

# LEHIGH UNIVERSITY UN YOUTH REPRESENTATIVE PROGRAM PARTNER

## Center for Public Health (CPH)

### What is a UN Youth Rep?

Lehigh created the world's first UN Youth Representative Program, matching UN-accredited NGOs with high-achieving undergraduate and graduate students who serve as that NGO's voice at the United Nations.

Youth Representatives meet with global decision makers, participate in international conferences, and moderate briefings broadcast worldwide on UN TV. Youth Representatives have spoken on the floor of the General Assembly.

Youth Representatives visit the UN once per month, where they attend briefings, conferences and private meetings with UN officials on behalf of their NGO on topics such as the role of art in creating cultures of peace or economic development across Africa.

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CPH is a non-governmental, not-for-profit, non-political, non-religious organization in Nigeria which seeks to enlighten the public about HIV/AIDS, reduce the mortality rate from infectious diseases, and tackle the burden of cancer. They focus on health education advocacy, volunteering for rural health centers, capacity building/training for rural health workers and conducting research to strengthen the health system.



Health workers on World Malaria Day learning about malaria treatment and capacity building.

### The Center for Public Health aims to:

- Support people living with HIV/AIDS
- Provide health education to students and families in rural areas
- Retrain health workers to align with the SDGs and other UN-affiliated entities
- Raise funds to provide rural health centers and other health institutions with resources

### About the



### CENTER FOR PUBLIC HEALTH

#### MISSION

To create a platform for improving the well being of the society through sensitization and programs.

#### VISION

To be the center for health excellence and to assist vulnerable people in society to access quality health.

#### GOAL

To create a healthy society where people's health is taken care of without the limitations of accessibility due to money.



A walk organized by the CPH on the first ever Glaucoma Awareness Day.