



The Planetary Health Report Card: An Institutional Advocacy Tool

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Goals

A metric-based tool intended to:

- 1) Serve as a needs assessment tool that evaluates medical schools' efforts to integrate and support planetary health in the training environment
- 2) Inspire institutional change and create international community in order to advance the global planetary health movement in pursuit of a healthier and more equitable world



Planetary Health Curriculum

Does your medical school **curriculum** address the **impact of climate change** on the **changing patterns of infectious diseases**?



Interdisciplinary Research

Has your institution recently hosted a **conference** or **symposium** on topics related to **planetary health**?



Community Outreach & Advocacy

Does your medical school **partner with community organizations** to promote planetary and environmental health?



Support for Student-Led Initiatives

Is there a **student liaison** representing **sustainability interests** who serves on a medical school or **institutional decision-making council** to advocate for sustainability best practices?



Campus Sustainability

How ambitious is your medical school/institution's plan to reduce its own **carbon footprint**?

2019:
Pilot at UCSF and Stanford

2019-2020:
13 Medical Schools in the U.S. and Canada

2020-2021:
62 Medical Schools in the U.S., U.K., Canada, and Ireland

2021-2022:
>80 Medical Schools in US, UK, Canada, Ireland, Germany, and Japan



2020-2021 Summary Report
North America: United States & Canada

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Overall
Curriculum
Research
Community Outreach & Advocacy
Support for Student-led Initiatives
Campus Sustainability

	Overall	Curriculum	Research	Community Outreach & Advocacy	Support for Student-led Initiatives	Campus Sustainability
Emory University	A-	B+	A-	B	A	A-
UC Berkeley-UCSF Joint Medical Program	A-	C+	A-	A	A+	A
University of California San Francisco	B+	B	A+	B	A-	B+
Stanford Medical School	B	B	B	C	A	A
Perelman SOM at University of Pennsylvania	B	C+	A-	B	B	B+
Harvard Medical School	B	C+	B+	B-	A-	B
Brown University	B-	C+	B	C	B	B-
University of Washington	B-	D	A-	B	B-	B
University of California Los Angeles	C+	C-	B	C	B	A-
University of Massachusetts Medical School	C+	B-	D	B-	B	C+
Boston University	C+	D	B+	D+	A-	B-
Georgetown University	C+	C	C	D+	B	B
University of Virginia	C	D-	B-	D+	B	B
University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences	C	B	D	B-	C	F+

80-100% = A, 60-79% = B, 40-59% = C, 20-39% = D, 0-19% = F

Scores within top or bottom 5% awarded + or -, respectively

= School that participated in the 2019-2020 PHRC

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Institutional Changes

- Grant obtained to integrate climate health longitudinally in preclinical curriculum
- Planetary health elective courses developed
- Environmental student groups established
- Hospital Office of Sustainability created
- Student sustainability representative committee position added to university committee
- Task forces established

Future Directions



Further international expansion & collaboration



Application to other health professional programs



Resource banks

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