# Non-communicable diseases in humanitarian settings

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## Course overview

**Short description**

This executive short course is a full-time training, which focuses on the particular challenges presented by non-communicable diseases in emergencies, as well as the design of adapted and effective projects to address non-communicable diseases. The course is delivered in partnership with the Centre for Global Chronic Conditions at the London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine.
## Objectives of the course

At the end of the course, you will be able to:

- Explain the concept of chronicity and identify the main non-communicable diseases (NCDs)
- Identify and assess the burden of NCDs in a specific context
- Design a programme to address the needs of people with NCDs during a humanitarian emergency

## Workload

Around 50 hours of work for the whole course, including:

- App. 20 hours of face-to-face teaching (lectures, group work, etc.)
- App. 30 hours of self-study time

## Structure of the course

- What are non-communicable chronic diseases (NCDs)?
- What is a burden of NCDs in emergencies?
- Assessing the needs and setting priorities
- Models of care for NCDs
- Designing an evidence-based NCD programmes
- Evaluation of NCD programmes

## Audience

- Professionals in the health sector looking to develop their competencies in NCD programme management in the humanitarian sector
- Professionals in the development sector looking to develop their competencies in NCD programme management in the humanitarian sector
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Course at a glance

- Graduate students with relevant volunteer or intern experience, looking to undertake a postgraduate course with a view to entering the humanitarian sector.