The Center for Global Health and Social Responsibility (CGHSR) is a Unit of the Academic Health Center (AHC) established to advance global health research and education.

**Our Portfolios**

**Network**
Advance networks of affiliated sites focused on global health to support transdisciplinary education, research, and engagement.
- Develop Hubs of Innovation around the world, built on existing relationships, to offer infrastructure for partnered global health research and education.
- Operate the Uganda Hub and convene the Minnesota-Uganda Partnerships group.
- Assess and evaluate strategic alliances through a quality improvement program.

**Research**
Catalyze effective global health research at the U of M, as well as in CGHSR networks and hubs.
- Pursue and distribute seed funding for research.
- Convene multidisciplinary groups to pursue grant opportunities.
- Connect researchers to each other and to resources.
- Host the International Research Series to highlight best practices in planning and implementing global health research studies.
- Administer the Fogarty Global Health Fellowship.

**Education**
Champion transdisciplinary opportunities to exchange knowledge and expand abilities of teachers and learners for the advancement of global health.
- Host the annual Global Health Case Competition and sponsor global health lectures and seminars.
- Support the development of courses and placements to prepare learners to advance global health.
- Deliver education programs in India, Ecuador, Thailand, and in Minnesota.
- Provide student scholarships at home and abroad.

**Capacity**
Strengthen the systems and infrastructure supporting global health research and education at the U of M AHC.
- Explore new models for supporting and delivering global health education and research.
- Convene partners for collaboration, information sharing, and strengthening of resources via our Leadership Council, Global Health Student Advisory Board (GHSAB), and other groups.
- Showcase global health via the Global Health Impact Map, Global Health Day, and other venues.
- Coordinate International Travel Experience Management System (ITEMS), an AHC student management system.

**Vision**
One Health One Science One World

**Mission**
Focus and strengthen the impact of the U of M’s global land grant mission with regard to health issues at the interface of humans, animals and ecosystems.
We accomplish this by facilitating transdisciplinary partnerships and collaborations across the U of M and worldwide.

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