

Study program: Integrated academic studies in Medicine			
Type and level of the study program: integrated academic studies			
Course title: Medical ethics and sociology(M1-ME/SC)			
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Course status: compulsory			
ECTS Credits: 4			
Condition: -			
Course aim To encourage students to develop and adopt ethical schemes for the future profession. Making the students familiar with the recent trends in sociology and adopting sociological way of thinking.			
Expected outcome of the course: To achieve familiarity with some basic ethical frameworks and understand how these ethical frameworks promote thinking through contemporary questions in medical ethics. To think clearly and carefully through the own positions about important issues in contemporary medical ethics and the compatibility of these positions with broader philosophical commitments (i.e personality, human and personal rights, human flourishing, etc.). To offer better understanding of the problems of mankind, society and history, as well as self-understanding of the profession.			
Course description <i>Theoretical education</i> Ethical Theories. Doctor - Patient Relationship. Confidentiality. Truth Telling. Autonomy and Informed Consent. The Definition of Death and the Persistent Vegetative State. Decisional Capacity and the Right to Refuse Treatment. Abortion. Reproductive Control. Religious Ethical Considerations. Seriously Ill and Impaired Infants. Euthanasia and Physician-Assisted Suicide. Human and Animal Research. Biotechnology and Reproductive Technology. Embryonic Stem-Cell Research. Plastic Surgery. The Subject and Methods in Sociology. The Society and the Elements in Social Structure. The Culture as a Specific Human Need. Social Process and Changes. The Main Characteristics of Contemporary Society of Serbia. <i>Practical education: exercises, other forms of education, research related activities</i> Seminar paper on selected topics to show the understanding of and analytical engagement in the subject matter.			
Literature <i>Compulsory</i> 1. Bjelica A. An outline of medical ethics. Novi Sad: Faculty of Medicine; 2015. 2. Došić D. Sociology. Novi Sad: Faculty of Medicine; 1998. <i>Additional</i> 1. Giddens A. Sociology. Cambridge, UK: Polity Press; 2001.			
Number of active classes			Other:
Lectures: 45	Practice:	Other types of teaching:	
Research related activities:			
Teaching methods Lectures			
Student activity assessment (maximally 100 points)			
Pre-exam activities	points	Final exam	points
Lectures	10	Written	50
Practices		Oral	
Colloquium	20	
Essay	20		