MISSION
Increase coordination among research institutions.
Develop, exchange, disseminate and apply scientific knowledge.
Create national and international networks.
Build local capacity through mentoring and PhD programs.
Improve community involvement and local partnerships.

VISION
To improve the health status in Greenland through initiation and coordination of health research.

OBJECTIVE
The Greenland Center for Health Research [GCHR] was inaugurated at a meeting in Nuuk of the Danish-Greenlandic Society for Circumpolar Health in October 2008.

The aim of the Center is to enhance cooperation between researchers from other countries and health professionals in Greenland, to further research cooperation within Greenland, and to facilitate the interaction of researchers from other countries with the Greenland community at large. The Centre is active in teaching at all levels from classroom teaching of nursing students to supervision of PhD Students. In a longer perspective the Center will work for the establishment of a data archive and archive of specimens collected in Greenland.

Partnership and Networks.
The Center works to forge links between research centre, independent scholars and students as well as health professionals in Greenland. If you would like to join our network of researchers please e-mail gchr@peqqik.gl listing your name and field of interest.
- GCHR is organized in the University of Greenland, Institute for nursing and healthsciences.
- GCHR collaborated with Greenland Institute of Natural Resources in a Building Program for the Center.
- GCHR has signed a MoU with the Canadian Institute for Circumpolar Health in Yellowknife, North West Territories.
- GCHR is a part of Thematic Network on Health and Well-being in the Arctic under University of the Arctic.
- GCHR member of Circumpolar Health Research Network

Health Research training courses at the Center. (Project)
Retrospective study of assigned social pension by diagnosis, sex and age in Nuuk 2008-09.
How to handle COPD patients in the Greenlandic health care?
Endocarditis in Greenland
Patient at the District psychiatry
Weight among children in Greenland at school entry.
Should we screen for postnatal depression?

Publications 2012
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