

Global Health (BS) Learning Objectives

Upon completion of the B.S. in Global Health, students will:

1. Understand globalization and its social and political underpinnings, with particular emphasis on effects on health and healthcare delivery among populations in distinct locations
2. Understand tools of statistical analysis and demonstrate competency in applying them to health behavior research to gain and interpret results
3. Understand basic and complex issues in international relations and factors that affect policy, government, and economic standing of individual nations as well as diplomatic relations
4. Be able to articulate the importance of cultural competence in healthcare settings and demonstrate an understanding of the cultural factors and variants in approaches to healthcare in various countries of the world, including challenges
5. Apply research skills to health-related research projects led by faculty investigators and health behavior research partners in the community
6. Be aware of professional applications of global health concepts and information, including in public health, healthcare, dentistry, and the allied health professions as well as international relations and policy
7. Be able to engage in debates, discussion, and compose essays that successfully support and explicate concepts and challenges in global health and its related fields
8. Be prepared for further study in professional and graduate programs 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, etc.

