The greatest grand challenge for any Scientist is discovering how to prevent the spread of HIV and finding the cure or an effective vaccine for AIDS.’

- Philip Emeagwali

Online—Short Courses
The Online-Short Courses take a duration of approx. 7 weeks.
Specialization
Courses offered include:-
• Epidemiology and Biostatistics
• Advanced Epidemiology and Biostatistics
• Global Health Leadership and Management
• Resource Mobilization and Grant Writing
• Health Informatics and Data Management
• Cost Benefit Analysis of Health Programs

Target
Health Care Workers and Professionals.

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Collaborating Universities

University of Nairobi
HIV Capacity Building Fellowship
(UHIV Fellowship)

Partners
UHIV Fellowship

Brief Description
The UoN HIV Capacity Building Fellowship (UHIV Fellowship) targets health-care workers and organizations at all levels of HIV service provision in Kenya. The main aim is to provide them with complex skills and competencies through fellowship and medium term training as well as with multiple basic skills through targeted short term training programs. The partnership of academic institutions (UoN and UW) with a global leader in institutional capacity building (MSH) is well placed to address trainee and organizational gaps to achieve an effective, locally led and managed HIV response.

Courses

Long-Term Fellowship
Course Duration
The long term fellowship is a 2 year course (6 months class–based training; 18 months experiential learning).

Specialization
It is divided into 5 tracks:
- HIV Program Management
- Health Informatics
- Health Economics
- Epidemiology and Biostatistics
- Monitoring and Evaluation

Target
The fellowship targets mid to senior level professionals in the different tracks.

Admission Requirements
Masters degree recognized by the Senate of the University of Nairobi.

Medium-Term Training
Course Duration
The medium term fellowship is a 6-month course (3 months class-based training; 3 months experiential learning).

Specialization
It is divided into 2 tracks:
- Quality Management
- Monitoring and Evaluation

Target
The fellowship targets mid level professionals in the different tracks.

Short-Term Face-to-face Training
Course Duration
The Short Term Face-to-face Training is a less than 2 months course.

Specialization
Depends on the identified immediate gaps within the Participating Local Partners. Courses offered include:
- Resource Mobilization and Grant Writing
- Biostatistics
- Introduction to Health Informatics
- Health Communication
- ICT and Project Management
- Epidemiology
- Leadership and Management
- Financing of Health Care
- Efficiency in Health Care Delivery
- Monitoring and Evaluation
- Grant Management

Target
All cadres of training; Diploma Level

UHIV Fellowship Goal
To develop and implement a sustained national training program that builds the capacity of Kenyan Healthcare workers and local organizations through an academic model of training to support the transition of HIV programs to local organizations in alignment with the Kenya National AIDS Strategic Plan.

‘We live in a completely inter-dependent world, which means we cannot escape each other. How we respond to AIDS depends, in part, on whether we understand this interdependence. It is not someone else’s problem. This is everybody’s problem.’
- Bill Clinton