

The CEU Summer University announces the course GENDER, HEALTH AND INEQUALITY JULY 18-26 BUDAPEST, HUNGARY

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Brief course description

This course will examine various interrelations between health, gender, and inequality from multi-disciplinary perspectives including sociology, anthropology, psychology, and social medicine. The course will focus on the ways in which gender inequality is socially constructed and the important roles that social institutions, ideology, and cultural practices play in creating, perpetuating, and addressing gendered health issues. We will discuss issues of general global significance such as reproduction, sexuality, mental health and well-being, lifestyle, morbidity and mortality in comparative European contexts, with an emphasis on the post-socialist states. Classes will also consider the implications of poverty, labor markets and labor force discrimination on gender inequality and health. The course aims to move beyond a description of specific health problems to a critical analysis of women's and men's health in relation to their everyday lives, exploring how their embodied experiences are shaped by cultural beliefs and practices, social institutions, and social policies.

Further information on the course is available at

http://www.ceu.hu/sun



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