As health disparities among nations increase, the issues affecting global health are now more pressing than ever. We are committed to developing physicians with a clear understanding of the most pressing global healthcare needs of the twenty-first century.

The Kenya Project enables us to engage in meaningful exchange with Kenyan physicians, medical students and community members. We will gain first-hand public health and healthcare delivery experience in an economically-deprived region.

The experiences we take back home will inspire our work as the clinicians, researchers, and leaders of the future.

What can you do?

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To Learn How!
THE KENYA PROJECT strives to improve global health by facilitating intercultural experiences in healthcare that educate and enrich future physicians.

What Is The Kenya Project?

Founded in 2007, The Kenya Project is a partnership between the UC Davis School of Medicine and the University of Nairobi School of Medicine. Our mission is the promotion of cultural exchange and global solidarity. Through education, collaboration, and hands-on experience, we will create future physician-leaders prepared to actively face the global challenges of the twenty-first century.

During the summer, participants of The Kenya Project will:

Travel to Kenya for one month as part of an approved UC Davis School of Medicine summer elective.

Partner with faculty and students from the University of Nairobi to exchange valuable ideas and clinical skills.

Provide primary healthcare to inhabitants of villages in rural Kenya.

Donate medical equipment, supplies, and medications to healthcare workers with limited resources.

Organize and conduct a public health project focusing on an issue primarily affecting community health.

Organize a global health seminar series for UCD School of Medicine students, focusing on global health issues and health issues specific to Africa.

“The Kenya Project delivered far more than I had ever expected. Beyond the exotic resource-poor setting, I discovered and developed leadership, relationship building, cultural exchange, and understanding – qualities important to me not only within a global context, but even more importantly for our own challenges right here at home.”