

## **The bachelor program of Public Health and Management**

The bases of the educational program of Public Health and Management is the agreement between TSMU and The Academy of Management and Performance – “UNIMAN”, which are the authorized higher education institutions according to Georgian and French legislation. Therefore they are responsible for undertaking educational activities to develop educational programs and realize scientific-research activities.

The academic degree will be awarded by Georgian and French diplomas recognized by relevant states (Bachelor academic degree). After completing the educational program graduates will have two types of diplomas: Georgian – recognized by Georgian Government on the basis of legislation. And a French diploma – recognized by the French Government on the basis of their legislation. The Diplomas will give students a sensitive awareness of identifying their self-realization in France as well.

Program title – **Public Health and Management**

Academic degree to be granted – **Bachelor of Public Health**

Program volume – **280 ECTS** (1 ECTS equals 30 hours).

Program duration – 4 academic years (8 semesters).

Instruction language: **Georgian**

### **Admission Requirements**

Admission requirements for the Public Healthcare Bachelors program are: secondary education certificate; for Georgian citizens –National Examination Certificate.

### **Program Objectives**

Preparing specialists with relevant competences who will be able to successfully conduct activities in the sphere of Public Health and Preventive Medicine and will strive for future professional development, which fully corresponds to the mission declared by TSMU.

Public Health and Management Bachelor educational program was originally designed in full correspondence with international standards of medical education which aims at bringing up specialists who will have competences for disease control and prevention, creating safe environment for population and setting standards for healthy life-style, monitoring health services together with assessment of economic efficiency of healthcare policies, oriented towards modern principles of healthcare organization and management for improving the efficacy of healthcare system in general.

Public Health and Management Bachelors educational program courses are relevant to the study levels. Each of them is based on knowledge and skills already obtained by students and they themselves (courses), constitute prerequisites of future courses.

All components of Public Health and Management Bachelors educational program are equally accessible to students. One of the forms of developing students' individual inspirations and abilities is offering them elective courses that are designed in accordance with the Bachelor program content. Students' knowledge is assessed according to university's internal regulations and corresponding documents.