

## **College of Professional and Global Education Department of Public Health**

## Master of Public Health | Personal Statement Prompt | Fall 2021 Application Cycle

Using the criteria stated below, please provide your statement of purpose for pursuing the MPH degree. Your statement should be no longer than 500 words. All personal statements must be submitted with your program application.

- Why you are interested in public health/urban health?
- What academic and/or professional preparation do you have for an MPH degree/a career in public health? (Note: Any relevant strengths or weaknesses in your background or in your ability to carry out your professional responsibilities.)
- What contributions do you plan to make in the field? (Career goals/objectives)
- How will our MPH program help you achieve your goals/objectives?
- Please describe any gaps or considerations in your application that you would like to further address.