



Cuba is the only country in the world to have both a low environmental impact and a good standard of living. The island country is rapidly becoming an example of how a society can reorganize during hardship.

Cuban agriculture shows how urban space can be used for gardens that result in a majority of vegetables being grown locally. Rural Cubans receive much of their power through solar technology.

Cuban medicine truly excels. Spending vastly less money than the U.S., their medical system is based on preventive care. Cuba has a lower infant mortality rate and a life expectancy that matches the U.S.

The international Cuban medical school currently trains over 20,000 students. Cuba provides their education free, so doctors graduate with no school loans to pay off — they return home to practice medicine in distressed communities.

Please join us for presentations and a panel discussion:

- **Bud DeRaps**, *Global Exchange*
- **Daniel Hellinger**, Political Science Professor, Webster University
- **Audrey Hollis**, Greater St. Mark Community Garden
- **Rebecca Fitz**, Medical Student, *Escuela Latinoamericana de Medicina* in Havana, Cuba
- **Don Fitz**, Gateway Green Alliance [moderator]

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