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**Masters in Public  
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Masters in Public Health in UK take a duration of **10 months** to **24 months** to complete. It is an interdisciplinary field that deals with the general well being of the world by promoting good hygiene and preventing diseases. The degree is also offered as a part-time and distance learning course in the UK universities and costs around **19,000 to 35,000 GBP**. For Indian students, the cost of studying in UK approximates **18.33 lakhs to 33.77 lakhs INR**.

Masters in Public Health is expanded to various disciplines such as epidemiology, health education, health economics, mental health, and occupational health safety. It is an extension of the healthcare program in UK universities. The average salary earned by a public health graduate in the UK is approximately **30,000 GBP** per annum (~**28 lakhs INR**). Students with a degree in masters in public health in UK can work as emergency health responders, biostatisticians, epidemiologists, health education teachers, health and safety advisors, nutritionists, etc.

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## Top Universities offering Masters in Public Health in the UK

Some of the top universities offering masters in public health in UK are listed below along with their QS World University Ranking of 2022 and total program fee charged:

QS Ranking 2022	University	Program Offered	Program Fee (in GBP)
#2	University of Cambridge	Masters in Public Health (MPhil)	29,220
#8	University College London (UCL)	Masters of Public Health in Dental Public Health (MSc)	29,400
#6	Imperial College of London	Masters in Public Health (MPH)	37,800
#15	University of Edinburgh	Masters in Public Health (MSc)	25,300
#28	University of Manchester	Masters of Public Health in Dental Public Health (MDPH)	20,500

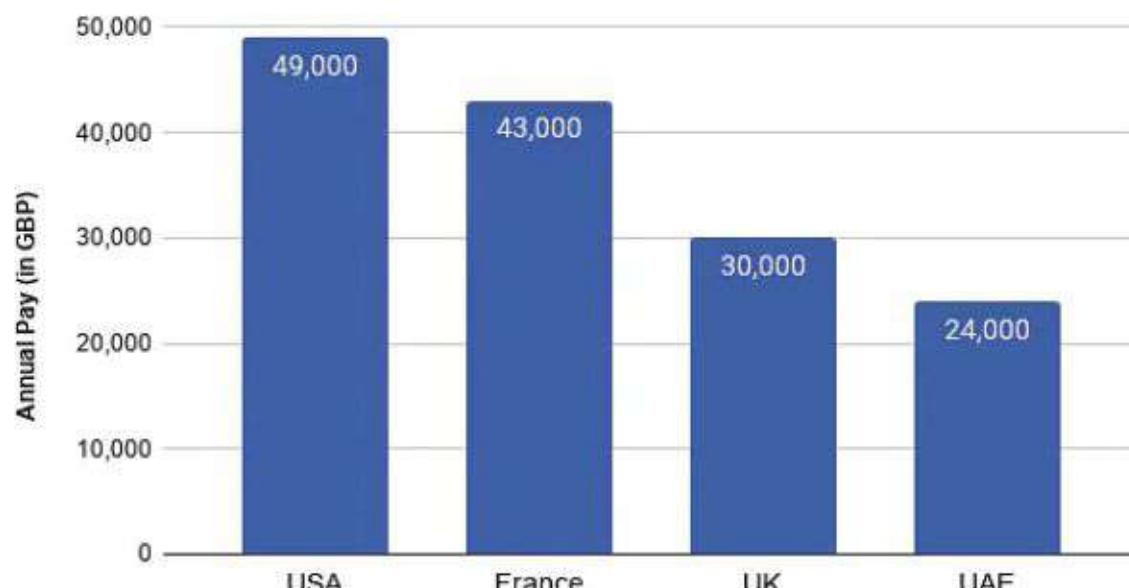
#37	King's College London	Masters of Public Health in Dental Public Health (MSc)	29,310
#81	University of Glasgow	Masters in Public Health (MPH)	27930
#125	Queen Mary University of London	Masters of Public Health in Public Mental Health (MSc)	19,250
#122	Newcastle University	Masters in Public Health (MPH)	17,600
-	London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine (LSHTM)	Masters in Public Health (MSc)	26,680

## Why Study Masters in Public Health in UK?

Public Health is part of the healthcare industry and focuses on taking care of the well-being of the population. Some of the reasons for pursuing masters of public health in UK are discussed below:

- According to QS News World Ranking for 2022, three of the universities offering masters in public health in the UK are included in the top 10 list.
- Public Health workers in the UK are third-highest paid in the world with an average annual salary of 30,000 GBP.

## Salary of Public Health Workers



- Senior managers working in the public health domain get the highest pay of 56,000 GBP per annum on an average.
- The course can be complete within a year in the UK. However, masters in public health in Canada or any other country take approximately two years to complete.

## Masters in Public Health in UK: Course Details

Public Health is an interdisciplinary course that encompasses several other specializations. The basic course structure is built to tackle public health challenges through research and practice. Masters of public health's numerous disciplines hinge around basic and core courses such as:

- Principles of Public Health
- Introduction to statistical methods
- Introduction to epidemiology
- Principles of social research, amongst others.

Preliminarily, students have to study some compulsory core modules before they can focus on their choice of stream or specialization. They may also choose to follow a general public health program. Students having little or no basic computer skills are required to study computer science as a supplementary course. The global health lecture series and seminar are also part of the supplementary modules.

## Masters in Public Health in UK: Highlights

Degree Level	Masters
Duration	10 months to 2 years
Available Specializations	Epidemiology, Health Education, Health Economics, Mental Health and Occupational Health Safety
Eligibility Criteria	Bachelors degree with minimum 60%
Average Program Fees	19,800 GBP to 38,000 GBP
Average Salary	30,000 GBP per annum

### Admission Process for Masters in Public Health in UK

Applicants opting to pursue masters in the UK universities in public health must have a bachelors degree in dental, clinical, medical or related field with an overall minimum 60% academic score.

**Where to Apply:** You are required to visit the university's webpage or the program page to submit the application. Some institutions accept application via UCAS portal.

### Application Deadlines for Masters in Public Health in UK

The application deadlines of some of the universities of the UK offering masters in Public Health are listed below:

University	Application Deadlines
University of Cambridge	October 4
University College London	July 29
Imperial College of London	Applications are closed
University of Edinburgh	Round 1: 17 December Round 2: 25 February Round 3: 22 April Final Round: 24 June
University of Glasgow	Fall: 1 October
Queen Mary University of London	May 19
London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine	Applications closed for 2022/23

### Eligibility for Masters of Public Health Admission

- Hold a 2:1 or an upper second class (equivalent to an average of 60% to 70%) in a dental, clinical or medical bachelor's degree from a reputable or globally recognized institution.
- Students from nursing, health or social science background are also considered for admissions.
- Relevant work experience.
- Evidence of ability in mathematics or basic computer skills.

## Documents Required for Masters of Public Health in UK Admission

- Transcripts showing full details of subjects and grades offered in the previous institutions are required.
- Photocopies of all official certificates.
- Official English translation of certificates and transcripts
- One or more references/recommendation letters
- Curriculum Vitae
- Evidence of English language proficiency
- Course-specific required documents
- A copy of the passport or photo page of the passport.
- Statement of purpose

## English Proficiency Requirement for International Students

Following are the minimum English proficiency test scores accepted by the top ranking universities of the UK offering masters in public health:

University	Minimum TOEFL (iBT) Score Required	Minimum IELTS Score Required
University of Cambridge	100	7.0
University College London	92	6.5
Imperial College of London	92	6.5
King's College London	109	7.5
University of Edinburgh	100	7.0
London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine	100	7.0
University of Manchester	90	6.5
University of Glasgow	90	6.5
Newcastle University	90	7.0
Queen Mary University of London	100	7.0

## Cost of Studying Masters in Public Health in UK

Funds required for studying abroad can be distributed into three categories: pre-arrival cost, the cost of study and the cost of living. These expenses are further discussed in brief in this section.

### Pre-arrival Cost

Those expenses which are incurred even before arrival to the university are known as pre-arrival expenses. A summary of such one-time cost tabulated below:

Type of Expense	Amount (in GBP)
UK Student Visa Application Fee	97 to 348
Health Insurance	300 (per annum)
IELTS Registration fee	162 – 180
TOEFL Registration fee	120 - 188
Airfare	294 - 918

## Tuition Fees of Masters of Public Health in the UK

The annual tuition fee of masters in public health in the UK starts from **19,000 GBP** and can go as high as **29,220 GBP**. Imperial College London is the only university whose annual tuition fees exceed 30,000 GBP. London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine has the lowest tuition fee of 19,000 GBP per year. The tuition fees for pursuing masters in public health from top UK universities for Indian students is detailed below:

University	Program Fee (in INR)
University of Cambridge	28.19 lakhs
University College London (UCL)	24.99 lakhs
Imperial College of London	34.35 lakhs
University of Edinburgh	22.04 lakhs
University of Manchester	36.66 lakhs
King's College London	25.57 lakhs
University of Glasgow	21.71 lakhs
Queen Mary University of London	19.15 lakhs
Newcastle University	22 lakhs
LSHTM	23.33 lakhs

## Other Expenses for Studying Masters in Public Health in the UK

The table below highlights the average cost of living in the UK for international students. This includes books, food, clothing, academic materials, cost of accommodation and transportation required for studying in some of the popular universities.

University	Cost of Living per annum (in GBP)
University of Cambridge	12,084
University College London	13,156 -14,176
Imperial College of London	11,479 - 15,199
King's College London	15,000
London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine	14,830 - 15,180
University of Manchester	12,835
University of Glasgow	12,360
Newcastle University	12,600 - 14,000

## Scholarships for Masters in Public Health in UK

International students may need financial aid to fund their education in a foreign country. Following are some of the available scholarships for international students in UK pursuing a masters in public health:

Scholarships	Amount Offered (in GBP)	University
Gates Cambridge Scholarship	Varies	University of Cambridge
University College London Alumni Scholarship	10,000	University College London
Social Impact Scholarship	Up to 20,000	Imperial College of London
King's International Scholarship	25,000	King's College London
The Glenmore Medical Postgraduate Scholarship	Varies	University of Edinburgh
Chevening Scholarships	Varies	University of Edinburgh
Jeroen Ensink Memorial Fund Scholarship	Varies	London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine
British Chevening Scholarship	Varies	University of Manchester
University of Glasgow International Leadership Scholarship	10,000	University of Glasgow
Vice-Chancellor's Excellence Scholarship	1,500 GBP to 5,000	Newcastle University
Chevening Awards/Scholarship	Varies	Queen Mary University of London

For more scholarships in UK, [click here](#)

## Job Prospects for Masters in Public Health in UK

According to a report published by the government of the UK, over 1.9 million people are working in the healthcare industry including both public and private sector. Public health is one of the fields of choice for them. After the outbreak of the Covid-19, the significance of the Public Health professionals has become more prominent across the globe.

Around **88%** of this workforce in the UK is domestic, **6%** is from EU and **6%** from non-EU nations. You can work as a Public Health Nurse, Public Health Specialist, and Community Health Worker after completion of masters in public health in the UK. The average salary offered here is **30,000 GBP per annum**. Some of the high paying professions after completion of Masters of Public health in UK along with the average annual salaries are tabulated below:

Profession	Average Annual Salary in GBP
Junior Manager	31,000
Manager	50,000
Senior Manager	69,000
Assistant	26,000

The following table provides a list of top recruiters for Masters of Public Health in UK:

Organization	Average Annual Salary (in GBP)
GlobalData	26,000
Greenwich Council	22,000
London Borough of Islington	36,000
National Health Service	35,000

Master's in Public Health is a very lucrative and trending program due to an increasing number of jobs in the UK in the healthcare sector. Apart from the luxurious nature of the course, public health is also about helping and changing the world by stopping epidemics, joining research teams to find a cure for deadly diseases like cancer, promoting public health awareness, helping countries in tackling regional diseases, and being at the forefront of medical research that'll change the world for good.

**The masters in public health in the UK degree program for international students run for between one to two years.** The length of the program depends on the learning institution and mode of study you choose. This course educates you on global health by applying preventative disease measures and maintaining proper hygiene measures. It imparts you with skills and knowledge that will enable you to handle critical emergency conditions. **It is a course we recommend for individuals who seek a specialized career within the medical industry.**

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## Masters in Public Health in UK: Highlights

<b>Program</b>	Master in Public Health
<b>Course</b>	Master of Public Health
<b>Duration of the course</b>	1-2 years
<b>Eligibility</b>	Must have achieved a second class upper in a degree relevant to the course or an equivalent.
<b>Entrance Exams</b>	IELTS, TOEFL, CPE, CAE
<b>Tuition Fees</b>	20,000 GBP-37,000 GBP
<b>Jobs</b>	Epidemiologists, Nutritionists,
<b>Average Salary</b>	29,000 GBP/year

There are, however, some standard courses that cut across all universities.

#### This include:

- Principles of Social Research
- Health Research Methods
- Biostatistics
- Epidemiology
- Principles of Public Health

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## TOP Universities to Study Master in Public Health in UK

The UK is listed as one of the top 3 international study destinations globally. At least three of its universities consistently ranked among the top 10 universities to study for master's in public health.

Tabled below are some of the highly ranked universities.

Name of the University	QS World Rankings	City
University of Cambridge	3	England
Imperial College of London	7	England
University College London	8	England
University of Edinburgh	16	Scotland
University of Manchester	27	Manchester

## Cost of Studying Master in Public Health in UK

The cost of enrolling to this course in UK for international students is determined by two key variables; the [cost of living in UK](#) and the tuition fee.

### Tuition Fees

Name of the University	Program	Duration	Tuition Fees in INR
University of Cambridge	Masters in Public Health (MPhil)	Full-time- 1 year Part-time- 2 years	28.2 lakhs

Imperial College of London	Masters in Public Health (MPH)	Full-time- 1 year Part-time- 2 years Online part-time- 2 years	34.4 lakhs
University of Manchester	Masters of Public Health in Dental Public Health (MDPH)	Full-time- 1 year Part-time- 2 years Online part-time- 3 years	36.7 lakhs
University of Edinburgh	Masters in Public Health (MSc)	Full-time- 1 year Part-time- 2 years	21.95 lakhs
University College London	Masters of Public Health in Dental Public Health (MSc)	Full-time- 1 year Part-time- 2 years	25.1 lakhs

## Cost of Living in UK

The cost of living for a student pursuing this course in the UK is generally higher than other countries. This, however, depends on the way you choose to live. **The average cost of living for a student studying master's in public health in the UK is about 13,000 GBP -18,000 GBP annually.**

We advise that you take advantage of student discounts and transportation cards to cut down on these costs.

**The table below features some monthly expenses and their cost.**

Kind of Expenses	Amount in GBP
Internet	30
Rent	600
Groceries	150
Public Transport	35
Utility bills	45

## Eligibility Criteria to Study Master in Public Health in UK

In order to qualify to study for a master's in public health in the UK, you are required to fulfil and satisfy the minimum eligibility criteria, which is outlined below:

1. Have an upper second class undergraduate degree from a UK university in a relevant subject or c
2. Must have sat for and passed an [English proficiency test](#).
3. Must have relevant work experience, especially if you have low scores on your bachelor's degree.
4. Show proof of basic math and computer skills.

## Exams Required to Study Master in Public Health in UK

Exam Name	Minimum Band Requirements
IELTS	7
TOEFL iBT	100 overall
CAE	B
CPE	C

## Scholarships to Study Master in Public Health in UK

This course can prove to be very costly especially for international students. Several universities in the UK offer scholarships to excelling students and those in need to help reduce their financial burden.

**Some of the scholarships available for the master's in public health in UK include:**

Scholarship Name	Description	Eligibility	Amount in GBP
King's International Scholarship	King's College London	Must be enrolled and starting a full-time post-graduate program in the university	25,000
Social Impact Scholarship	Imperial College of London	Must possess and showcase outstanding leadership skills and potential. Must be pursuing a post-graduate program in the university. Must meet all admission requirements.	Maximum of 20,000
University College London Alumni Scholarship	University College London	Must be legally culpable of paying the overseas fee rate for their study. Currently studying for their bachelor's degree at the institution or have successfully completed their undergraduate course. Must have received an offer letter to study a full-time master's degree at UCL	10,000
University of Glasgow International Leadership Scholarship	University of Glasgow	Must have a bachelor's degree. Excel academically and achieve grades equivalent to UK first class honor or equivalent. Have an offer letter to enroll in a post graduate course in the university.	10,000

Vice-chancellor's Excellence Scholarships	Newcastle University	Must have received an offer letter from the university. Must have at least achieved a grade of ABB in you're a level or equivalent.	1,500-5,000
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## Placement Opportunities after Master in Public Health in UK

Universities offering a placement for students studying for master's in public health in the UK provide the much-needed support to international students in gaining formidable employment. This is done through career events and industry connections.

Students receive support for a maximum of one year. It is, however, important to note that these universities do not offer a guarantee of work placements but guide you through the process of finding one.

### TOP Recruiters

**Top recruiters for the masters in public health graduates in the UK include:**

- National Health Service
- Greenwich Council
- Global Data
- London Borough of Islington
- Ardgowan Hospice

## How to Apply for Master in Public Health in UK?

**AECC Global recommends these steps as a guide in submitting your application to study master's in public health in the UK:**

- Carry out in-depth research on your university of choice and its eligibility requirements.
- Study the course scope and curriculum and any program requirements you should meet.
- Fill out the application form via the institution's online website; we are always present to help you if you need any clarifications.
- Upload any required documents.
- Ensure you pay the application fee.
- Submit the application.
- If your application is approved, you will receive an offer letter. You will be able to make your [student visa](#) application using the offer letter.

The masters in public health in the UK is a noble and great course to pursue. It also offers lucrative career options. Every health institution needs a public health specialist as they are taught and highly skilled in tough decision making processes in critical times of emergency.

We, however, recognize that the process of securing entry to study this course in the UK may be very overwhelming. In case of any queries or difficulties, please reach [AECC India](#) through our online website and we will guide you through this process and ensure your success.



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