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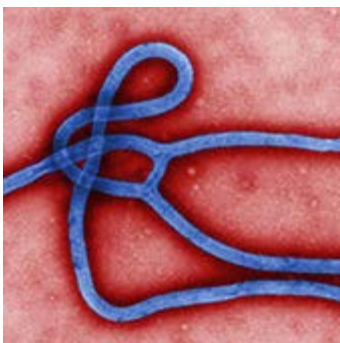
## Quality of U.S. diet shows modest improvement, but overall remains poor

A new study shows that extensive efforts to improve U.S. dietary quality are having some payoff, but overall dietary quality remains poor and disparities continue to widen among socioeconomic and racial/ethnic groups.



## Undergraduates get taste of public health

Summer programs at HSPH provide opportunities for students underrepresented in graduate science programs. The students are exposed to potential careers in public health, and explore how the field intersects with their own passions.



## Outbreak of Ebola in Sierra Leone traced to funeral

Pardis Sabeti supervised an international Ebola research team that worked in round-the-clock shifts even while learning that their collaborators were dying from the disease. Also, read [poll results](#) of the U.S. public's views on Ebola.

## Event Highlights

### Child Protection: A Pressing Global Issue from Syria to the US Border

Jacqueline Bhabha, editor of the new book *Human Rights and Adolescence*, which includes contributions from other HSPH authors

September 10  
12:30–1:20 PM  
Kresge 212

### Hiding in plain view: The need for a randomized trial of aspirin for breast cancer survival

Michelle Holmes  
September 10  
12:30–1:30 PM  
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### Live webcast: Vaccinating Children: Public Trust and Health

Watch HSPH Forum event  
September 15  
12:30–1:30 PM

### Myrto Lefkopoulou Lecture

Tianxi Cai  
September 18  
4:00–5:00 PM  
Kresge G2  
*Reception to follow*

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## Research news

## Around the School

[Quality missing from global](#)



### health agenda

[Ashish Jha](#) offered troubling statistics on health care quality around the world, and his prescription for improving it, at a recent Hot Topics lecture.

### EcoOpportunity September events

Learn about upcoming events, including a community garden harvest celebration on September 16 and a seminar on zoonotic contagions on September 24.

### Senior leader administrative forum breakfast

Join Michael Kan, executive dean for administration, to chat about what is happening at the School: September 18, 9:00–10:30 AM, Kresge 110. RSVP at the above link.



[Instant noodle consumption linked to heart risk in women](#)

[HIV/AIDS: Promising prevention method](#)

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