

Division of Health and Humanities

A maximum of two students will be accepted in total into the programs for the year 2021-22.

- Two positions are restricted to a student who has an active UGC NET (or equivalent) fellowship of 5 years.

The research program under Health and Humanities aims to examine

1. Ethical, cultural, behavioural and societal aspects of novel areas of biomedical research
2. Public and community engagement in ethically contested areas such as vaccine development, vaccine hesitancy, health disaster responses, healthcare in epidemics.
3. Using humanities frameworks (theories and methods) in understanding health, illness, patients and therapies.

Eligibility

Health and Humanities
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Qualifying degree<ol style="list-style-type: none">a. Masters degrees (MSc/MPhil/MPH) in Life Sciences:<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Nursing▪ Public Health and Epidemiology▪ Dentistry, Pharmacology and Veterinary Scienceb. Masters degrees (MSc/MPhil) in Social Sciences:<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Psychology, Social Work, social psychology▪ Ethics, Philosophy, Indigenous studies & Anthropology▪ Law▪ Public Policy▪ Media and social sciencesc. Post graduate degree (MD) in any field of medicine

Areas of Research and Supervisor

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Public engagement, ethics, health and humanities
