiple-choice questions, based on the ten CPH content domain areas of public health.

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Can I Get Certified?

There are many different paths to CPH eligibility! You may qualify for the CPH based on additional criteria—visit NBPHE.org/eligibility to explore the options and find out if you qualify.

- Students or alumni of a school or program of public health which is accredited by or in applicant status with Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH)*

OR

- Individuals who have at least a bachelor’s degree and public health work experience

*See the list of schools and programs accredited by CEPH by visiting CEPH.org.

Where Do I Get Certified?

The Certified in Public Health Examinations are delivered at PSI Testing Centers throughout the United States and at select international locations.

More than 8,000 public health professionals, leaders, alumni and faculty certified to date

Why Should I Be Certified in Public Health (CPH)?

Becoming Certified in Public Health helps set standards consistent with the expectations of the public.

Benefits of the CPH Credential:

- Show public health expertise by evidencing mastery of the core sciences of public health
- Protect the public by staying current in public health
- Meet the standard of the profession by maintaining the credential
- Distinguish yourself from others
- Advance cohesiveness and collaboration with your peers by a professionally approved common body of knowledge
- Elevate the profession of public health
- Ensure high standards that better serve the health of the public

How Do I Prepare to Get Certified?

Visit CPH Study Resources to find several resources including:

- CPH Content Outline
- Practice Exams
- Sample Questions
- ASPPH CPH Study Guide
- ASPPH CPH Webinar Series
- ASPPH Review Sessions
- APHA CPH Exam Review Guide

To register for the CPH exam or for more information, visit NBPHE.org
What Will Be Required to Maintain My CPH Status?

CPH professionals are required to obtain and document 50 hours of professional development every two years. A convenient online CPH Recertification & Reporting System is available to all certificants. It includes digital badging, a digital certificate, a Code of Ethics and secure processing for credit card payments.

Join the ranks of public health professionals who have become Certified in Public Health.

“My CPH certification is a very valuable addition to my career in oncology clinical quality and data analysis. It has helped me to maintain a solid foundation in epidemiology skills, in order to analyze and present clinical data in a way that better serves our medical staff and, ultimately, our patient population.”

- Terra, CPH

“My CPH certification is a valued and cherished affirmation and testimony on a personal and professional level to the experiences and opportunities that I’ve encountered during my nursing career serving in Public Health. This CPH credential will be the credential I maintain throughout my career as others fade away or become irrelevant, plus it adds such sparkle to my BSN.”

- Pamela, BSN, RN, CPH, CCHP

About the NBPHE

The National Board of Public Health Examiners (NBPHE) was created to credential public health professionals. NBPHE and its participating organizations have the goal of strengthening the practice of public health, including facilitating recognition of the important role of public health workers in protecting the nation’s health and safety.

Participating Organizations Include:
- American Public Health Association (APHA)
- Association for Prevention Teaching and Research (APTR)
- Association of Schools and Programs of Public Health (ASPPH)
- Association of State and Territorial Health Officials (ASTHO)
- National Association of County and City Health Officials (NACCHO)

A number of schools, programs, and organizations offer a discount for the CPH exam. Members and personnel of the following organizations offer discounts for the CPH exam. To find out more visit about discounts, visit NBPHE.org/cph-fees-discounts.