



Description of the study programme **Public Health**

Faculty delivering the programme	Faculty of Public Health
Programme data <i>national code</i> <i>field of studies</i> <i>branch of studies</i> <i>duration in years</i> <i>scope of the programme</i> <i>mode of study</i>	621A60003 Biomedicine Public Health 2 years – full-time 120 credits, 2240 hours full time program 120 credits Full-time studies
Qualification degree/professional qualification to be awarded	Master of Public Health
Cycle	Second
Requirements for admission	University Bachelor degree
Other details of the programme	Core curriculum of Master Program in of public health was developed during 1997-1999 in the framework of International TEMPUS project. The purpose of the program is to develop public health practice, research and teaching competencies for specialists, who work for health care system. Graduates also can continue studies for doctoral degree. Such competencies as assessment of health determinants, health status of population, planning and implementing of health promotion programmes, evaluation of health systems and health reforms, assessment of the activities of health services and managerial capabilities could be obtained during the program
Access to professional career	Graduates of the program may pursue careers in different levels of health service structures (ministries, health departments of municipalities), public health centres, public health bureaus, health insurance funds, public and private health care institutions, international organizations and allied fields.

Students' mobility	<p>Bulgaria (Medical University-Plovdiv);</p> <p>Denmark (Aalborg universitet);</p> <p>Spain (Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, Universidad de Zaragoza);</p> <p>Island (Háskólinn í Reykjavík);</p> <p>The Netherlands (Universiteit Maastricht, Hogeschool Utrecht);</p> <p>France (École des hautes études en santé publique);</p> <p>Finland (Itä-Suomenyliopisto, Tampereen yliopisto);</p> <p>Sweden (Högskolan Kristianstad, Mälardalens Högskola, Örebro universitet);</p> <p>Turkey (İstanbul Bilim Üniversitesi);</p> <p>Germany (Hochschule Fulda, Hochschule für angewandte Wissenschaften Hamburg, Technische Universität Ilmenau).</p>
Access to further study	Doctoral studies
Assessment of study results	<p>Cumulative evaluation is applied – study results are assessed by intermediate evaluations, such as tests, individual or group projects, etc., while the final assessment of the course accumulates all grades. Study program is completed by the defence of Final thesis.</p>
Chair and members of the Study Programme Committee	<p>Chairman: prof. Žilvinas Padaiga</p> <p>Members: Assoc. Prof. Aušra Petrauskienė</p> <p>dr. Gvidas Urbonas</p> <p>prof. Linas Šumskas</p> <p>prof. Giedrius Vanagas</p> <p>prof. Ričardas Radišauskas</p> <p>prof. Janina Petkevičienė</p> <p>Edgaras Jurgelėnas – student</p> <p>Eglė Barauskytė – student</p> <p>Danguolė Avižiuvienė – social partner</p>

