

# COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH

# **COURSE ANNOUNCEMENT**

#### CERTIFICATE COURSE IN DISASTER RESILIENCE LEADERSHIP (DRL)

**Main Organizer:** MakSPH **Application Deadline:** 31st July,2024

**Course Type:** E-learning/Online/Distance **Running Dates:** 5<sup>th</sup> August-31<sup>st</sup> October, 2024

#### **BACKGROUND**

The increasing severity of disaster incidents negatively affects the population. Ground-level practitioners need more effective leadership and knowledge in disaster risk management (DRM) and resilience to address the burden of disaster incidents effectively. Makerere University School of Public Health (MakSPH) therefore, brings you this course that focuses on developing a new generation of disaster resilience leaders and strengthening the capacity of existing leaders in the field of DRM in order to increase their effectiveness and involvement in disaster risk management.

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#### **Course Structure**

The 3-month course has six (6) modules:

**Module1:** Disaster Risk Management

Module2: Leadership in Disaster Risk Management

**Module 3:** Resilience-Why it Matters

Module 4: Climate Change - A case study for disaster risk

management

Module 5: Analytics in Disaster Risk Management

**Module 6:** Monitoring & Evaluation in DRM

# **Mode of Delivery**

**Online**. The course includes case studies, valuable readings for further in-depth knowledge, exercises/assignments, and discussions with peers and experts.

#### **Assessment**

To qualify for the certificate, participants should complete compulsory coursework or projects as part of continuous assessment, followed by an online oral final exam.

# **Application Requirements**

This course is designed for professionals, practitioners, academics, and leaders in disaster resilience, humanitarian work, and development programming.

## **Application Procedure:**

- Application forms can be downloaded from our website: https://sph.mak.ac.ug/academics/certificate-course-disaster-resilience-leadership or the Admission Focal Person can be contacted at drl@musph.ac.ug.
- A recommendation from one referee, copies of the relevant academic transcripts and certificates should be attached and then emailed to the Admission Focal Person

## Who should apply?

The course is open to Ugandans and non Ugandans

- Applicants should possess a minimum of a Bachelor's University degree or its equivalent
- Computer literate and have regular internet access (not provided in this course)
- Fluent in English
- Upon admission, the participant must pay part or full tuition fees before being registered on the course

#### **Fees and funding for course**

Ugandan Participants1,500,000 UGXNon-Ugandans500 USD

#### Contacts

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