

Guatemalans struggle with some of the greatest health barriers in Central America. The country has the fourth highest rate of chronic malnutrition in the world, high maternal and child mortality, and a large prevalence of diabetes and heart diseases. Many of these health problems are concentrated in the lower socioeconomic levels of the country, which largely includes the indigenous Maya. Students participating in this course will have a firsthand opportunity to provide care to patients across a wide and culturally diverse span of the population. Students will learn strategies to effectively advocate on behalf of patients, families, and underserved people to challenge policies that create health disparities. Experiences will occur in both urban and rural settings, providing a unique and robust perspective on health care in Guatemala.



# COURSE (1 credit)

**NURS 5899** 



### **PROGRAM FEE**

\$3,430 + airfare, personal expenses

Scholarships available!



## TRAVEL DATES

April 11-23, 2026



## APP DEADLINE

October 15, 2025

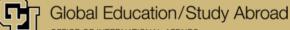


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