

GLOBAL HEALTH, BS

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Each student is assigned an academic advisor who works to understand student goals and helps each student shape their unique Wisconsin Experience and make the most of their time at UW–Madison. Advisors also provide students career advising, as well as resources and guidance on planning for post-college activities such as graduate/professional school and “gap year” experiences.

Connect with Global Health Advisors (<https://globalhealth.cals.wisc.edu/advising/>)

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

The knowledge and skills developed through the global health major prepare students for success in a wide range of careers. Global health students are prepared to become physicians, nurses, researchers, public health officials, policy makers, data analysts, administrators, non-profit employees, educators, and communications specialists in fields related to public health, epidemiology, environmental health, and international development.

Examples of employers seeking individuals with global health training include international agencies (such as the World Health Organization); federal agencies (such as the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention); state and county health departments (such as the Wisconsin Department of Health Services); non-profit organizations (such as the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation), hospitals; universities; research centers; and biotech companies.