

Pettenkofer School of Public Health PSPH^{LMU}

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What is the PSPH^{LMU}



The PSPH^{LMU} was officially installed at the end of 2009 by the president of the LMU as a LMU working group.

It is a joint venture of the

LMU
Bavarian Health and Food Agency
HelmholtzZentrum München Health and Environment



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Components of PSPH^{LMU}



- Masterprogram: MPH
MSc Epidemiology
Health Administration and Management
planned extensions: PhD in Epi and PH
international integration of the program
- Public Health Forum: Presenting health issues to the public
- Munich Center of Health Sciences
- Health Centers: Cardiovascular, infection, cancer, lung
- Brückenprofessur: Bridging science and application

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Scientific paradigm of PSPH^{LMU}



The PSPH^{LMU} approach to public health research perceives individual health as a reaction of the subject to his/her interaction with a complex surrounding system.

It makes public health research a systems science based on input from molecular biomedicine, clinical medicine, epidemiology, mathematics, social, as well as economic, managerial, communication, and political sciences.

The partners of the PSPH develop research projects and teaching programs which bring this idea to life.

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Goals PSPH^{LMU}

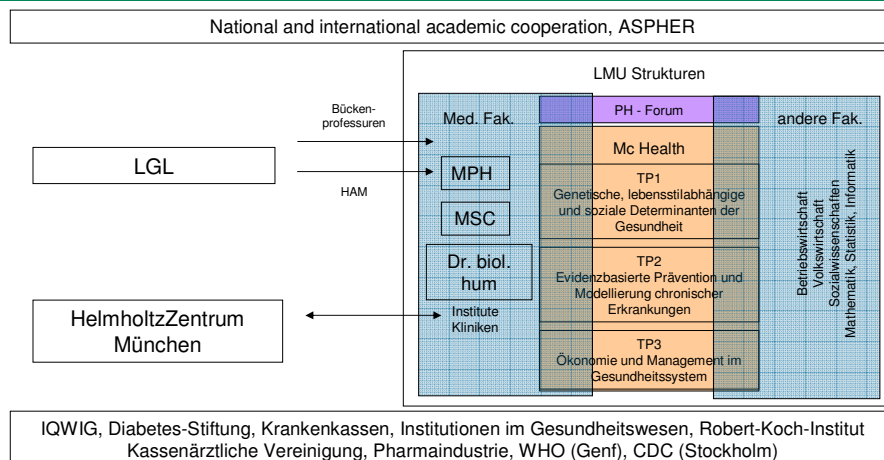
- Developing interdisciplinary research and cooperation
- Improving interdisciplinary education
- Strengthen and tighten the network between Munich institutions as well as external institutions and partners
- Coordinated representation of the Munich profile in health sciences and public health, strengthening international scientific contacts
- Platform for discussion and strategic development

Wachsende Herausforderungen machen eine verstärkte Vernetzung der Partner erforderlich, um auf den Gebieten von Medizin und Gesundheit sowie bei der Entwicklung und beim Transfer neuer wissenschaftlicher Methoden in die Praxis eine weitere Verbesserung der Gesundheitsforschung und -förderung sowie der Öffentlichen Gesundheit (Public Health) zu erreichen

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