

University of South Florida - Humanitarian Assistance Graduate Certificate

The University of South Florida, College of Public Health, is offering a Graduate Certificate in Humanitarian Assistance. The graduate certificate is designed for public health professionals, as well as other humanitarian aid providers, who are interested in enhancing their knowledge of the foundations and principles of humanitarian assistance, while providing mechanisms for putting that knowledge into practice. The graduate certificate is designed to supplement and enhance the work-related experiences of professionals who are serving those affected by humanitarian emergencies, whether in the United States or abroad, while also providing a foundation for persons that wish to pursue such as career. The certificate aims to engage students in critical thinking skills, enabling them to help develop more effective aid delivery systems. The program is intended also to enhance the leadership and management skills for public health professionals working with populations in need of humanitarian assistance, particularly international refugees and displaced populations.

The Graduate Certificate in Humanitarian Assistance requires twelve (12) credit hours for completion of the certificate.

Admission requirements:

The applicant must hold a bachelor's degree with a minimum 3.0 GPA from a regionally accredited institution. International applicants must provide original transcripts certified as equivalent to the U.S. bachelor's degree. Please visit <http://global.usf.edu/> for more information on international admissions.

Reduced rate program:

The Reduced Rate Program allows out-of-state students to get a reduced tuition rate to take Public Health courses. The program is available only to students who are enrolled in eligible Public Health online degree concentrations and certificates. Currently, out-of-state students pay a tuition rate of \$877.17 per credit hour. Through the Reduced Rate Program, out-of-state and international students pay a rate of \$525.00 per credit hour plus a \$30 online fee per credit hour.

Required Courses:

- PHC 6230: Foundations of Humanitarian Assistance - 3 credit(s)
- PHC 6231: Organizing Emergency Humanitarian Actions - 3 credit(s)
- PHC 6232: From Emergency to Development and Prevention - 3 credit(s)
- PHC 6233: Current Challenges in the Humanitarian Field - 3 credit

The University of South Florida (USF) is accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools and the USF College of Public Health is accredited by the Council on Education in Public Health (CEPH).

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Additional Information: <https://www.usf.edu/innovative-education/graduate-certificates/programs/humanitarian-assistance.aspx>

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