

## International Health and Development

### **INHL 6070: The Social Impact of HIV/AIDS**

#### Learning objectives:

1. Describe epidemiological trends in HIV/AIDS across and within geographic regions.
2. Examine and describe the basic biological and clinical aspects of HIV/AIDS transmission and disease course.
3. Assess and critique current funding mechanisms for combating HIV/AIDS globally.
4. Explore and apply contemporary approaches to understanding and addressing challenges to HIV/AIDS prevention, treatment, and support at multiple structural levels.
5. Identify and determine the impact of social determinants on the ability to facilitate effective HIV/AIDS prevention, treatment, and support.
6. Assess the strengths and weaknesses of current strategies for the prevention HIV/AIDS prevention, treatment, and support.
7. Examine the role of historical and cultural factors in the development of and response to the HIV/AIDS epidemic across geographic regions.
8. Identify most at-risk groups for HIV/AIDS, factors associated with increased vulnerability, and barriers to providing effective HIV prevention, treatment, and support to these populations.
9. Analyze and critique public health research methods and dissemination strategies related to HIV/AIDS interventions.
10. Conceptualize and develop innovative approaches to addressing HIV/AIDS prevention, treatment, and support.