





DISEASE ELIMINATION & ERADICATION COURSE (DEEC)



In 2025, the Global Insitute for Disease Elimination (GLIDE) will launch an updated iteration of DEEC in collaboration with The Carter Center, and the University of Global Health Equity (UGHE). To accommodate growing interest and increase accessibility, the course will be held at the UGHE campus in Rwanda.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Throughout the course, participants will delve into the fundamental principles of disease elimination and eradication. Collaboratively and in country teams, participants will develop strategies tailored to specific country contexts.



Principles of Elimination and Eradication



Health Systems Strengthening and Integration



Behavioural Theories

COURSE OBJECTIVES

- Enhance course participants' understanding of the core principles of disease elimination and eradication.
- Develop strategies for the elimination and eradication of infectious diseases, particularly NTDs, polio, and malaria, through the analysis of challenges and lessons learned.



Ethics of Elimination and Eradication



Community Engagement



Systems Thinking

Please note that the course will be conducted in English

COUNTRY TEAMS

- Minimum 2-3 people per country.
- Engaged in, or are interested in, building skills and competencies for infectious disease elimination and eradication strategy development, with a focus on NTDs, malaria and polio.
- Mid-career professionals with comparable years of experience
- Represent the following:
 - Disease program managers (NTDs, malaria or polio) or other Ministry of Health staff
 - Public health professionals from NGOs (could include UN Agencies, National governments, Faith-based organizations, Private for-profit organizations)
 - Academia inclusion of young researchers focused on integration.

SCHOLARSHIP SUPPORT

- The course fees can be covered including housing and travel costs for selected number of professional applicants based on merit and need.
- Other organizations are encouraged to provide financial support to public health professionals.

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Application Deadline: Monday, March 31, 2025