**Program Student Learning Outcomes Assessment Summary**

**(AY 2012-2013)**

**Program Student Learning Outcomes (PSLOs)**

At the completion of the **Public Health** **Program**, the student will be able to:

1. Recognize, describe and discuss the basic public health science facts and principles
2. List and discuss the essential public health functions and their interrelationships at community and district level
3. Describe and discuss adult, children and family health issues
4. Discuss and demonstrate an understanding and practice of some generic public health competencies
5. Demonstrate proper public health skills for public health practice in the community as a state or local public health officer
6. Discuss and demonstrate community and cultural sensitivity in the health care environment
7. Describe and discuss the health determinants and problems of adults, children and families
8. Demonstrate proper cardio-pulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and first aid techniques
9. Demonstrate the ability and discuss how to make a community diagnosis based on the determinants of health
10. Identify and demonstrate good public health practice
11. Have had work experience at a public health facility at community and district levels

**PSLO Assessment Report Summary**

**What we looked at:**

The Public Health Program assessment focused on PSLOs 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, and 11. Listed below are the results for each of the PSLOs.

**What we found:**

* PSLO#1: Students who were taking courses related to this PLO have presented their reports among their peers and mentors and received a passing mark based on a rubric. 87% of the students taking courses related to this PLO have a grade of C or higher
* PSLO#2: 91% of the students who took courses related to this PLO have grades of C or better
* PSLO#3: 91% of students who are taking courses related to this PLO have a grade of C or better
* PSLO#4: Students were able to present their portfolio that includes discussions and copies of their report to their mentors with satisfactory grades given by the mentors based on a rubric
* PSLO#8: All students majoring in Public Health has successfully pass certification for CPR and first aid after attending a training seminar in March 2013.
* PSLO#11: All students who were assigned to a Public Health practicing facility was able to discuss and present to their mentors their weekly learning issues and was able to give solutions to the issues they presented. Using problem based learning style of reporting, students were able to do a problem list, do a research on the listed problems and report the same to the mentors

**What we are planning to work on:**

* A comprehensive assessment/exam to evaluate the overall knowledge/skill the students gained should be done. Starting SY 13-14, a Comprehensive Exam will be given to students every after the semester and contents will be based on their level (1st level AS, 2nd level AS, 3rd CAPH)

**Recommendations for students:**