

# University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health Director of Anesthesia Global Health Department of Anesthesiology

The Director of Anesthesia Global Health works under the direction of the Chair, Department of Anesthesiology (DOA) and in collaboration with the Vice Chairs of Education and Research. The Director leads the DOA Global Health Efforts, and the Global Health Committee as outlined by the DOA Global Charter.

The goals of the Anesthesia Global Health Program are three-fold:

1. Education: To provide global education for UW DOA learners while simultaneously offering anesthesia education in a Low-Income County, where there are limited opportunities for anesthesia education and training.

2. Service: To participate in and train physicians to responsibly engage in safe perioperative care of patients in LMICs, both at home and abroad.

3. Research: To conduct IRB-approved research in global anesthesia and perioperative care, and to build research infrastructure in LICs.

## **Professional Requirements**

- A sustained commitment to Global Health
- Excellent Clinical Skills
- Champion of team-based care
- Excellent Verbal and Written Communication Skills
- Ability to function within a complex and evolving environment.
- Excellent Problem-solving skills

## **Primary Areas of Responsibility Include:**

- Support the Global Academic Anesthesia Consortium
- Appropriate Travel to support the DOA global health commitments.
- Global Fund Budget administration
- Develop and maintain a Global Health curriculum for learners, residents and fellows.
- Develop education and simulation opportunities for our learners to prepare for Global Experiences
- International Team building and collaborative relationships.
- Introduce a Process Improvement and Quality Initiatives of Perioperative Care in LMIC sites with sustained UW commitments.
- Enhance Global Research within the department and with our international collaborators.

### **Position Duties**:

- Lead the design, development, and implementation of systems and strategies to support the short- and long-term targeted UW perioperative programs abroad.
- Development of a Department Global Health didactic lecture series, and simulation experience.
- Collaboration with UW SMPH Clinical Departments who align with our global health vision.
- Development of Global QI and Research Programs within the Department and with our collaborator

### Authority

Global Health Charter Decisions made collaboratively with oversight and final decision by the Chair.

# **Selection Process and Terms**

Term of appointment is at discretion of Department of Anesthesiology Chair

## **Percent/Effort**

Appointment: FTE 0.1 ; funding at the Clinical Rate

### **Annual Review**

The **Director of Anesthesia Global Health** serves at the discretion of the Department Chair. The Chair will be responsible for outlining goals and expectations as well as conducting annual reviews of the Director's performance.