



Since 1974, **Dr. Gary Gilmore** has held a joint appointment with the University of Wisconsin at La Crosse and the University of Wisconsin-Extension. He is Professor and Director of Graduate Community Health Programs. His prior experiences were in public health and preventive medicine at the Bergen County Health Department (N.J.), and at the Preventive Medicine Unit, General Leonard Wood Hospital, U.S. Army (recipient of the Army Commendation Medal in Preventive Medicine). His training in epidemiology and public health is through the School of Public Health at the University of Minnesota, with additional training in epidemiology at the New England Epidemiology Institute, Tufts University. He is the founding and continuing Director of the first Master of Public Health Program (CEPH accredited since 1992) offered in the University of Wisconsin System. The program was ranked 6th in the nation by the 2004 U.S. News and World Report ranking of the Best Graduate

Programs in Community Health. He has served on the American Cancer Society National Board of Directors during 1986-1996, and 1999-2002, and is the recipient of the St. George Medal. Dr. Gilmore received the 2001 Regents Teaching Excellence Award bestowed by the Board of Regents, University of Wisconsin System. Dr. Gilmore is the Immediate Past President of the National Council of Accredited MPH Programs. Dr. Gilmore chaired the National Health Educator Competencies Update Project. During 1999-2000, Dr. Gilmore served as the first Fulbright Senior Scholar at the All India Institute of Hygiene and Public Health, Calcutta, India. In that capacity, he taught graduate students and medical practitioners in principles of public health and conducted population-based research in West Bengal. Dr. Gilmore served as the Founding President of the Seven Rivers Region Fulbright Chapter in Western Wisconsin. Additional pertinent international experiences include:

- Presented *Going the Distance for Health Enhancement: Capacity Building Using Distance Education*, at the 20th International Union for Health Promotion and Education (IUHPE) World Conference on Health Promotion, July 13, 2010, Geneva, Switzerland.
- Presented *Key Economic and Political Forces in Wisconsin Impacting Public Health Services*, March 19, 2008 at the University of Southampton, England.
- Presented an invited lecture at the Public Health Institute, University of Copenhagen, May 30, 2005: *Competency Assessment for Public Health Educators in the United States*, and at the College of Medicine, University of Oslo, Norway, June 6, 2005
- Presented at the International Union of Health Promotion and Education (IUHPE) International Conference on the *Effectiveness and Quality of Health Promotion* in Stockholm, Sweden, June 2, 2005: *An Overview of the National Health Education Competencies Update Project Research*.
- Presented and discussed *Establishing Fulbright Opportunities in Population-Based Health through the Indian Medical Schools and Schools of Public Health*, Lucknow, India, 2000.
- Presented *Emerging Prevention Strategies for Community-Based Cancer Control* at the 15th Asia Pacific International Cancer Conference, Chennai, India, December 13, 1999.
- Co-conducted a Population-Based Health Needs and Capacity Assessment in Dubna, Russia, during 1998.
- Presented *The Development, Implementation, and Evaluation of a Family Health Promotion Program* at the Annual Meeting of the Society of Prospective Medicine, Quebec City, Canada, October 22, 1982.