

ACADEMIC**YEAR****2023/2024****Name of the cycle of studies (CS)**

2nd Cycle of Studies in Public Health

A - Specific conditions for access to the cycle of studies

According to the general regulations for the 2nd and 3rd cycles at U.Porto, this information is the responsibility of the CS Scientific Committee and is subject to approval by the Faculty Director. An exception is made to **cycles of studies conjoint with other HEIs (Higher Education Institutions)**, to which apply the principles defined in the respective collaboration agreement, as well as in the specific regulation of the cycle of studies, formulated according to the Legal Regime of Higher Education Degrees and Diplomas (Portuguese Decree-Law nº 65/2018, of August 16th).

Whenever possible, it should be mentioned the scientific areas of the qualifications required for the application.

Specific conditions for access to the cycle of studies

The applicants admitted to candidacy to the Cycle of Studies Leading to the Degree of Master of Public Health are the holders of:

- a) An Undergraduate or integrated master's degree in Health Sciences or related areas;
- b) Academic degrees from foreign universities in the area of Health Sciences or related areas, through curricular assessment by the Scientific Committee;
- c) School, scientific or professional curriculum recognized as attesting the capacity to carry out this cycle of studies by the statutorily competent scientific body of the higher education institution.

B - Criteria and sub-criteria for selection and seriation of applicants

The selection and seriation criteria should be defined using clear, objective, easily applicable, and justifiable variables, to safeguard transparency and accuracy of the evaluation of applications. Criteria and sub-criteria assessment measured through a numerical scale allows a more objective evaluation of the applicants' academic/scientific/artistic/professional potential and capacity.

Criteria and subcriteria for selection and seriation of applicants

1- Applicants are selected by the Scientific Committee of the Cycle of Studies, considering their academic, scientific, and professional curricula.	
2- Candidates will be ranked based on:	
a) Average of undergraduate or integrated master's degree (CL): 10 points = 1; 11 points = 2; 12 points = 3; 13 points = 4; 14 to 20 points = 5. Note: Applicants who do not present the final undergraduate degree grade will be given the minimum rating for this item (10 points).	multiply the rating by 2
b) Scientific curriculum:	



Communications (C): no communications = 0; communications in international congresses as co-author (other than 1 st author) or communications in national congresses = 1; communications in international congresses as 1st author = 2.	multiply the rating by 1
Publications (P): no publications = 0; only publications in journals without ICR impact factor = 1; publications in journals with ICR impact factor = 2.	multiply the rating by 1
c) Professional curriculum (CV): no professional experience = 0; research grant holder = 1; relevant professional experience in other than healthcare = 2; professional experience in healthcare = 3.	multiply the rating by 1.5
d) Frequency of the Specialization Course in Public Health of the Internship in Public Health (CESP): no = 0; yes = 1.	multiply the rating by 1.5
3. The final grade (FG) given to each applicant (a), to be used in the seriation, will be obtained by the weighting expressed in the following formula: $FG=2CL+(1C+1P)+1,5CP+1,5CESP$. Note: As a minimum requirement for admission to the master's program, a minimum final grade (FG) of 9.5 must be considered.	
Applicant's tie-breaking criteria (can be the ranking of some elements of the previous table)	
Participation in extracurricular activities demonstrating skills and motivation appropriate to attending the Master of Public Health.	

2ND CYCLE OF STUDIES IN PUBLIC HEALTH

VACANCIES:MAX: 45/ MIN: 15

VACANCIES 1ST PHASE: 25

VACANCIES 2ND PHASE: 20 + SURPLUS

TENDER SCHEDULE

	1 ST PHASE		2 ND PHASE	
	BEGIN	END	BEGIN	END
ONLINE APPLICATION SUBMISSION	24-02-2023	21-04-2023	17-07-2023	25-07-2023
PUBLICATION OF PROVISIONAL RESULTS	10-05-2023		01-08-2023	
PRIOR HEARING	11-05-2023	24-05-2023	02-08-2023	16-08-2023
PUBLICATION OF FINAL RESULTS	30-05-2023		01-09-2023	
SUBMISSION OF COMPLAINTS	31-05-2023	21-06-2023	04-09-2023	26-09-2023
PUBLICATION OF THE DECISION ON COMPLAINTS	28-06-2023		02-10-2023	
ONLINE ENROLLMENT	31-05-2023	12-06-2023	04-09-2023	08-09-2023
POSSIBLE ADMISSION OF WAIT-LISTED APPLICANTS	13-06-2023	22-06-2023	11-09-2023	15-09-2023

**How to notify applicants of the results (provisional and final):
by e-mail to the e-mail address indicated in the application.**