COURSE DETAIL

MEDICAL ANTHROPOLOGY: LOCAL AND GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES

Country

Australia

Host Institution

University of Queensland

Program(s)

University of Queensland

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Health Sciences Anthropology

UCEAP Course Number

115

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

MEDICAL ANTHROPOLOGY: LOCAL AND GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES

UCEAP Transcript Title

MEDICAL ANTHROPOLGY

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

Medical anthropology is the study of how health and illness are shaped, experienced, and understood in light of global, historical, and political forces. This course introduces foundational concepts, theories, and methods in medical anthropology and the anthropology of health and illness. The course illuminates how anthropological approaches and methods are applied to understanding and improving contemporary health challenges. It reflects on health inequalities and identifies key debates among anthropologists about various ways to approach and address illness.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

ANTH2250

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Campus

Queensland

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Anthropology

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