

## GLOBAL HEALTH DELIVERY LEADERSHIP PROGRAM (GHDLP)

Cohesive, high-functioning health care organizations require leaders equipped with the tools to tackle complex delivery challenges and create impactful solutions. The Global Health Delivery Leadership Program (GHDLP) helps health program managers and executives to realize their full leadership potential. Through a dynamic and immersive learning experience, you will gain the skills and insights you need to develop and manage high-value, equitable health programs.



GHDLP 2022 participants visit Butaro District Hospital in Northern Rwanda.  
Photo by Alain Patrick Hirwa.

## ABOUT UNIVERSITY OF GLOBAL HEALTH EQUITY

The University of Global Health Equity (UGHE) is a groundbreaking health sciences university in Rwanda that is training the next generation of global health leaders through a novel emphasis on the science and practice of health care delivery. Established by Partners In Health, UGHE is a private, accredited university that leverages expertise from Harvard Medical School, Tufts University and other exceptional partners to create a global forum for delivery-focused teaching, research, policy, and implementation.

## PROGRAM DESIGN

Developed in collaboration with the Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria, GHDLP is a six-month certificate course for emerging leaders and technical experts in Ministries of Health and non-governmental and civil society organizations. The program combines sessions offering foundational skills in management and leadership with case-based and field learning that explore real-world delivery challenges and innovative solutions, equipping you with the skills you need to deliver value-based health programs in your own context.

## PROGRAM MODULES

### Global Health Care Delivery

Explore frameworks for effective interventions by immersing yourself in interactive case studies from diverse global settings. Analyze the historical, political, social and economic contexts to make better decisions. Develop a foundation in value-based health care delivery.

### Program Management

What do great managers do? Learn how to work more efficiently and how to manage teams, programs, and organizations for high performance. Practice methods of strategic problem solving. Develop strategies to cultivate and coordinate partners, as well as to promote country ownership.

### Personal Leadership Development

Unlock your true leadership potential. Complete a leadership self assessment, explore universal leadership skills and understand the practice of “managing oneself.” You will develop a personal leadership plan to catalyze your professional growth.

### Replicable Delivery Innovations

Explore innovative solutions to complex health care delivery challenges that your organization may face. Learn first hand from the architects of Rwanda’s health system and other proven leaders. Identify success factors and replicable interventions that may be adapted and applied in your setting.

## WHAT MAKES GHDLP UNIQUE?

### Active Learning

Using the renowned Harvard Business School Case Method, you will place yourself in the seats of chief decision makers as you analyze and discuss Global Health Delivery cases from around the world.

### Experiential Learning

Too often, good policies fail because they are disconnected from front-line health workers and communities. By spending one week each in Kigali city and Partners In Health's headquarters in rural Rwanda, you will bridge the divide through field visits to health facilities and community programs. For example, after learning about effective community health systems in the classroom, you will walk with community health workers to gain practical wisdom and understand the broader context of effective health programs.

### Diverse Faculty

Learn from Harvard global health experts and experienced, successful leaders from Rwanda and beyond.

### Global Network

Your greatest learning resources at GHDLP are your peers from around the world. Continue learning and sharing after the program ends through virtual mentorship from UGHE faculty and an online community of practice for program alumni.



Learners in UGHE's October 2022 Global Health Delivery Leadership Program participate in a group activity.  
Photo by Alain Patrick Hirwa for UGHE.

## BREAKTHROUGH PROJECT

The Breakthrough Project allows you to immediately apply GHDLP insights, tools, and expertise to address global health delivery challenges in unique settings. Participants meet throughout the two-week Rwanda residency to identify a challenge and to design a Breakthrough Project proposal to address it. Teams present their proposals on the final day of the residential intensive and then enter a six-month mentorship period. Teams will reconvene at the end of the six months to present their Breakthrough Projects to their GHDLP peers and UGHE faculty mentors, to share their lessons learned and outline the way forward for their projects, and to solidify the GHDLP alumni learning network they began building during the residential training.

## WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

GHDLP is designed for emerging leaders and technical experts working as program managers, directors, or executives in Ministries of Health and non-governmental organizations. Participants should oversee both people and programs, and demonstrate a commitment to global health equity.

Eligibility for the current program is limited to emerging leaders from Global Fund implementing partners in priority countries. Admission preference will be given to applicants engaged in Global Fund-funded health programs, and requires continued engagement in these programs for at least six months after completion of the GHDLP course.

**“ In global health, we often know the right thing to do but struggle to know the right way to do it. Achieving success requires new resources, innovation, and research about implementation methods. ”**

*- Dr. Paul Farmer, Co-Founder and Chief Strategist, Partners In Health*