The Department of Public Health presents

Dr. Heather Murphy, Ph.D.
Postdoctoral Fellow at the University of Guelph, Canada

Thursday, November 6th
10:00 – 11:00 AM

Ritter Annex, Room 941
Open to all Faculty, Staff & Students

"Investigating Issues of Water and Health in the Developed and Developing World"

Dr. Murphy At A Glance…

Heather Murphy obtained her PhD in Environmental Engineering from the University of Guelph, Canada, where she focused on appropriate water treatment technologies for developing countries. Prior to that, she completed a Masters Degree in Civil Engineering at Dalhousie University in Canada. Following her PhD, she worked with the United Nations International Emergency Children’s Fund (UNICEF) as a Water, Sanitation and Hygiene Specialist in Mali and Madagascar. She recently completed a Postdoctoral Fellowship with the Public Health Agency of Canada where she focused on determining the burden of waterborne disease on the Canadian population. She is presently a Postdoctoral Fellow at the University of Guelph where she is conducting research on the challenges of water provision in Canadian First Nations communities.

Her research interests involve understanding and addressing water and health challenges in both developed and developing countries.

Dr. Murphy is a candidate for a faculty position in the future Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics.