UNIVERSITY OF NOVI SAD FACULTY OF MEDICINE



Study program: Integrated Academic Studies in Dental Medicine

Course title: Psychiatry and Psychological Medicine

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Course status: compulsory

ECTS Credits: 2 Condition: -

Course aim

Introducing students to the unique bio-being of man, different reactions to the ill person's disease, as well as the different interactions of doctors / health workers and patients.

Expected outcome of the course:

Students gain knowledge about bio-unity of man; development and structure of personality, different mental mechanisms and defense mechanisms, reaction to the ill person's disease, the psychological aspects of the treatment / treatment of various diseases, the roles of doctors / health workers, mental health desirable than doctors / health workers with the patient and his nearest surroundings.

Student masters the art of communication with different groups of patients (as compared to the age of patients and in relation to the disease / condition for which it provides care) acquires the ability to meet a variety of psychological situations in which will be located during a career and build models of adequate coping. Working with the acquisition of skills is done through workshops where necessary active participation of students.

Course description

Theoretical education

1. Introduction to the concept of psychological medicine. 2. Psychological functions. 3. Biological basis of mental functions. 4. Stress and psychological trauma. 5. The impact of psychological factors on the occurrence of diseases. 6. Psychosomatic Medicine. 7. The doctor patient relationship. 8. Reaction of patients to disease. 9. Reaction of the child to illness. 10. Aging and reaction to illness. 11. The process of grieving. 12. Stigma, prejudice and discrimination. 13. Personality and defense mechanisms. 1.4Definition of mental health and mental disorders. 15. Mental health and legislation. 16. Position and role of a psychiatrist. 17. Work with psychiatric patients. 18. Psychiatric interview and medical history. 19. Psychopathology. 20. Mood disorders. 21. Anxiety disorders. 22. Schizophrenia and other psychotic disorders. 23. Mental disorders due to use of psychoactive substances. 24. Eating disorders. 25. Organic mental disorders and old age psychiatry. 26. Mental disorders in childhood and adolescence. 27. Personality as a predisposing factor for the development of mental disorders. 28. Personality disorders. 16. Emergency psychiatry. 17. Treatment of mental disorders. 18. Psychopharmacotherapy. 19. Suicidology. 20. Forensic psychiatry

Practical education

1. Talk (communication) doctor / health worker with a sick person — Workshop. 2. Health and disease - a workshop. 3. Communication, empathy, professional attitude — shop. 4. Giving information to patient and family about the disease. 5. Communication of family doctors / health workers in the family. 6. Relationships and communication in teamwork — Workshop. 7. Mental disorders, psychiatric patients, specific patient-physician relationship; rights of psychiatric patients. 8. Psychiatric interview: psychiatric interview techniques. 9. Psychic status: evaluation of psychological functions (consciousness, orientation, thinking, perception, emotion, memory, intelligence, volitive and instinctive dynamism, attention) and behaviour evaluation. 10. Organic mental disorders - history, mental status, diagnosis, care. 11. Diseases induced by misuse of psychoactive substances — drugs and alcohol: medical history, mental status, diagnosis, care. 12. Schizophrenia — medical history, mental status, diagnosis, care. 13. Psychotic Disorders — medical history, mental status, diagnosis, care. 14. Mood disorders — medical history, mental status, diagnosis, care. 16. Emergency states in psychiatry. 17. Mental disorders in children — medical history, mental status, diagnosis, care. 18. Mental disorders in adolescents - medical history, mental status, diagnosis, care. 19. Consultation psychiatry and psychosomatic medicine. Psychiatrist in a team. Physically ill patients, medical history, mental status, diagnosis and care in a view of consultation psychiatry and psychosomatic medicine.

Literature

Compulsory

- 1. Friedman H.S. The Oxford Handbook of Health Psychology. Oxford, UK: Oxford University Press; 2011.
- 2. Semple D, Smyth R (eds.). Oxford Handbook of Psychiatry. Oxford, UK: Oxford University Press; 2013.

Number of active classes Theoretical classes: 15 Practical classes: 15

| Teaching methods | | | |
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| Theoretical and practical Student activity assessment (maximally 100 points) | | | |
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| Lectures | 10 | Written | 70 |
| Practices | 20 | Oral | |
| Colloquium | | | |
| Essay | | | |