



Online Course

Health and Migration

Organisers: Department of Social Work and Social Administration, The School of Social Sciences, Makerere University and the Center for Health and Migration, Vienna, Austria

Course Dates: 16, 18, 23, 25 February 2021 and 2, 4, 9, 11, 16, 18 March 2021

Background

The Center for Health and Migration in Vienna, Austria, and the Department of Social Work and Social Administration, The School of Social Sciences, Makerere University in Kampala, in close cooperation with stakeholders at international, national and sub-national level, have jointly developed a course on Health and Migration.

The course focuses on the nexus of health and migration in an interdisciplinary approach and in relation to good migration governance.

Participants

The course targets academic staff, graduate students, policy makers, programme managers, civil society professionals, and health and social care professionals working in communities, cross-border settings and refugee settlements.

Facilitators

The course facilitators are experts in migration health with broad experience in migration and health policy development and practice, have taught in various Universities in Africa and Europe. They bring a wealth of experience in migration health programming across the East and Southern Africa.



Course programme

The following topics will be addressed in online lectures, discussions, case studies and group work:

- Key concepts in migration and migration health
- Theories in migration and migration health
- The global context for migration
- regional, and local contexts for migration / South-South migration
- South-North migration: the case of Europe, esp. Austria: legal regulations regarding migration and policies towards irregular migration
- Health and human rights of migrants
- Migration decision and motivations
- Social protection of migrants and left-behind children and elderly
- Gender issues in migration, including the role of women and families
- Sexual and reproductive health
- Migration health and communicable diseases
- Migration and key non-communicable diseases and conditions
- Mental Health and psychosocial support
- Migration and health in humanitarian and complex emergency settings
- Migration health in times of global pandemics, such as COVID-19 and Ebola

Participants will be provided with reference material for each session.

Certificate: A certificate is issued upon attendance of 70% of sessions and delivery of two course papers of not more than four pages each.

Fees: The course is funded by the Austrian Federal Ministry of the Interior. Therefore, there are no fees required.

For more information, please contact:

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Application

Please provide the following information:

1. Name
2. Affiliation
3. Position
4. Academic qualifications
5. Contact details (telephone, e-mail)
6. Country of residence
7. Motivation to attend the course (1 page max.)
8. Short CV

Deadline for submission: **January 25, 2021**

Please send your application to pbukuluki@gmail.com and sonja.novak-zezula@c-hm.com.