The Center for Global Health aims to leverage the Hampton Roads Community’s strength in education, research and service, to improve the health and quality of life for people locally and around the world. The mission of the center is to positively impact health and well-being of populations through collaboration with faculty, students, communities and partners.

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International Fair

The Center for Global Health hosted a booth at the ODU international fair to promote the center’s current global health initiatives and projects. The international fair included multicultural food vendors, diverse cultural performances and a wide-range of displays. Also, many items were for sale including handmade items such as jewelry, clothing and crafts.

Religion, Ethics and Beginning of Life

In this lecture series, Dr. Gerard Magill and Dr. Jonathan K. Crane discussed bioethical issues in Healthcare. The Center for Global Health sponsored this event with Institute for Jewish Studies and Interfaith Understanding. In this open discussion, topics examined were: the changing meaning of informed consent, human genetics and biotechnology, organ donation, controversies over long-term care and many other controversial topics.

A journey Across Nations

This event was hosted by the Women’s Studies Department & co-sponsored by The Center for Global Health. During this event, Dr. Jaya Earnest, discussed the areas of gender, health inequity and the social determinants of health and participatory research. Using her own experience as a mentor, researcher, leader and woman to explore these topics.
The Center for Global Health hosted an information session in March, 2015 about Graduate Certificate in Global Health. This information session outlined everything from the application process, requirement for enrollment.

Health Ethics: War and Trauma

The Center for Global Health co-sponsored this event with Institute for Jewish Studies and Interfaith Understanding, and the Department of History.

UNIFOR Workshop

Dr. Akpinar-Elci discussed “What is Global Health” at this workshop.

Upcoming Events

- Workshop sponsored by PAHO and WHO, September 2015
- UVA Graduate School Fair, September 2015
- Environmental Analysis to Achieve: Environmental and Public Health Protection; Regulatory Compliance; and a Better proposed Action, September 2015
- WHO/PAHO Collaborating Centers Meeting, October 2015
- Information Session for Brazil, November 2015