

**Certificate of Advanced Studies (CAS):  
Communicable Diseases and Quality Assured Programs:  
Strategies for Controlling Transmission Dynamics in Dense Populations**

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# Communicable Diseases

and Quality Assured Programs



History can provide information about the devastating urban epidemics such as Plague, Cholera, or Influenza which diminished our city populations over centuries. Are you aware of the newly emerging epidemic diseases such as Dengue, Chikungunya, Zika, Swineflu, as well as the continuing threat of Cholera and diarrheal diseases particularly in the cities of warm climate countries? What is an adequate public health response in view of the enormous transmission dynamics of communicable diseases in overcrowded living conditions? How can you set up cost-effective preventive programs, monitor and evaluate the process and outcome?

In our **five-week CAS on Communicable Diseases and Quality Assured Programs** you will learn how to deal with such major health threats. We will train professionals to use interdisciplinary approaches to explore planning and management issues in urban health with a special focus on communicable diseases. The globally experienced and interdisciplinary teaching staff brings expertise from public health, international relations, disease control, water and sanitation, and has experience in health policy formulation, implementation, evaluation, and health systems research. This CAS module is part of the MSc Program “Global Urban Health” (see link below). All courses are given in English.

**Target Group:** Health professionals, social scientists, researchers, and policy makers involved in health policy development and health intervention planning.

**Format:** Five weeks fulltime attendance (Monday-Friday) in Freiburg, Germany

**Dates:** 6th of January 2020 until 7th of February 2020

**Degree:** Certificate of Advanced Studies (CAS), 10 CP (ECTS)

**Course fees:** 2500€ (including materials, excursion, administration fee. Living costs are not included)

**For more information and to apply:**  
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