



*Six-Day Epidemiology Course I*

*at*

*Tougaloo College*

*July 11 – July 16, 2011*

*Sponsored by the National Heart Lung and Blood Institute and the National Center on  
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*in Conjunction with the Jackson Heart Study*

*JACKSON HEART STUDY  
Education and Training Program (ETP)*

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*The purpose* of this intensive six day workshop is to provide an advanced epidemiology course for those who have completed successfully the introductory level course offered by the JHS or have a background in basic epidemiology and are interested in learning more about the subject.

Moyses Szklo, M.D., Dr. P.H. Professor of Epidemiology at Johns Hopkins School of Hygiene and Public Health, and an internationally recognized epidemiologist will teach the course.

*The course description:* This course will cover such topics as study designs in observational epidemiology; measures of disease frequency (based on individual or time units) and of association (attributable risk, odds ratio, relative risk); bias; interaction; confounding; adjustment: stratified and regression methods; and quality control.

**Interested candidates must submit:**

- a. **Completed application form.**
- b. **A brief essay of one page describing reasons for wanting to take this course.**
- c. **A letter of nomination/recommendation from a teacher, advisor or supervisor.**
- d. **Year of enrollment in the first six-day Epi course or documentation showing background in basic epidemiology.**

*Housing and Meals:* The program will provide free housing at Tougaloo College for ten out of town participants. The program will also provide morning and afternoon snacks and lunch.

*Cost:* There will be no cost to those taking this course without academic credit. This course can be taken for undergraduate credit (NSD 411) from Tougaloo College. Those seeking credit should contact Carolyn Evans (Registrar) at 601-977-7764 for assessment of fees and credit.

**The deadline for receipt of application is **June 21, 2011.****

**APPLICATION FOR  
SIX-DAY EPIDEMIOLOGY COURSE II**

**Summer 2011**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
(LAST) (FIRST) (MI)

GENDER: \_\_\_\_\_ MALE \_\_\_\_\_ FEMALE

CURRENT MAILING ADDRESS:

\_\_\_\_\_  
(NUMBER & STREET)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(CITY) (STATE) (ZIP)

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ FAX: \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

**EDUCATION**

Name of Institution	City and State	Dates Attended	Major	Degrees Received Year	G.P.A.



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Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last) (First) (MI)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Number & Street) (City) (State) (Zip)

- I am planning to take this course:

INSTITUTION	CODE	COURSE TITLE	For Credit	For No credit
TC Undergraduate	NSD 411	Introduction to Epidemiology	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

If you are taking the course for credit, be sure to register with Tougaloo College before you come to the class.

- I am out of town participant and I need housing } Yes } No
- I am vegetarian } Yes } No
- My t-shirt size } Small } Medium } Large } X-Large } XX-Large } XXX-Large } 4X-Large } or 5X-Large .