

ESSENTIALS OF GLOBAL HEALTH 24/FEB/2012

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DESCRIPTION

This introduction of global health program is designed for undergraduate students, including those who will devote to public health field, as well as those students who has never been involved with the public health field and will not study any other public health related courses.





OBJECTIVE

To ensure educated university graduates understand global health issues and their impact on our lives.





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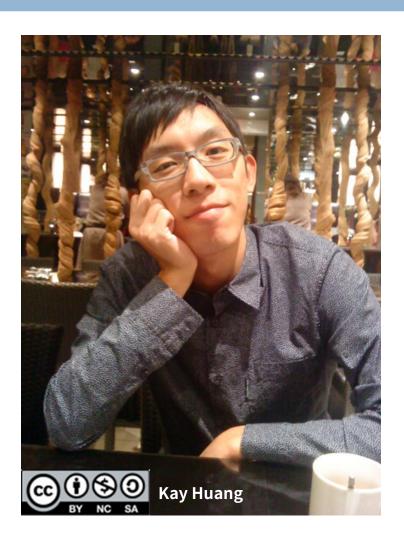
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VIDEO

DVD < RX FOR SURVIVAL- THE HEROES> 0:00~20:02

-Introduction(5:37)

-Two cent hero(14:25)

Rx for Survival — A Global Health Challenge is a Co-Production of the WGBH/NOVA Science Unit and Vulcan Productions, Inc.

http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/rxforsurvival/





- Which country is <u>not</u> on the top 10 highest life expectancy list?
 - (1) Japan
 - (2) Hong Kong
 - (3) Sweden
 - (4) USA



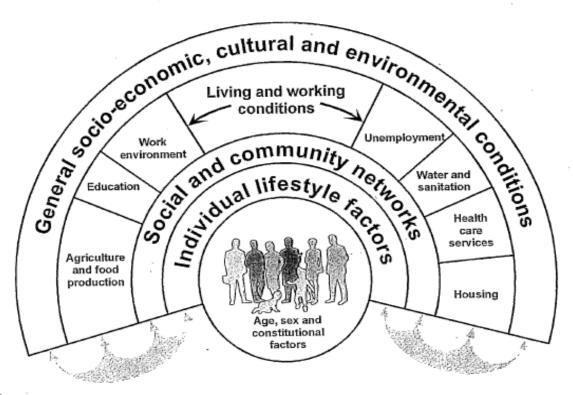


- How big is the gap between the highest and lowest life expectancy among countries worldwide?
 - (1) 10 years
 - (2) 20 years
 - (3) 30 years
 - (4) 40 years





- What is the maior determinant of health?
 - (1) wealth
 - (2) education
 - (3) life style
 - (4) heredity
 - (5) policy
 - (6) health service
 - (7) all of above





Dahlgren, Göran & Margaret Whitehead





- What does United Nations' "MDG" stands for?
 - (1) Million Dollar Growth
 - (2) Millennium Development Goal
 - (3) Milestone Development Group



ttp://mdg.ei.columbia.edu/east/





- Which organization is <u>not</u> a major global health actor?
 - (1) World Health Organization
 - (2) World Trade Organization
 - (3) World Bank
 - (4) Amnesty International
 - (5) Rockefeller Foundation





COURSE SCHEDULE

WEEK	DATE	LECTURE		
1	2/24	Introduction		
2	3/2	The principles and goals of global health (Prof. Chan)		
3	3/9	Measures of global health (Prof. Lin)		
4	3/16	Communicable disease (Prof. Lin)		
5	3/23	Global chat (TA)		
6	3/30	Global health issues (Prof. Chan)		
7	4/6	Spring holiday		
8	4/13	Inequalities in health (Prof. Cheng)		
9	4/20	Employment conditions, psychosocial stress and health (Prof. Cheng)		
10	4/27	Environment and health (Prof. Chan)		



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WEEK	DATE	LECTURE	
11	5/4	Poverty, health and people's movement (Mayeesha)	
12	5/11	Sick around the world (Prof. Chang, Hong-Jen)	
13	5/18	Big pharma and global health (Prof. Huang, Weng-Foung)	
14	5/25	Taiwan medical mission in Malawi (Dr. Yu, Joseph Kwong-Leung)	
15	6/1	Proposal preparation	
16	6/8	Proposal presentation I	
17	6/15	Proposal presentation II	





ASSIGNED READINGS

 Essentials of Global Health by Richard Skolnik (Jones & Bartlett Learning)





EVALUATION

- Attendant and participant 40%
- Assignments 40%
- Final project 20%



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