

## **International Health and Development**

### **INHL 6750: Adolescent Health Policies and Programs**

Learning objectives:

At the end of the course students will be able to

1. Describe how social contexts and behavioral factors contribute to specific adolescent health outcomes.
2. Apply theory to adolescent health program development across different settings.
3. Identify and describe major policy issues and controversies surrounding specific program approaches to reducing adolescent health risk-taking.
4. Compare the types of interventions and policies that hold promise for preventing adolescent health risk-taking in various parts of the emerging and developed world.
5. Apply quantitative analytical methods commonly used to summarize adolescent health data.
6. Apply evidence-based approaches in the development of adolescent health interventions.
7. As a team, prioritize individual-level and community-level interventions for addressing adolescent health needs.
8. Develop adolescent health programs and strategies that are responsive to diverse cultural values and traditions of communities in developing countries.