

# CERTIFICATE IN GLOBAL HEALTH

The Certificate in Global Health equips students with the knowledge and skills needed to address pressing health challenges on a global scale. Through an interdisciplinary curriculum, participants explore key topics such as infectious diseases, health policy, gender and social determinants of health, and health equity. The program emphasizes critical thinking and promotes cross cultural sensitivity, to help students explore solutions to improve health outcomes in various contexts. This certificate is ideal for those seeking careers in public health, international development, and related fields while making a meaningful impact on global health issues.

To be admitted to the minor, students must have completed GE Areas 1A, 1B, and 1C with grades C- or better and have a minimum 2.0 GPA.

## Program Learning Outcomes

1. Demonstrate knowledge of key global health concepts, theories, and frameworks, including the social determinants of global health and health inequity.
2. Critically analyze major global health challenges, such as infectious diseases, non-communicable diseases, and maternal and child health, in diverse contexts.
3. Understand the role of advocacy in global health and develop strategies to promote policies that improve health outcomes, including equity and access around the world.

## Certificate in Global Health – 12 units minimum

A minimum of 6 upper-division units are required to complete the certificate.

### Core (3-4 units)

Select One:

Code	Title	Units
HH 382	Holistic Health: Human Nature and Global Perspectives	3
I R/BIOL 305	Global Politics of Science, Technology, and Health	4
NURS 530	Community Health and Global Perspectives Theory	3
PH 200	Global Health	3

### Elective (9-12 units)

#### Category A: Determinants of Global Health (3-4 units)

Select One:

Code	Title	Units
ANTH 630	Medical Anthropology	3
ANTH 631	STEM and Social Justice	3
HH 380	Holistic Health: Western Perspectives	3
I R 104	Introduction to International Relations: Politics, Economics, Environment, and People	3
I R 224	The Problem of War	4
I R/ENVS 331	Global Environmental Crisis	4
PH/ETHS 221	Health and Social Justice - Burning Issues, Taking Action	3
PH 290	Promoting Positive Health	3

PH 320	Contemporary Sexuality	3
PH/GEOG 434	Geographies of Health and Health Care	3
WGS 578	Feminist Environmental and Climate Justice	3
WGS 593	Gender, Health, and the Environment	3

#### Category B: Intersectionality & Global Health (3-4 units)

Select One:

Code	Title	Units
CHIN 461	Chinese for Healthcare Professions	3
HH 383	Chinese Perspectives in Holistic Health	3
I R 259	Children and Youth in International Relations	4
I R/PLSI 459	Refugees in Global Perspective	4
I R 540	Rich and Poor Nations: Legacies of Slavery and Colonialism	4
I R/PLSI 544	Women in the World	4
I R 734	International Migration	3
PH 455	Community Organizing and Community Building for Health	3
SPAN 217	Spanish for Health Care Professionals	3
WGS 515	Gender, Race, and Reproductive Justice	3
WGS 563	Gender, Sexuality, and the Politics of Disability	3
WGS 591	Critical Approaches to Transgender Health, Science, and Medicine	3

#### Category C: Additional Elective (3-4 units)

Select one additional upper-division course from either Category A or Category B above.