



Toward a Population Health Workforce*

The term “population health workforce” does not refer to creating the workforce de novo. It is about helping many kinds of workers and future workers understand how they can and do contribute to population health and well-being either directly or indirectly. This figure illustrates the spectrum of opportunities and model strategies for introducing, communicating, sharing, and teaching population health knowledge—ranging from basic practical concepts to specialized graduate school curricula—to a wide range of practitioners, students, and audiences.

Note: This is for illustration only, and is not intended to be comprehensive. Also, others may choose to name or order the categories differently, to classify activities differently, or provide different examples.

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