

What is MPHA?

MPHA is an interdisciplinary society of health professionals and other citizens who are concerned about problems and issues affecting public health in Michigan.

VISION

MPHA is a growing and effective resource, empowering our members and engaging our partners and decision-makers to achieve a healthier Michigan.

MISSION

To enhance the ability of the association and its members to advocate for, promote and protect the health of the community and environment.



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Student Section



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An affiliate of the

*American Public Health
Association
(APHA)*

What can participation do for you?



Photo courtesy of CDC/Judy Schmidt

Participation in the student section is your access to unique benefits only available to MPHA members. Get a jump on your career by joining and actively participating with MPHA.

- Join the organization at a REDUCED rate.
- Membership in the separate student section is *free* and does not preclude you from joining another section that may be related to your future career field.
- Work with faculty mentors to publish in the nationally recognized, peer-reviewed Michigan Journal of Public Health and the association's newsletter *Impact*.
- Work with faculty mentors to submit abstracts for oral or poster presentation at the annual Premier Public Health conference. Awards are given to the best student submissions.

Develop Leadership Skills

Students have the opportunity to develop leadership skills by serving as student section officers.

Network with Others

Participating with student section activities provides opportunity to meet and interact with other students who will be future professional colleagues.

Interact with working professionals to find out more about the variety of careers in public health.

You will have chances to work with those already in the field including some who may be looking to hire new staff!

Advocate for Health Issues

MPHA offers seminars, training activities and materials to its members to help them advocate for public health issues.

Add your voice to the larger chorus to spread the message of health promotion and disease prevention.



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Update Public Health Skills

MPHA and affiliated sections offer continuing education seminars.

Membership Application

Are you an APHA member? Yes No

PLEASE CHECK ONE: *MPHA memberships are renewed in January each year.*

Initial Application
 Renewal, current member
 Renewal, lapsed member

Select a membership category:

Active \$65
 Student \$15 (Enrolled 1/2 time, attach proof of status)

Check the section(s) you want to join:

Epidemiology No fee
 Laboratory/Disease Control \$3
 Oral Health \$2
 Public Health Nursing \$5
 Student No fee

Check the committee(s) on which you would like to serve:

Awards Bylaws
 Elections and Nominations Membership
 Newsletter Public Policy/Legislation
 Resource Development

LAST NAME _____ FIRST _____ MIDDLE _____ DEGREES _____
 POSITION/TITLE _____ ORGANIZATION _____
 MAILING ADDRESS _____
 CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP CODE _____ YOUR HOME ZIP CODE _____
(for legislative district purposes only)
 TELEPHONE _____ FAX _____
 E-MAIL ADDRESS _____ REFERRED BY (member name) _____

Membership Dues: \$ _____ Section Fees: \$ _____ Tax-Deductible Gift: \$ _____ TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____
 Please make checks payable to MPHA