

The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Syllabus

Health Promotion - 95141

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HU Credits: 1

<u>Degree/Cycle:</u> 2nd degree (Master)

Responsible Department: Public Health - International Prog.

<u>Academic year:</u> 0

Semester: 2nd Semester

Teaching Languages: English

Campus: Ein Karem

Course/Module Coordinator: Dr. Osnat Keidar

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Teaching Staff:

Dr. Osnat Keidar

Course/Module description:

Elective course in community health promotion for IMPH students

Course/Module aims:

- To gain knowledge and understanding of the settings for health approach and its importance in health promotion processes.
- To gain the knowledge and ability to integrate community models of health behavior into community interventions.
- To acquire understanding, knowledge and skills of working with communities in the process of improving their health.
- To acquire knowledge of models and approaches of community work for health promotion.

<u>Learning outcomes - On successful completion of this module, students should be able to:</u>

- Understand and apply the settings for health approach in health promotion activities.
- Understand and apply different approaches, models and strategies of community health promotion and community work.
- Critically read scientific papers that deal with development and evaluation of settings for health and community health promotion

Attendance requirements(%):

Active participation in class

Teaching arrangement and method of instruction: Lectures, group discussions and group work, class and home exercise. In Korona time, distance learning

Course/Module Content:

- Social marketing
- Social advocacy
- Community building
- · concept, principles and examples
- Ecological models of health behavior
- Planning Model- Precede-Proceed- implementation
- Diffusion of innovations

- Building coalitions
- Social resilience
- Culturally appropriate community programs
- Positive deviant inquiry
- Community-Based Participatory Health Research
- Community empowerment

Required Reading:

- Community Organization & community building for health, Edited by Minkler M, Rutgers University Press, 1999.
- Glanz K., Rimer K. B., Lewis F.M. (2008) Health behavior & health education: Theory research and practice. Jossey- Bass. 4th edition
- Dooris, M., Healthy settings: challenges to generating evidence of effectiveness. Health Promotion International, 2005. 21(1): p. 55-65
- Chaskin R J: BUILDING COMMUNITY CAPACITY, A Definitional Framework and Case Studies from a Comprehensive Community Initiative. Urban Affairs Review 2001; 36; 291-323.
- Marsh, D.R., et al., The power of positive deviance. BMJ, 2004. 329(7475): p. 1177-9.

Additional Reading Material:

- Heaney CA, Israel BA: Social networks and social support, In: Glanz K et al (ed.) Health behavior and health education, theory, research and practice, Jossey-Bass, 2008, pp189-207.
- Letcher AS, Perlow KM: Community-Based Participatory Research Shows How a Community Initiative Creates Networks to Improve Well-Being. Am J Prev Med 2009;37:S292-S299
- Maguire B and Cartwright S: Assessing a community's capacity to manage change: A resilience approach to social assessment, 2008, Australia
- Van Vlaenderen H and Neves D: Community development: building on contradiction. Community Development Journal 2011; 46 S1: i83-i95
- Simmons A, Reynolds R.C, Boyd Swinburn B: Defining community capacity building: Is it possible? Preventive Medicine 2011; 52:193–199
- Lapping, K., et al., The positive deviance approach: challenges and opportunities for the future. Food Nutr Bull, 2002. 23(4 Suppl): p. 130-7.
- Lohrmann, D.K., A Complementary Ecological Model of the Coordinated School Health program. Journal of School Health, 2010. 80(1): p. 1-9.

Course/Module evaluation:

End of year written/oral examination 0 %
Presentation 0 %
Participation in Tutorials 0 %
Project work 0 %
Assignments 100 %
Reports 0 %
Research project 0 %
Quizzes 0 %
Other 0 %

Additional information:

None