

John and Kathleen Gorman Public Health Humanitarian Award

The Gorman Award is given to a student or students who have demonstrated excellence in commitment to the humane care of individuals and communities, and in advancing consideration of human right and values in health care and prevention.

Eligibility Criteria:

ALL Mailman School of Public Health students are eligible for this award: MPH, MHA, MS, DrPH, PhD graduating and continuing students.

Nominees Must:

The ideal candidate has participated, either as a volunteer, professional, or in both capacities, in activities such as:

- Performing humanitarian services in a variety of settings, either domestic or international;
- Interacting with isolated, marginalized, discriminated, and/or oppressed groups;
- Demonstrating commitment through personal actions with a defined local community, or through involvement with large organizations dealing with complex problems;
- Taking initiative by creating original programs dealing with priority needs and populations;
- Showing leadership by recruiting others to activities dealing with unmet need or marginalized populations;
- Applying public knowledge to develop and disseminate effective policy, or to manage and evaluate programmatic activities.

Nomination Process:

ONLY faculty members can nominate students for the Gorman award. Faculty must:

- Complete the online application form;
- Provide a one page statement highlighting the nominee's participation in the activities outlined in the eligibility criteria section;
- Submit both application and statement by Friday, April 12, 2024

Selection Process:

A Mailman School committee will select the award recipient. All students who are nominated will be notified of their nomination.

All required documentation must be submitted online through Engage by Friday, April 12, 2024