



# Universidade de Évora

## Edital

Applications for Admission to the Post-Graduate Program in  
Epidemiology  
Academic year 2023/2024

### 1. The program is promoted by:

Universidade de Évora - Escola Superior de Enfermagem S. João de Deus

### 2. Course Committee:

Laurência Gemito (mlpg@uevora.pt)  
Dulce Cruz (dcruz@uevora.pt)

### 3. Program description:

The aim of the Post-graduation Course in Epidemiology is to make contributions and instruments that allow health professionals, from the social and municipal sector to develop analytical and operational skills for decision making and action in situations of epidemic outbreaks, national and international organizations, such as the one currently experienced under Sars-Cov2. This Post-Graduation is offered from two training courses each with 30 ECTS. Students who complete the 60 ECTS of the Course obtain the Postgraduate certificate. Those who complete only one of the Training Courses will have access only to the respective certificate of completion of the course.

### 4. Specialization areas:

- Epidemiology (**available**)
- Applied Epidemiology (**available**)
- Epidemiological Surveillance and Contingency (**available**)

### 5. Career opportunities:

The professionals who choose to carry out this training, can exercise in any health organization, in the social or local sector, that is called to deal with issues related to epidemic outbreaks, namely the contingency and respective phases, declaration of isolation programs / measures, epidemiological surveillance or risk communication.

## 6. Program Creation Norm:

Diário da República n.º 226 de 19 de novembro, Aviso n.º 18856/2020

## 7. General conditions of access and admission:

### i Conditions for access to the post-graduate program

The following individuals can apply for a post-graduate program:

- holders of a Portuguese Licenciado degree or legal equivalent;
- holders of a foreign higher education undergraduate degree, which is recognized as satisfying the objectives of the degree of Licenciado by the competent scientific committee of the higher education institution where they wish to be admitted;
- holders of an academic, scientific or professional curriculum which is recognized as attesting the ability to carry out this cycle of studies by the competent scientific committee of the higher education institution where they wish to be admitted.

### ii Conditions of access to the post-graduate program at the University of Evora

On the application date, the undergraduate students must satisfy conditions that guarantee the conclusion of their undergraduate degree until the 30th of October of the admission year. The admission and enrollment of these students is conditioned on the conclusion of the degree until this date, and the enrollment is canceled if the student does not complete the degree within that period.

During the first application phase, students who have a maximum of 6 curricular units or 36 ECTS missing for conclusion of their degree can apply for the 2nd cycle; in the 2nd application phase students can apply if they have at most 3 curricular units missing and in the 3rd application phase if they have at most one curricular unit missing.

The previous condition does not apply to students with a curriculum that reveals professional or scientific experience, which can be recognized by the competent scientific body, as attesting the student's ability to carry out the master's degree/post-graduation, provided that the student required that recognition in the application process.

### iii Specific admission conditions

To hold a Bachelor's degree or legal equivalent in the area of health, social or municipal sector, holders of a foreign higher academic degree, in the above mentioned areas, conferred following a first organized study cycle, in accordance with the principles of the Bologna by a State adhering to this process or even holders of a foreign higher academic degree, in the mentioned areas, which is recognized by the Scientific Council of the Host Institution, as satisfying the objectives of the Bachelor's degree.

## 8. Selection Process:

- Academic qualifications: 40%
  - Area of qualifications: 25%
  - Average grade in the highest qualification: 50%
  - Level of qualifications: 25%
- Curriculum analysis: 60%
  - Scientific and technical activities and publications: 10%

- Participation in research projects: 10%
- Professional Experience in the area of the program or related fields: 25%
- Professional Training in the area of the program or related fields: 20%
- Teaching experience in training programs in the area of the program: 15%
- Importance of positions held: 20%

## 9. Maximum number of admissions

- Maximum number for admission: 20

Depending on the number of applications, there may be transfer of vacancies from the international students applications to the European Union students applications or vice-versa.

## 10. Minimum number of students: 15

## 11. Tuition fee

- Candidates with nationality of European Union countries: 1500.00 €
- Candidates without nationality of countries of the European Union: 2500.00 €

If the student enrolls only in the Epidemiological Surveillance and Contingency Course (1st semester) or only in the Applied Epidemiology Course (2nd semester) the tuition fee is 750 euros. If the student enrolls in the Epidemiology postgraduate course (1st and 2nd semester), the fee is 1500 euros.

## 12. Organization / duration:

- Duration of the program:** 2 semesters
- Number of ECTS to obtain the post-graduate program:** 60

## 13. Language (s) of teaching:

- Portuguese

## 14. Learning Type: Presential

## 15. Schedule Type: Labor hours

## 16. Classes schedule (week days and schedule)

Thursday and Friday

## 17. Program starting date: September of 2023

February 11, 2023  
The Rector

Hermínia Vasconcelos Vilar