



PUBLIC HEALTH

Public health is the science and the art of preventing disease, prolonging life, and promoting physical health and efficiency through organized community efforts for the sanitation of the environment, the control of community infections, the education of the individual in principles of personal hygiene, the organization of medical and nursing service for the early diagnosis and preventive treatment of disease, and the development of the social machinery which will ensure to every individual in the community a standard of living adequate for the maintenance of health.

Charles-Edward A. Winslow in *The United Federal Public Health*,
1920, Science, N. S., Vol. 51, p. 23.

Public health saves lives and saves money.

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Health means more than just staying alive.
Health means vigor and efficiency and satisfaction in living.

Winslow, C.-E. A., *The Essentials of Public Health*, 1923, p. 58.

Top careers in public health:

- Health informatics specialist
- Epidemiologist
- Research analyst
- Healthcare administrator
- Health and safety engineer
- Environmental health specialist

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