



WHO WE ARE

UIC's School of Public Health is the only accredited school of its kind in Illinois, Wisconsin and Indiana. The school is part of the largest university in the Chicago area. It is one of 15 colleges that together rank among the nation's top 50 universities in federal research funding. The UIC student body is recognized as one of the nation's most diverse. With students from more than 20 countries, the School of Public Health shares that distinction. UIC and the School of Public Health are recognized for their research strength, educational excellence and commitment to improving the quality of life.

UIC's hallmark is the Great Cities Commitment through which faculty, staff and students engage in hundreds of programs with community, corporate, government and civic partners to improve the quality of life in Chicago and in other metropolitan areas around the world. Located in the heart of Chicago, the School of Public Health provides opportunities for its faculty, staff and students to experience every aspect of public health from inner-city violence prevention to the international AIDS pandemic.

Established in 1970, the fully accredited School of Public Health offers the following degrees:

- Master of Healthcare Administration
- Master of Public Health
- Master of Science
- Doctor of Philosophy
- Doctor of Public Health

UIC's School of Public Health is recognized for excellence in the following areas:

- Community Health
- Emergency Response Preparedness
- Epidemiology and Quantitative Methods
- Healthy Aging
- Maternal and Child Health
- Environmental and Occupational Health and Safety
- Public Health Practice and Leadership
- Prevention Research in HIV/AIDS, Violence, Substance Abuse, Tobacco Control and Smoking Cessation

Centers, Institutes and Service Programs

UIC's School of Public Health faculty are involved in a range of cutting-edge research and service projects funded from federal, state and private sources. These initiatives contribute resources and provide assistance to local communities and programs around the world while providing opportunities for student learning, collaboration and discovery. For a complete list of centers, institutes and service programs, see page 20.