

Health

Students Combined Raw Data from 2y2d Focus Groups in 2010-11

Starting in the summer of 2009, the Two Years to Two Decades (2y2d) Initiative asked nearly 1000 faculty, students, staff and community stakeholders for input on where they want the UW to be in 20 years and what matters most to them in light of current challenges.

Based on initial findings, 2010-11 focus groups identified six of society's major issues they felt the UW should work to solve in the coming decades: Environmental Sustainability & Clean Energy, Education, Health, Social Justice & Inequality, Educated & Engaged Local/Global Citizens, and Economic Vitality.

Combined raw data of Health-related comments from Student groups are listed below.

Participant responses fell under the following headings:

Public Service
Beyond Campus
Health
Quality of Life-Related
Public Health & Wellness
Global Health

Individual responses, roughly grouped by topic, appear below:

- Public health
- Global health
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- health: public health, global health, health system reform
- global health

- Give children healthy options at lunch
- Subsidies of vegetables & fruits
- Food policy
- Providing affordable nutrition
- National healthcare reform
- Ban soda & unhealthy vending machine items from schools
- food deserts
- nutritional awareness
- feeding the hungry
- obesity
- Public Health (obesity)
- child obesity
- obesity epidemic (cost of, co-morbidities from)
- nutrition's impact on health and education
- increased health/living options
- community education about health and self-care
- food: health, sustainable, transport

- obesity
- Disparities in global healthcare
- high health care costs
- lack of access to health insurance
- health disparity
- lower health care costs/improve health care
- better delivery of care to underserved
- healthcare reform

- create a safe environment for disclosure in hospital
- access to care - oral health - for d.d.
- oral health screening supported by UW
- supplies for community health education

- addressing hunger and disease in developing countries
- disease prevention
- Support medical research
- Understanding/curing disease
- biomedical research
- health research
- biomedical research
- research connecting health in environment

- STD Prevention
- AIDS in Africa
- Eating Disorder
- Breast Cancer in America
- Bounty hunters killing and mutilating albinos in Africa
- Veteran Wellness (PTSD) mental and physical
- athletic deaths increasing?

- Happiness
- the happiness factor