Global Medicine (MS) Program Objectives

Upon completion of the Master of Science in Global Medicine program, students will:

1. Demonstrate an in-depth mastery of basic science concepts that are key to health professional training and practice
2. Be aware of criteria used to evaluate global health challenges and methods used to create innovative programming, responses, and solutions to such challenges, including ability to design a health intervention
3. Understand basic global health concepts as well as disease-specific challenges, treatments, and symptoms in a global context
4. Demonstrate an understanding of environmental and site-specific factors underlying the spread of diseases or chronic health issues for a given population
5. Be able to articulate the importance of global medicine considerations in a context of increased globalization and worldwide humanitarian need for health and healthcare services
6. Be prepared for further study in professional and graduate programs, or more informed work in a wide variety of fields including, but not limited to: medicine, dentistry, pharmacy, physician assistant studies, law, public health, epidemiology, international relations, business administration, healthcare administration, health education, etc.
7. Lead and participate in discussions relating to health policy, health promotion, and healthcare administration in countries outside of the United States while making cogent, thoughtful arguments with knowledge gained from course work and study