JOINT AND COMBINED DEGREES

Students enrolled in other Tulane professional programs may pursue a joint degree (simultaneous study) with the School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine:

- School of Medicine: MPH, MSPH, MPHTM or PhD
- School of Social Work: MSW/MPH in Community Health Sciences
- School of Business: MBA/MHA
- School of Law: JD/MHA; JD/MPH in Health Systems Management

Undergraduate Public Health majors (BSPH) student have the opportunity for a combined degree (sequential study) with a SPHTM professional degree (MPH, MSPH, MPHTM or MHA)

The benefit of the joint or combined degree is that student to share 10 credits (Joint) or 12 credits (Combined) that count toward both degrees. Since these the degrees are done at the same time, they must be completed without a gap between the degrees in order to take advantage of the counting of credits toward both degrees.

**Undergraduate Combined Degree**

BSPH degree may be combined with the MPH (all professional programs except the MPH in Community Health Sciences), MSPH, MPHTM or MHA degrees.

**Graduate Joint Degrees**

Medical student may enroll in a joint degree in SPHTM with study in any of the concentrations in the MPH, MSPH or MPHTM degrees. Up to 10 credits from the medical school may be applied toward the MPH, MSPH or MPHTM degrees. Students complete the same concentration requirements for the public health degrees. Students complete the MD and MPH or MSPH or MPHTM in four years.

Students enrolled in the JD degree may enroll in a joint degree in SPHTM with study in the MHA degree or the MPH in Health Systems Management. Up to 10 credits from the medical school may be applied toward the MHA or MPH degree. Students complete the same public health degree requirements for the public health degrees.

School of Social Work students in the MSW degree program may obtain a joint degree in SPHTM pursuing the MPH in Community health Sciences. Up to 10 credits from the medical school may be applied toward the MHA or MPH degree. Students complete the same public health degree requirements for the public health degrees.

Business School students in the MBA may obtain a joint degree with the MHA degree at SPHTM. Up to 10 specific credits from the MBA may be applied toward the MHA degree. Students complete the same MHA degree requirements.

**Programs**

- BSPH/MPH or MSPH or MPHTM or MHA Combined Degree (https://catalog.tulane.edu/public-health-tropical-medicine/joint-combined-degrees/bsph-mpm-mpshm-mha)
- JD/MPH or MHA Joint Degrees (https://catalog.tulane.edu/public-health-tropical-medicine/joint-combined-degrees/jd-mpm-mha)
- MBA/MHA Joint Degree (https://catalog.tulane.edu/public-health-tropical-medicine/joint-combined-degrees/mba-mha)
- MD/MPH or MSPH or MPHTM Joint Degree (https://catalog.tulane.edu/public-health-tropical-medicine/joint-combined-degrees/md-mpm-mpshm-mphtm)