IIGH expands the evidence base about what works and what doesn’t to address health-related inequalities. We do this in Los Angeles and across the world, across an increasing range of economic, social, cultural and political contexts.

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MISSION
We address health-related disparities and inequalities by:

- **Engaging in research** that tackles existing and emerging global health concerns
- **Training the next generation** of global health leaders, working with partners across USC and around the world
- **Informing public policy** to reduce health-related disparities and inequalities

OUR APPROACH
The USC Institute on Inequalities in Global Health fosters a multidisciplinary, inclusive approach to global health that engages a range of partners as well as academic disciplines, including medicine, public health, law, social science, human rights, economics, policy, communications, and social work. University-wide and driven by excellence, the Institute aims to address those issues that are too complex to have a home with any single researcher, department, or school. Current focus areas include: sexual and reproductive health and rights; sustainability and One Health; urban health; and communications, technology, and innovation.

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USC Global Health: Crossing Boundaries for Innovation and Impact in Health Equity

In this dynamic Satellite Session co-hosted by the USC Institute on Inequalities in Global Health (IIGH) and the USC Department of Population and Public Health Sciences (DPPHS), presentations will be given that provide examples of the breadth of global health activities being undertaken by USC faculty, staff, and students. Moderated by Professors Howard Hu (Chair, DPPHS) and Sofia Gruskin (Director, IIGH), the session will include multiple 7-minute “lightning” talks and a portfolio of posters presented by USC scientists, educators and students on themes such as Law and Global Health; Global Environmental Pollution and Climate Change; Infectious Disease and the Pandemic Response; and many other initiatives and activities happening across the USC campus and with partners worldwide. The session will include ample time for discussion, networking, and workshopping of ideas with participants.

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This session is free and open to the public; CUGH conference registration is not required.