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HPS 533 Global Health

Catalog Description: Examines major health problems of underdeveloped, developed, and emerging nations. Students conduct in-depth analyses of health problems among various populations in multicultural settings, both nationally and internationally. (3 units)

Course Topics:

- Social Determinants of Health
- Politics of Global Health
- Globalization and Health
- Health Advocacy, Intervention Design
- Health Systems and Population Health Analyses
- Nutrition and Global Health
- Global WASH
- Global Maternal and Child Health
- Global Infectious Diseases
- One Health Applications in Global health

Course Objectives: During this course, students will:

- Analyze the roles, relationships, and resources of the entities influencing global health
- Apply ethical approaches in global health research and practice
- Apply monitoring and evaluation techniques to global health programs, policies, and outcomes
- Propose sustainable and evidence-based multi-sectoral interventions, considering the social determinants of health specific to the local area
- Display critical self-reflection, cultural humility, and ongoing learning in global health

Learning Outcomes (Competencies Obtained): Upon completion of this course students will be able to:

1. Develop strategies that strengthen community capabilities for overcoming barriers to health and well-being
2. Exhibit interpersonal communication skills that demonstrate respect for other perspectives and cultures
3. Analyze distribution of resources to meet the health needs of marginalized and vulnerable groups
4. Analyze the impact of transnational movements on population health
5. Design health advocacy strategies
6. Conduct situation analysis across a range of cultural, economic, and health contexts
7. Identify the relationships among patterns of morbidity, mortality, and disability with demographic and other factors in shaping the circumstances of the population of a specified community, country, or region
8. Conduct comparative analyses of health systems