

**International Health and Development
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INHL 604: Health and Economic Development

Learning Objectives:

By the end of the course, students will be able to:

1. Describe the concept of socioeconomic development
2. Analyze various dimensions of economic progress
3. Describe various methods of measuring population health status
4. Analyze the link between development indicators and health indicators
5. Identify countries showing better than expected and less than expected population health status, given the level of socioeconomic development of the countries.
6. Probe important factors explaining superior health achievement or poor health achievement
7. Measuring economic poverty and linking poverty with economic development
8. Evaluate various approaches of poverty alleviation strategies and the importance of health interventions in poverty alleviation.
9. Measure economic and social inequality, measure health inequality.
10. Assess the effect of inequality in distribution of income and assets on health outcomes.
11. Evaluate the potential effects of health programs on overall socioeconomic development.