



Makerere University – Kampala, Uganda

MASTERS IN PUBLIC HEALTH DISASTER MANAGEMENT

Disasters are a major public health problem worldwide, causing high levels of illness and death. Uganda faces several natural, manmade and hybrid disasters.

Objectives:

The Masters in Public Health programme aims to train and develop the capacity of public health personnel with:

- Knowledge in disaster preparedness, risk reduction and management
- Expertise to manage and implement effective public health-oriented disaster response interventions at programmatic, district, national and international levels
- The capacity to evaluate the impact and effectiveness of disaster responses
- The skills and knowledge to undertake public health-oriented research and training on disaster response

Admission requirements:

- A Bachelors degree in the health sciences, such as medicine or nursing, from a recognised institution and at least two years' relevant field experience
- A degree in the biological sciences, such as food science and technology, human nutrition or environmental health from a recognised institution, and at least two years' relevant field experience
- A degree in the social sciences, such as: community psychology, SWASA or law, from a recognised institution, and at least two years' relevant experience

Shortlisted candidates will be interviewed prior to selection.

Duration:

2 years

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