

HLED 5586-41/ HLED 5023 (online), 3 credits
Using Epidemiology to Build Healthier Communities
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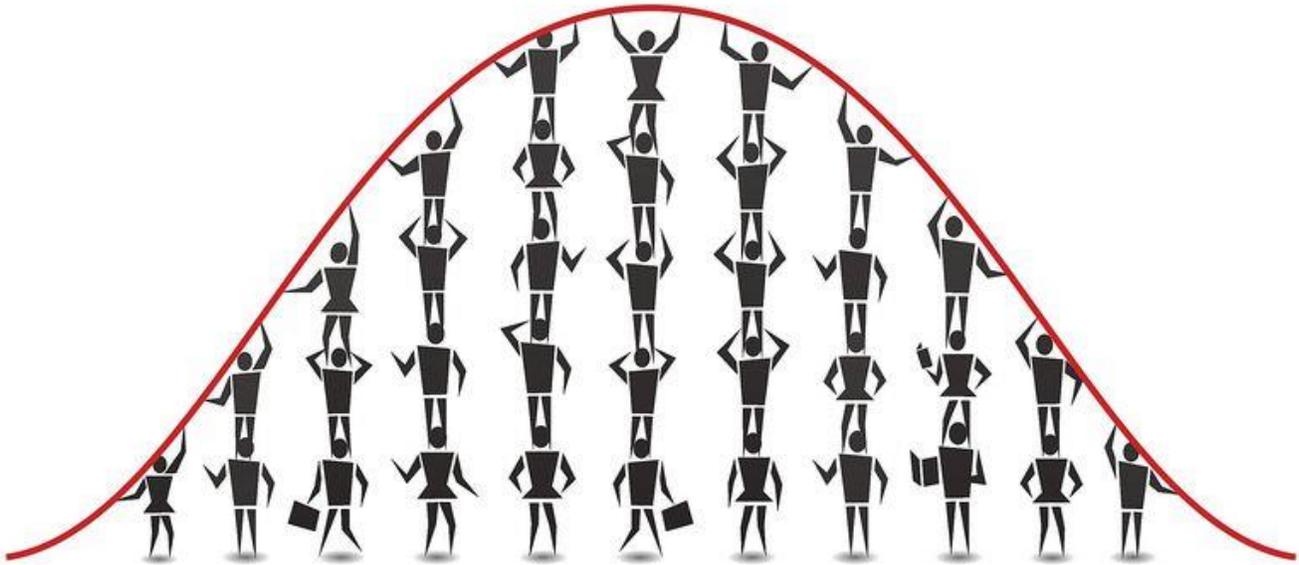


Figure 1 Image Source: <https://www.thoughtco.com/what-is-normal-distribution-3026707>

Living through an infectious disease pandemic has introduced many people to the term epidemiology, “the study of the distribution and determinants of health-related states and events in specified populations... [and] the application of this study to the control of health problems” ([US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention](#)). In this course, you will learn how to accurately interpret and weigh the evidence for any public health issue and will be required to apply this knowledge to a specific public health topic of your choosing. At the end of the course you will have new insight into what our best decisions might be (including for the COVID-19 pandemic) based on available evidence.

Asynchronous online instruction. Work on the course on your schedule.

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