

Health Data & Population Surveillance Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Demography and Population Studies	Duration	5 Days
Base Fee	\$1,500 USD	Delivery Mode	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Course Objectives

1. Understand principles of health data collection and population surveillance.
2. Utilize epidemiological methods for disease monitoring and outbreak detection.
3. Apply advanced statistical tools and software for health data analysis.
4. Integrate big data and digital health tools for population health tracking.
5. Conduct effective health risk assessments using real-world datasets.
6. Implement health information systems for timely reporting and decision-making.
7. Develop predictive models for disease forecasting and trend analysis.
8. Strengthen capacity in geospatial mapping and population health visualization.
9. Promote data-driven policy formulation for public health interventions.
10. Ensure ethical use, privacy, and security of health data in compliance with standards.
11. Evaluate surveillance program effectiveness and provide actionable recommendations.
12. Build competency in cross-sector collaboration for health monitoring initiatives.
13. Enhance research skills for public health studies using population datasets.

Organizational Benefits

- Improved public health decision-making.
- Enhanced efficiency in disease monitoring and reporting.
- Strengthened data-driven strategic planning.
- Better allocation of healthcare resources.
- Increased compliance with health regulations and standards.
- Improved forecasting and preventive health strategies.
- Enhanced capacity for outbreak response and emergency preparedness.

- Greater integration of technology and health data systems.
- Promotion of evidence-based interventions and policies.
- Development of a data-savvy workforce in healthcare organizations.

Target Audiences

1. Public health professionals
2. Epidemiologists and data scientists
3. Healthcare administrators and managers
4. Health policy makers
5. Medical researchers
6. NGO health program officers
7. Hospital IT and health informatics staff
8. Graduate students in public health and data science

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Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Health Data & Population Surveillance

- Overview of health data systems
- Importance of population health surveillance
- Key public health indicators and metrics
- Challenges in health data collection
- Case Study: National immunization surveillance program
- Hands-on activity: Mapping local health indicators

Module 2: Epidemiological Methods for Surveillance

- Basics of epidemiology in health surveillance
- Study designs and population sampling
- Disease outbreak investigation techniques
- Data interpretation and trend analysis
- Case Study: Tracking seasonal influenza outbreaks
- Group exercise: Designing a surveillance study

Module 3: Health Data Collection & Management

- Data collection tools and techniques
- Electronic health records and mobile data capture
- Ensuring data quality and integrity
- Data cleaning and validation processes
- Case Study: Hospital admission data audit
- Hands-on practice: Creating a population health database

Module 4: Statistical Analysis for Population Health

- Introduction to statistical software for health data
- Descriptive and inferential statistics
- Risk analysis and incidence/prevalence calculations
- Data visualization and reporting
- Case Study: Diabetes prevalence analysis
- Exercise: Performing data analysis using software

Module 5: Digital Health Tools & Big Data Integration

- Overview of digital health technologies
- Big data analytics in population health
- Remote monitoring and IoT in healthcare
- Cloud-based health data systems
- Case Study: Using big data for epidemic prediction
- Practical activity: Analyzing large health datasets

Module 6: Geospatial Mapping & Visualization

- Introduction to GIS in public health
- Mapping disease hotspots and trends
- Spatial data analysis techniques
- Interactive dashboards for decision-making
- Case Study: Malaria incidence mapping
- Hands-on session: Creating GIS maps for local health data

Module 7: Predictive Modeling & Trend Forecasting

- Predictive analytics concepts

- Modeling disease progression and health trends
- Simulation and forecasting tools
- Interpretation of predictive outputs
- Case Study: Forecasting COVID-19 trends
- Exercise: Developing a predictive model using population data

Module 8: Ethical Considerations & Compliance

- Data privacy and security in healthcare
- Legal frameworks for health data management
- Ethical issues in population surveillance
- Responsible reporting and use of health data
- Case Study: Privacy-compliant data sharing initiatives
- Group discussion: Addressing ethical dilemmas in surveillance

Training Methodology

- Interactive lectures and presentations
- Hands-on workshops with real-world datasets
- Case study analysis and problem-solving exercises
- Group discussions and collaborative learning
- Practical demonstrations of digital health tools
- Scenario-based exercises to simulate population health challenges

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Certification

Upon successful completion of this training, participants will be issued with a globally- recognized certificate.

Tailor-Made Course

We also offer tailor-made courses based on your needs.

Key Notes

- The participant must be conversant with English.
- Upon completion of training the participant will be issued with an Authorized Training Certificate
- Course duration is flexible and the contents can be modified to fit any number of days.

- d. The course fee includes facilitation training materials, 2 coffee breaks, buffet lunch and A Certificate upon successful completion of Training.
- e. One-year post-training support Consultation and Coaching provided after the course.
- f. Payment should be done at least a week before commence of the training, to Fineskill Training Center account, as indicated in the invoice so as to enable us prepare better for you.

Upcoming Scheduled Sessions

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Online	\$1,000
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$1,500
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
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