

HLED 5023

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Using Epidemiology to Build Healthier Communities

3 credits, online, asynchronous



UW Community & Public Health

Living through an infectious disease pandemic has introduced many people to the term epidemiology, “the study of the distribution and determinants of health-related states and events in specified populations... [and] the application of this study to the control of health problems” ([CDC](#)). In this course, you will learn how to accurately interpret and weigh the evidence for any public health issue and will be required to apply this knowledge to a specific public health topic of your choosing. At the end of the course you will have new insight into what our best decisions might be based on available evidence.

This is a required course for the UW
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