



## GHHM Course South Asia 2021-2022



### WHY WE DO IT?

Developing countries are faced with a high burden of tropical diseases. While doctors in these countries have hands-on experience in managing these diseases, they are unable to build their expertise because of the high costs associated with a full-time post-graduate course and limited opportunities to pursue the same.

The Global Health and Humanitarian Medicine course (GHHM) is a part-time, online, blended learning course designed for medical doctors to provide high-quality training in tropical medicine and public health to improve patient and programmatic care in low-and-middle-income countries, including humanitarian crisis contexts.



### WHO IS IT FOR?

A qualified medical doctor with more than two years of work experience who is willing to commit 6-8 hours of self-directed learning per week.



### WHAT WE DO?

You will learn about:

- Tropical medicine and other public health priorities in low-and-middle-income countries
- Humanitarian medical interventions

The teaching will prepare you to take the Diploma in Tropical Medicine & Hygiene (DTM&H) examination held by the Royal College of Physicians (RCP) UK. The DTM&H exam should be held in April 2022 but is subject to re-scheduling by RCP depending on circumstances

### HOW WE DO IT?

The program covers about 350 hours of learning over ten months through:

- Weekly seminars
- Online quizzes
- Group-based case discussions
- Online videos
- minimum of 12 hours parasitology laboratory teaching



Students are required to travel for the laboratory training either to India, Netherlands, South Africa, or the United Kingdom. At the same time, the DTM&H exam could be taken either in India or in the UK. However due to Covid-19 situation, the laboratory trainings were organized virtually by the RCP accredited laboratories in India, Netherlands, South Africa, and the United Kingdom. The DTM&H examination of 2021 will also be organized virtually on June 8, 2021. If the situation continues to be similar, same may apply for 2021-22 Cohort.