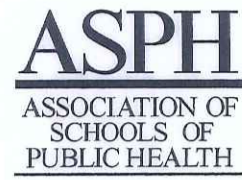




41st APACPH Conference

Celebration of the 25th Anniversary of APACPH December 3-6, 2009, Taipei, Taiwan



First Global Summit of Schools of Public Health, Taipei, Taiwan, December 4th, 2009

Declaration on promoting education and research in Global Health

APACPH, ASPHER, and ASPH, have organized the First Global Summit of Schools of Public Health during the 25th APACPH annual conference to foster common efforts in education and research in global health.

As international Associations of Schools of Public Health, we declare that:

- Global Health is public health and is a key issue in our societies.
- Schools of Public Health are leading academic institutions particularly well positioned to address global health issues.
- Education and research in Global Health should be encouraged and supported in Schools of Public Health and their existing networks.
- Schools of Public Health should promote global health research, teaching and capacity building.
- APACPH, ASPHER, and ASPH will work together in advocating evidence based policies, and increased resources for global health.
- APACPH, ASPHER and ASPH recognize the importance of encouraging sustainable and mutually beneficial partnerships between Schools of Public Health and academic institutions in the developing world.

APACPH, ASPHER, and ASPH have decided to forge links, share experiences, continue discussions and seek opportunities to collaborate on initiatives in global health.

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