

ASTMH COMMITTEE ON GLOBAL HEALTH (ACGH)

Summary ACGH Member Priorities Survey

2023

Intro and Objectives of Survey

Goals/objectives of the survey:

- 1. To create a more inclusive and representative global ACGH community
- 2. To ensure our ACGH activities reflect the priorities of our members
- 3. To increase our membership

Survey overview:

• 158 respondents from 3008 total members (2022)

Question 1: In your opinion, what are the most critical current Global Health Topics (select all that apply)?



Other responses of note: antimicrobial resistance, OneHealth, combating vaccine hesitancy/science denial

Question 2: What topics would you find of interest for an ACGH-supported symposium at the 2023 ASTMH Annual Meeting?



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Question 3: What topics should ACGH consider for the 2023 ACGH Pre-Meeting Course?



Question 4: Would you consider joining a webinar or webinar series on any of the following topics?



Question 5: One ACGH-supported symposium for the ASTMH Annual Meeting will likely focus on decolonizing global health. What aspect of this topic do you think would be most interesting/informative to focus on?



Other answers of note: benefits and importance of decolonization, metrics for measuring success of decolonization, perspective of decolonization from those in colonized countries, health impact of decolonizing global health

Question 6: Do you think translation of the ACGH newsletter and webinars from English to other languages would help attract a broader committee membership?



Question 7: If so, which languages would you like to see translation provided for?



Others of note: Swahili, Chinese, Arabic, Igbo

Question 8: If ACGH were to start an online discussion forum, would you join and participate?



Question 9: What online platform would you be willing to use to participate in an ACGH discussion group or forum?



Others of note: Zoom, Slack, Twitter, WhatsApp

Question 10: Are there new activities you would like to see ACGH support this year?

- Hybrid formats preferred with multi-language options
- Mentoring Programs
- Focal Research Groups
- Digital Health
- Emphasis on AMR
- Events in global south settings
- Grant writing workshops

Question 11: Do you have ideas about how to broaden ACGH membership?

- Strengthen ASTMH booth during Annual ASTMH
- Membership discounts for first-time members
- Partner with local associations in LMICs to encourage membership
- Promote via YouTube channels
- Include automated translation in virtual platforms
- Establish regional chapters
- Each member bring another member and get bonus/discount

How are we using these results?

- Results have been used to make decisions on:
 - Pre-meeting course topic for ASTMH's 2023 Annual Meeting
 - Topics for the ACGH symposia at the 2023 Annual Meeting
- Results are being/will be used for:
 - Guide translation of ACGH newsletter
 - Decision on webinar topic(s) to be held throughout the year, starting ideally later this year and ongoing beyond
- Results are continually used for ideas on how to improve ACGH's engagement of and representation by its global members