

## SPECIALIZED ONLINE GRADUATE CERTIFICATES IN PUBLIC HEALTH

To apply to Kent State University's online graduate certificate programs in [LGBTQ+ Public Health](#), [Healthcare Compliance](#) or [Clinical Research](#), follow the steps below:

- Application Form:** Start the Kent State application online here: [apply.kent.edu/apply](https://apply.kent.edu/apply)
- Application Fee:** Submit the \$15 application processing fee. This fee may be paid online at the end of the application form
- Official Transcripts:** Upload copies of your official undergraduate transcripts (front and back) in the application, plus any graduate coursework or degree(s) you may have earned. You may also send your transcripts via postal mail to the address below:
 

Graduate Admissions  
P.O. Box 5190  
Kent, OH 44242
- Goal Statement:** In two pages or less, explain why you are seeking a Graduate Certificate in LGBTQ+ Public Health, Healthcare Compliance or Clinical Research, and why you chose Kent State University
- Resume/CV:** Professional resume listing your education and progressive professional responsibilities

### IF YOU ARE AN INTERNATIONAL STUDENT

In addition to the above, you must provide proof of English language proficiency with an acceptable score on one of the following tests.

Test	Minimum Score
TOEFL PBT (paper-based test)	550
TOEFL IBT (internet-based test)	79
MELAB	77
IELTS	6.5
PTE	58

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APPLICATION AT:  
[APPLY.KENT.EDU/APPLY](https://apply.kent.edu/apply)

There are a limited number of specific exceptions to this requirement. Contact an [admissions outreach advisor](#) for more information.