



Harvard School of Public Health – Summer Session for Public Health Studies
Special Summer Course Offering

Introduction to Global Health Care Delivery

PIH 532, 2.5 credits

Limited Enrollment: Deadline for Application is **April 1, 2008**

Summer Session 1: **July 1-25, 2008; Monday-Friday, 1:30-3:20PM**

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Guest Faculty: **Michael E. Porter, Harvard Business School**

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***Introduction to Global Health Care Delivery*** will engage students in the analysis of case studies that describe efforts to improve health care delivery in resource-poor settings. Classroom discussion of these cases will illuminate principles and frameworks for the design of effective global health interventions. Focusing primarily on HIV, tuberculosis, and polio, these cases will enable students to consider carefully the question of how factors such as epidemiology, culture, strategy, economics, and politics influence the design, implementation, and outcomes of global health programs. **Case study topics will include:**

- Rwandan rural health care delivery model
- HIV testing and treatment in Haiti
- AMPATH's HIV treatment program in Kenya
- BRAC's TB treatment program in Bangladesh
- Peru's national TB control program
- HIV prevention in Thailand

In addition to considering the context-specific challenges of each case, the course will develop analytic frameworks for understanding principles and lessons across settings.

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For application, guidelines, fees, and Summer Session information*, visit:
<http://www.hsph.harvard.edu/academics/public-health-studies/files/08HSPHFINAL.pdf>

The Summer Session application deadline has been extended to **April 1 for this course only**. Course enrollment is limited, with priority given to those with prior global health experience or clinical training.

*Course applicants must include course number (PIH 532) on the one-page of the application, and submit a one-page statement describing their interest in this course and its relevance to their work. Registration fee: \$125; Tuition: \$2,082.50.

