



Recognition

Allias is recognized as a graduate educational institution of international character by the government of the Republic of the Philippines, as certified by the Commission on Higher Education (CHED) pursuant to Presidential Decree No. 2021.

Accreditation

Allias is accredited by the Adventist Accrediting Association (AAA) of Seventh-day Adventist Schools, Colleges and Universities. The graduate school programs are accredited by the Philippine Accrediting Association of Schools, Colleges and Universities (PAASCU). PAASCU is a full member of Asia Pacific Quality Network (APQN) and of the International Network of Quality Assurance Agencies in Higher Education (INQAAHE).



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PUBLIC HEALTH

MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH (MPH)
Health Ministry
Health Promotion
Nutrition

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PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Public health training is in high demand today, due to increasing lifestyle-related or chronic diseases. Through collaboration with diverse stakeholders (communities, policymakers, other health providers, etc), health educators and health promoters contribute significantly to ensuring an effective public health system. Generally, Health Education and Promotion professionals participate in research, advocate for healthy living, promote evidence-based practices, and support communities to protect and promote health.

Since 1987, the AIAS Public Health Department has offered the Master in Public Health (MPH) degree program. AIAS faculty and student body represent more than 70 different countries. This means that every class has international and multicultural components where public health students can come to know other cultures by first-hand experience. Many Public Health students choose to pursue double emphases, which opens up increased employment opportunities. AIAS MPH focuses on wholeness from scientific and Adventist perspectives, and the integration of faith and service as necessary professional competencies.

AIAS Public Health graduates serve the Adventist Church in different capacities, and work in prestigious NGOs. Several have continued their education and obtained doctoral degrees from internationally renowned universities.

PROGRAMS OFFERED

MPH - Health Ministry

The Health Ministry emphasis develops Christian leaders who can think scientifically and present the Christian faith in the prevailing scientific culture. They understand how the health sciences may be utilized in practical ways to mend and enrich human lives and advance the message of *the Great Physician*.

- 📍 on campus
- 📅 45 units
- 🔍 thesis/internship
- 💰 \$6,190 (Est. program costs: tuition & fees)

MPH - Health Promotion

The Health Promotion emphasis develops professionals who can analyze current global health issues and enable individuals and communities to make changes that will positively impact their health.

- 📍 on campus
- 💻 also offered online
- 📅 46 units
- 🔍 thesis/internship
- 💰 \$6,190 (Est. program costs: tuition & fees)

MPH - Nutrition

The Nutrition emphasis prepares professionals who have a thorough understanding of the importance of nutrition in wellness and disease prevention. Graduates can design and implement appropriate programs to meet nutritional needs, without neglecting the physical, social, and spiritual aspects of well-being.

- 📍 on campus
- 💻 also offered online
- 📅 46 units
- 🔍 thesis/internship
- 💰 \$6,190 (Est. program costs: tuition & fees)



Why choose AIAS?

- ✓ **Distinctively Adventist**
We champion the teachings and lifestyle of the Seventh-day Adventist church and have a clear sense of its mission and identity.
- ✓ **Mission oriented**
AIAS being strategically located in the Philippines, provides greater access to the "10/40 Window" for research opportunities and field experiences.
- ✓ **Academic Excellence**
AIAS maintains the highest academic quality, highest accreditation level and employs outstanding faculty recognized in their field.
- ✓ **Affordable Cost**
All AIAS students enjoy the highest quality of education through the benefit of financial subsidy by the worldwide church.
- ✓ **Excellent Supporting Resources**
Exemplary graduate research library with a collection of about 70,000 volumes means easier access to a growing gold mine of library resources.

Program entry: January & August