

Steps to complete the global health minor

- 1- Inform your academic advisor of your interest.
- 2- Meet with an Office of Global Affairs (OGA) advisor to discuss a plan.
To set up an appointment email: UMSN-GlobalOutreach@med.umich.edu
- 3- Work with OGA Advisor to complete forms to declare the minor, approval of global immersion, elective courses, pre-departure preparation and post-program follow-up.
- 4- UMSN undergraduate advisors will work with OGA to determine when all requirements for the concentration have been met.

OGA funding for travel:

Travel scholarships are available for currently enrolled nursing students.

Application deadlines:

November 1

March 1

Apply at mcompass.umich.edu



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Undergraduate global health minor **POPULATION HEALTH IN A GLOBAL CONTEXT**

Advancing the impact of nursing and midwifery locally, nationally, and globally



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Global Health Minor

Students may take courses that focus on a region, or examine global health through disciplines such as history, sociology, psychology, gender studies, or cultural anthropology.

Approved courses from other U-M units can fulfill the credit requirement in addition to nursing electives.

Foreign language study is not required, although students are encouraged to improve their language skills.

Requirements include:

- 15 credits of electives related to global health; must include NURS 420
- Approved global field experience
- Coursework must reflect at least three of the following competencies related to global health:
 - ▶ Understanding the global burden of disease
 - ▶ Health implications of migration, travel, and displacement
 - ▶ Social and environmental determinants of health
 - ▶ Globalization's effect on disease patterns and availability of health care workers
 - ▶ Impact of low resources on access to and provision of health care
 - ▶ Relationship between human rights and health



Undergraduate global health electives offered at the UMSN

3 credits

HS 225: Global Perspectives on the HIV and AIDS epidemic

Provides insights into the myriad of biological, sociocultural and political factors that shape individual knowledge and behavior, access to preventive and treatment modalities, as well as the political and international responses to the epidemic.

3 credits

HS 404: Gender-Based Violence: From Theory to Action

Students will develop the skills to think critically about the local and global impact of gender-based violence.

2-3 credits

NURS 420: Introduction to Global Health: Issues and Challenges

This seminar introduces global health concepts and the network of organizations working to advance healthcare internationally.

2 credits

NURS 421: Perspectives in Global Health

Seminar exploring issues that directly or indirectly affect health in low and middle resource countries.

1 - 3 credits

NURS 423: Offers an optional 3 week faculty-led field extension for an additional 1-3 credits.

3 credits

NURS 477: Cultural Aspects of Health and Illness

Attitudes and practices of patients and healthcare professionals of culturally diverse U.S. populations.

Students may take courses from other UM units: Each semester, Office of Global Affairs will release a document with approved elective courses from across UM units. Please contact Office of Global Affairs for more information.

UMSN Global Clinical Experiences

Recent Global Community / Reproductive Health options include:

- Copenhagen, Denmark
- Khon Kaen, Thailand
- Mbrara, Uganda
- New Delhi, India



To fulfill the global immersion requirement of the global health minor, you may choose from a variety of UM affiliated or non-UM affiliated programs. Please contact OGA for more information.