

Reference Form

Student Name: _____ **Placement Destination:** _____

The student named on this form is applying to participate in a Practicum course in the Global Health program at York University. During the practicum, they will apply their knowledge and skills in a (domestic or international) health-based work environment that can range from a community-based organization to a non-governmental organization. To assist the selection committee in making its decision about the student's participation in the practicum, we would appreciate your evaluation of the student in a few areas that are important to their success. Students were asked to submit two references; at least one must relate to their **academic** experience, while the other can be related to their **employment** or **volunteer** experience. Global Health program staff will contact referees to verify the information on this form.

1. How long and in what capacity have you known this student?

2. Please indicate your assessment of the student's competence in the following areas.

	Poor	Fair	Average	Very Good	Excellent	Unable to Comment
Verbal Communication						
Written Communication						
Time Management						
Accountability						
Collaboration						
Problem-Solving						
Critical Thinking						
Adaptability						
Respect for Diversity						
Ability to work independently						
Engagement with global health issues						

3. Additional Comments:

Referee Name: _____ **Telephone:** _____
Organization: _____ **E-mail Address:** _____
Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

The referee must **scan** and return to the Global Health Program at globhlth@yorku.ca, or place reference in a sealed and signed envelope and return it to the student so that s/he can submit it to the Global Health Program office (HNES 019).