MD999-20 Global Health (EUTOPIA)

26/27

Department
Warwick Medical School
Level
Taught Postgraduate Level
Module leader
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Credit value
20
Module duration
8 weeks
Assessment
100% coursework
Study location
University of Warwick main campus, Coventry

Description

Introductory description

This module focuses on learning about key global health issues and thinking about solutions. It is linked to the Global Health Connected Community of the European University Alliance EUTOPIA. Through this module, you will have the opportunity to engage with EUTOPIA to enrich your learning.

Module web page

Module aims

The module aims to give students a comprehensive knowledge and critique of key global health issues.

Outline syllabus

This is an indicative module outline only to give an indication of the sort of topics that may be covered. Actual sessions held may differ.

Online Learning resources - global burden of disease and the social determinants of health
Face-to-face Teaching covering the three main facets of Public Health: Health protection, Health

improvement and Health services in a global context:
Day One: Introduction, International Health Policy, Medical Ethics and Evidence-Based Medicine
Day Two: Health Protection
Day Three: Healthy Cities
Day Four: Right-to-food and Sustainability
Day Five: Gender Equality and Health Services

Learning outcomes

By the end of the module, students should be able to:

- 1. Understand the global burden of disease and social determinants of health.
- 2. Identify key global health issues relating to Health protection, Health improvement and Health services.
- 3. Formulate possible solutions to global health issues.
- 4. Evaluate the health effects of an event, policy, programme or project in a global context.

Indicative reading list

Reading lists can be found in Talis

Subject specific skills

Sound understanding of subject
Critically evaluate
Reflection

Transferable skills

Numeracy
Thinking and problem solving
written communication
oral communication
Teamwork
Organisation & time management
Use of tools and technology
Commercial awareness
Independence and initiative
Adaptability/Flexibility

Study

Study time

Type	Required
Lectures	27 sessions of 1 hour (14%)
Other activity	6 hours (3%)
Private study	165 hours (82%)
Assessment	2 hours (1%)
Total	200 hours

Private study description

167 in total (165 hours of self-directed learning+2 for assessment as per box below)

Other activity description

167 hours of self-directed learning including Global burden of disease and social determinants of health Quiz with signposted tailored learning resources and preparation for assessments
3 hours Group oral presentations
3 hours Poster presentations

Costs

No further costs have been identified for this module.

Assessment

You do not need to pass all assessment components to pass the module.

Assessment group A2

	Weighting	Study time	Eligible for self-certification
Assessment component			
Group Oral Presentation	20%	1 hour	No
Reassessment component is the same			
Assessment component			
Poster Presentation	80%	1 hour	No

	Weighting	Study time	Eligible for self-certification
Reassessment component is the same			

Feedback on assessment

Written feedback with the availability of face-to face personalised feedback.

Availability

Courses

This module is Optional for:

- Year 1 of TMDS-B9C2 Postgraduate Taught Health Research
- Year 1 of TMHS-B902 Public Health

This module is Option list A for:

- Year 1 of TMDS-B9C2 Postgraduate Taught Health Research
- Year 1 of TMHS-B902 Public Health