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Global Health gives researchers, students and practitioners unparalleled access to all the world's relevant public health research and practice – providing knowledge across borders and disciplines

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Global Health is the only specialist bibliographic, abstracting and indexing database dedicated to public health, completing the picture of international medical and health research by capturing key literature that is not covered by other databases. **Global Health** was created to ensure that key literature from all sources can be brought quickly and easily to the attention of those working in public and global health.

key features

- Global reach: captures international literature not covered by other databases, providing users with a truly global perspective
- **Unique**: 51% of the journals contained in Global Health are not in PubMed: around 70% are not in Medline or Embase
- **Specially selected**: literature is selected by subject specialists. Only relevant papers are included, and content is directed by an international editorial advisory board
- **Comprehensive**: the interdisciplinary database covers all aspects of public health at both international and community level, as well as a wealth of material from other biomedical and life science fields
- **Fulltext**: Global Health provides selected full-text content of journals, reports and conferences from hard-to-find sources



key facts

- Fully searchable bibliographic database, available on multiple platforms
- Contains over 3 million scientific records from 1973 to the present day
- Around 190,000 records added each year
- Information is sourced from more than 7,200 serials, books, book chapters, reports, conference proceedings, patents, theses, electronic publications and other hard-to-find resources. Embase has around 2,900 titles not in Medline, whilst Global Health has more than 5,200 not in Medline
- Covers journals from major lists, including:
 - BMA (British Medical Association)
 - Evidence-Based Practice for Public Health (Lamar Soutter Library, Massachusetts)
 - Core Public Health Journals Project (US Medical Library Association)
 - World Public Health Association
- Supports sustainable public health practice
- Supports evidence-based practice and systematic reviews
- Supports core competencies
- Publications from over 100 countries in over 50 languages are abstracted; 96% of records have an English abstract, 16% are from non-English language sources and 28% are focussed on developing countries
- Controlled vocabulary indexing to improve retrieval
- Over 86,000 full text articles

Data correct November 2017

Figure 1 showing unique journal coverage compared to Embase and Medline

coverage

Public health

Community health Ethics Evidence-based medicine Health inequalities, social medicine and behaviour Healthy ageing Implementation and practice Maternal, child and adolescent health One Health Public health genomics Refugee, migrant and indigenous health Rural health Sexual and reproductive health Tobacco control Urbanisation Women's health

Health promotion and Wellness

Community health programmes Disease and injury prevention Health communication, incl. social media

Tropical and international health

International health Neglected tropical diseases Traditional medicine Travel medicine Tropical medicine Tropical public health

Public health emergencies and preparedness

Bioterrorism Disasters, crises and conflicts Mass migration

Epidemiology and biostatistics

Biostatistics Epidemiology

Environmental and occupational health

Environmental health, pollution and climate change Food fraud, safety and hygiene Occupational health Sanitation and water supply

Nutrition

Clinical nutrition Food security Public health nutrition and healthy eating Nutritional physiology and biochemistry

Infectious and vector-borne diseases and parasitology

Bacterial and viral diseases Fungal and parasitic diseases Medical entomology and mycology Nosocomial diseases Vaccination and drug resistance Zoonotic disease and veterinary public health

Diagnosis and therapy of disease

Infectious, parasitic and chronic diseases Nutritional therapy and phytotherapy

Health systems

Health economics Health policy, planning and impact assessment Health services and surveillance

Chronic diseases and injuries

Epidemiology of cancer, heart disease and other chronic diseases Diet influences on chronic diseases Management of chronic disease in resource poor settings Mental health Prevention of chronic disease Risk factors for chronic diseases Screening programmes

Biomedical life sciences

Food science Medical microbiology Pharmacology and toxicology

"Global Health is a great resource that complements MEDLINE and brings a needed international perspective."

Matt Wilcox, Edward and Barbara Netter Library, Quinnipiac University, USA

"I have used Global Health to teach information skills to public health PhD students from a number of African countries who benefit from its coverage."

> **John Eyers**, Information Specialist, trainer & adviser. Formerly Librarian (London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine), UK

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