

# CONTEMPORARY GLOBAL HEALTH ISSUES

13 AUGUST TO 12 NOVEMBER 2018

EVERY MONDAY AFTERNOON 2PM TO 5PM

## COURSE COORDINATOR: ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR SRI CHANDER

A/P Sri Chander was the Regional Health Advisor, Asia-Pacific, for World Vision from 1987 to 2014, leading a regional team to provide technical support to World Vision Offices in 17 countries in the Asia-Pacific region. With a medical degree from NUS and a Master's of Public Health degree from the Johns Hopkins University Bloomberg School of Public Health, A/P Sri Chander has been involved in Global Health for 30 years.



## COURSE SYLLABUS

This course offers a panoramic overview of the evolving global health landscape in today's globalized society which is characterized by unprecedented inter-connectedness. Public health problems and consequences are now easily trans-national, if not global.

We will examine the changing paradigms, drivers and determinants of global health: the rapid demographic, epidemiological, geo-political, policy, structural, technological, cultural, financial and environmental changes, along with the threat of emerging infectious diseases & and pandemics, and of war and other humanitarian crises.

We will focus on key cross-cutting thematic areas linking Health and the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) such as:

- o Health and Governance
- o Health and Human Rights
- o Health and Development
- o Global Health Financing
- o Health and Security
- o Health and the Environment

**IDENTIFY** a few key learning messages that will be re-iterated throughout the module to provide an effective link between the key themes and an overall perspective of improving global health and its impact on poverty reduction.

**DISCUSS** fresh transdisciplinary approaches, policies and programs needed to address these challenges.

**EXPLORE** how a small country like Singapore, through Singaporean health professionals, can shape the emerging future of global health, and mitigate the negative impacts of development, while enhancing the quality of life of populations.

## WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Anyone interested in or are involved in global health policy, programming or advocacy.

## COURSE FEES

### SGD1337.50 (INCLUDING PREVAILING GST)

- ✓ Course fees include electronic lecture materials.
- ✓ Closing date for registration: **3 August 2018**
- ✓ Applications are on "first-come-first-serve" basis. Successful applicants will be informed by **6 AUGUST 2018**. Self-paying individuals should pay the fees no later than the first day of class. Sponsored individuals must get their HR consent and the fees would be billed directly to the organisation.
- ✓ No refunds will be given for any cancellation once the course has commenced. Replacement with another participant is permissible.
- ✓ The organizer reserves the right to cancel the course and fully refund the fees in the event of unforeseen circumstances.

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IF MINIMUM ATTENDANCE IS ACHIEVED.**

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