

PUBLIC HEALTH LECTURE SERIES (2019)

ORGANISER: Professor Pat Doyle

TIMETABLE SLOT: Terms 1 & 2, Mondays 5.30 pm, weekly

AIM

To provide an overview of current major issues in global public health.

OBJECTIVES

By the end of this series of lectures students should be able to:

- (i) identify key areas of public health;
- (ii) demonstrate an understanding of selected issues of current and global importance in public health.

CONSTITUENCY

These lectures are open to anyone with an interest in public health.

CONCEPTUAL OUTLINE

The Series consists of 20 lectures occurring at the rate of one per week throughout the first two terms. The lectures will present the "State of the Art" in a broad range of different areas of public health, by describing and investigating those issues of current public health importance in each area, while providing just enough background information so that members in the audience without much previous knowledge of the specific subject area will be able to understand why the issues covered in the lecture are those of most current public health importance.

TEACHING STRATEGY

Each lecture consists of a 45 minute presentation followed by time for questions/discussion.

LEARNING TIME

Total learning time is 20 hours, composed of: contact time = 20 hours.

ASSESSMENT

The lectures are not assessed directly. Students of Public Health and Epidemiology may find their content helpful in their end of year exam.