

**Our Mission**

To work in partnership with underserved global communities to improve health and well-being through inter-professional service, learning and scholarship.

**Service Learning Opportunities through the Office of Global Health**

Students are eligible to participate in service learning opportunities through multiple avenues. Rush has pre-approved sites (Dominican Republic and Haiti) and structured trips on which students can participate (RISE). There are additional pre-approved locations (India & AAMC Visiting Student Learning Opportunities sites) available for medical students enlisted in the Global Health elective. Opportunities for the 2018-2019 primary care and surgical service trips are available on the Global Health webpage ([www.rushu.rush.edu/about/faculty-affairs/global-health](http://www.rushu.rush.edu/about/faculty-affairs/global-health)) with details.

Applications for primary care and surgical trips to the Dominican Republic and Haiti are available in the spring and due in June. Interdisciplinary teams consist of 8-20 volunteers. The costs of these trips are approximately \$1500. This includes: lodging, food, in country transportation, project costs and airfare. The office of Global Health may provide up to \$850 for students participating in pre-approved service trips and the M4 Global Health elective.

**M4 Elective**

In order to be eligible for scholarship and credit, students enrolled in the medical college must take the Global Health elective and serve in an approved site. Contact Dr. Mariam Aziz to enroll.

**Rush Interdisciplinary Service Experience (RISE)**

Rise provides a structured curriculum and scholarly focus to the community service component of the service experience. Each year there is a different project, which is conducted over spring break. To get comprehensive details on this year's project and logistical details, visit the RISE page (<https://www.rushu.rush.edu/rush-interdisciplinary-service-experience-rise>)



### Global Health Symposium

The Global Health Symposium is an opportunity for students, faculty and staff to showcase their research and experience in global health. Opportunities to network with others in the global health field are also available at the closing reception event.

This year's symposium will take place March 18-21, 2019. Call for presentations and/or poster session begins in November. Volunteers are also needed for this event.

### Rush Initiative for Global Health Thinking (RIGHT)

RIGHT seeks to introduce and cultivate an interest in global health and global health medicine within the Rush University community by promoting awareness of current issues in the practice of global health and medicine through lectures and forums and by advertising international medical experiences available to Rush University students, residents, and attending physicians.



### Art for Health

Art for Health is an annual fundraising event that helps to raise funds for student scholarships for service learning trips.

This Year's event will incorporate art and music from local, Haitian and Dominican communities.

**Oct. 5, 2018 6-10p.m.**

Lacuna Lofts

2150 South Canalport, Chicago, IL

Costs: \$75 General admission

\$65 Students/Residents

If you would like more information regarding Global Health trips or activities contact, [Global\\_Health@rush.edu](mailto:Global_Health@rush.edu).

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