

Faculty of Medicine / HIGHER MEDICAL SCHOOL / MEDICAL ETHICS

Course:	MEDICAL ETHICS			
Course ID	Course status	Semester	ECTS credits	Lessons (Lessons+Exercises+Laboratory)
1044	Mandatory	2	3	2+0+0
Programs	HIGHER MEDICAL SCHOOL			
Prerequisites				
Aims				
Learning outcomes	Upon passing this exam, student will be able to : 1.Describes ethics as philosophical discipline, describes and interprets beginnings of nursing ethics. 2.Knows the questions of moral and morality, moral reasoning and moral action. 3.Knows and applies professional ethics in nursing (ethical codex). 4.Knows and applies the principles of nursing ethics – ethical codex of nurses. 5.Knows and applies nurse`s vow. 6.Knows and adopts a positive attitude in various ethical dilemmas in nursing practice. 7.Interprets and applies declaration of human rights, patient`s rights, interprets the significance and preserves professional secrecy. 8.Advances, promotes and respects childrens` and patients` human rights.			
Lecturer / Teaching assistant	Prof.Dr.Aleksandar Nikolic			
Methodology				
Plan and program of work				
Preparing week	Preparation and registration of the semester			
I week lectures	Scientific medicine			
I week exercises	Scientific medicine			
II week lectures	Emergence of morality and ethics			
II week exercises	Emergence of morality and ethics			
III week lectures	Moral reasoning and moral behavior			
III week exercises	Moral reasoning and moral behavior			
IV week lectures	Morals and customs			
IV week exercises	Morals and customs			
V week lectures	Morality and religion			
V week exercises	Morality and religion			
VI week lectures	Law and morality, society and value system			
VI week exercises	Law and morality, society and value system			
VII week lectures	Codes and declarations			
VII week exercises	Codes and declarations			
VIII week lectures	The Hippocratic Oath			
VIII week exercises	The Hippocratic Oath			
IX week lectures	The Nightingale Pledge			
IX week exercises	The Nightingale Pledge			
X week lectures	Ethical attitude of the health worker towards the patient and his family			
X week exercises	Ethical attitude of the health worker towards the patient and his family			
XI week lectures	Ethical relationship with colleagues			
XI week exercises	Ethical relationship with colleagues			
XII week lectures	Professional and official secrecy. Ethical principles of organ transplantation			
XII week exercises	Professional and official secrecy. Ethical principles of organ transplantation			
XIII week lectures	Euthanasia and other ethical dilemmas			
XIII week exercises	Euthanasia and other ethical dilemmas			

XIV week lectures	Midterm					
XIV week exercises						
XV week lectures	Final exam					
XV week exercises						
Student workload	3 credits x 40/30 = 4 hours Structure: 2 hours of lectures 2 hours of independent work in the preparation of the midterm, including consultations					
Per week			Per semester			
3 credits x 40/30=4 hours and 0 minuts 2 sat(a) theoretical classes 0 sat(a) practical classes 0 excercises 2 hour(s) i 0 minuts of independent work, including consultations			Classes and final exam: 4 hour(s) i 0 minuts x 16 =64 hour(s) i 0 minuts Necessary preparation before the beginning of the semester (administration, registration, certification): 4 hour(s) i 0 minuts x 2 =8 hour(s) i 0 minuts Total workload for the subject: 3 x 30=90 hour(s) Additional work for exam preparation in the preparing exam period, including taking the remedial exam from 0 to 30 hours (remaining time from the first two items to the total load for the item) 18 hour(s) i 0 minuts Workload structure: 64 hour(s) i 0 minuts (courses), 8 hour(s) i 0 minuts (preparation), 18 hour(s) i 0 minuts (additional work)			
Student obligations						
Consultations						
Literature			Medical ethics textbook, amended and revised edition, Belgrade 2005			
Examination methods			Class attendance: 20 points Midterm 29 points Final exam: test 51 points A passing grade is obtained if a minimum of 50 points is accumulated			
Special remarks						
Comment						
Grade:	F	E	D	C	B	A
Number of points	less than 50 points	greater than or equal to 50 points and less than 60 points	greater than or equal to 60 points and less than 70 points	greater than or equal to 70 points and less than 80 points	greater than or equal to 80 points and less than 90 points	greater than or equal to 90 points