DEPARTMENT OF GLOBAL HEALTH

Achieving sustainable improvements in health with partners around the world.

Our mission is to improve health for all through research, education, training, and service; to understand and address the causes of disease and health inequities at multiple levels; and to collaborate with partners to develop and sustain locally led, quality health systems, programs and policies.

What We Do:
- **A world leader in the research methods**: We test new technologies and approaches to health challenges and do implementation science to close the “know-do gap.”
- **Ground-breaking discoveries**: Our faculty and students focus on innovating, evaluating, and building capacity to address the most pressing health problems that the world faces.
- **Premier education and training programs**: We prepare the next generation of leaders in research, evidence-based practice, and policy development.
- **Extraordinary geographic reach**: Our faculty and students work with colleagues in more than 140 countries.

Our Expertise Includes:
- Global cardiovascular health
- Global environmental change impacts on health
- Global injury and violence prevention
- Global mental health
- Health of women, adolescents and children
- HIV/AIDS, STIs, and other infectious diseases
- Implementation science
- Pandemic disease preparedness and global health security

Our research focuses on vulnerable people and communities most at risk for adverse health outcomes, including children, women, and people in low- and middle-income countries and communities around the world.

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2nd among UW departments in grant funding
125 million dollars in annual grant and contract awards for research and training (2018)
694 projects in 144 countries working to understand and address the causes of disease and health inequities

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68 Degrees Granted (2018–19)
- 58 MPH
- 5 PhD Global Health: Metrics and Implementation Science
- 5 PhD Pathobiology

433 Students Enrolled (2019–20)
- 130 School of Medicine Global Health Pathway
- 114 MPH
- 83 Undergraduate Global Health Minor
- 56 PhD Global Health: Metrics and Implementation Science
- 33 PhD in Pathobiology
- 17 Graduate Certificates

Academic Programs
- PhD in Global Health: Metrics and Implementation Science
- PhD in Pathobiology
- Doctor of Global Health Leadership and Practice
- Master of Public Health
- School of Public Health Public Health-Global Health Major, with a Global Health option
- Undergraduate Global Health Minor
- School of Medicine Global Health Pathway
- Graduate Certificates

427 Faculty
Nationally and internationally recognized experts in their fields, representing 15 of 16 UW Schools and Colleges and 41 departments - a true campus-wide collaboration.

2450 Staff
2229 internationally based; 221 USA-based

A Diverse Student Body
Women  74%
Underrepresented minorities  14%
International  29%
Asia  16%
Africa  68%
Latin America  11%
North America - Canada  5%
(Incoming class 2019)

36+ Students receive DGH support each year for international experiences in more than 18 countries.

19,000 Professional Students in low- and middle-income countries trained through eDGH online courses (2019).

1300 Alumni from over 30 countries.

94% Job Placement
Percentage of graduates who are in jobs or postgraduate programs within 1 year of graduation (2017–18).

Employers include: multilateral and bilateral agencies including WHO, UNAIDS, and CDC; non-governmental organizations including the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, PATH, Partners in Health; national ministries of health; and local organizations worldwide.

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