

Supercourse newsletter
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Dear Friend,

Please share with your students and faculty. Our mission is to teach all students in public health, Medicine, Nursing and health professions the WHO Definition of Health

A few years ago I was surprised to find that many of my students in public health did not know the WHO definition of health. Every year since then at the beginning of the school year we ask students in health to to share world wide the WHO definition with each other, especially new students. I would appreciate if you could have this distributed to your students and ask them to share it with their friends.

"Health is a state of complete physical, mental, and social well-being and not merely the absence of disease or infirmity". (WHO)

Eugene Shubnikov from Russia developed a wonderful poster which presents the definition translated into the 6 UN languages as well 25 other languages. Please suggest that your students include this in face book and distribute, as well as to print it and hang it your school.

<http://www.pitt.edu/~super1/globalhealth/What%20is%20Health.htm>

Thanks so much, from the Supercourse team Best Regards, Faina, Ron, Zhaksybai, Shalkar, Sholpan, Aiym, Kyle, Sean, Rob, Eugene, Francois, Nicholas, Ohanyido, Gil, Mita, Ismail, Eric, Kawkab, Vint, Ali, Olga, Maria, Eman