



The cupola crowns the top of Rosenau Hall.

# Better Health, Together

AS THE #1 PUBLIC SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN THE COUNTRY, OUR MISSION IS TO IMPROVE PUBLIC HEALTH, PROMOTE INDIVIDUAL WELL-BEING AND ELIMINATE HEALTH INEQUITIES IN NORTH CAROLINA AND AROUND THE WORLD.

We're Gillings. *We're on it!*

## Top public school of public health

### NUMBER 2 AMONG ALL SCHOOLS OF PUBLIC HEALTH

BY U.S. NEWS & WORLD REPORT (RANKED IN 2021 FOR THE 2022 EDITION)

### BY THE NUMBERS (2020-21)

- 2,260 students
  - » 1,333 master's
  - » 588 doctoral
  - » 305 undergraduate
  - » 34 certificate
  - » 23.5% BIPOC representation
- 240 primary faculty
- 349 permanent staff
- 97% of students begin a job or continue education within one year of graduation.

### RESEARCH FUNDING (FY2021)

- \$194M in external funding
- \$1.2M/year average external funding per faculty principal investigator
- Top public school for NIH funding

### ACADEMIC AREAS

- Biostatistics
- Environmental Sciences and Engineering
- Epidemiology
- Health Behavior
- Health Policy and Management
- Maternal and Child Health
- Nutrition
- Public Health Leadership

### DEGREE OPTIONS

- Undergraduate degrees
- Master's degrees (residential or online)
- Doctoral degrees (residential or online)
- Dual and joint degrees
- Certificates (residential or online)
- Continuing education



Students share a walk outside the Gillings School campus.

## Creating a world that is healthy and inclusive

We are dedicated to dismantling the systems of racism and injustice that create barriers to health equity. This starts by cultivating a community of inclusive excellence within the Gillings School so that everyone can learn from different lived experiences. When students experience diverse perspectives in the classroom, they are better equipped to be culturally competent leaders who can effectively combat health inequities.

## Preparing future leaders and changemakers

We offer Master of Public Health concentrations in:

- Applied Epidemiology
- Environmental Health Solutions
- Global Health
- Health Behavior
- Health Equity, Social Justice and Human Rights
- Health Policy
- Leadership in Practice
- Maternal, Child and Family Health
- Nutrition
- Nutrition (with Registered Dietitian Training)
- Place-Based Health
- Population Health for Clinicians
- Public Health Data Science



Jeffrey Simms leads students in a classroom discussion.



Dr. Timothy Sheahan conducts critical COVID-19 research.

## Taking on the greatest public health challenges

Gillings School researchers are on the front lines, tackling critical threats to public health – from diseases like COVID-19 and cancer to structural racism to climate change. We are committed to finding tomorrow's solutions today and translating research into actionable change. We seek to build a collaborative culture that promotes equity and fosters curiosity, discovery and application.

Transforming public health — *We're on it!* Learn more:

