

Study program midwifery in the field of study midwifery

General characteristics of the professional profile of a graduate of the midwifery study program (bachelor degree)

Graduates of the midwifery study program are able to meet the requirements of a discipline that integrates the theory of midwifery with scientific knowledge from other disciplines, necessary for providing the health services to the public within the frame of the primary, secondary and tertiary prevention. Graduates are able to provide health care for women, families or communities of women during health or illness and to contribute to promotion of health.

The goal of the Jessenius Faculty of Medicine in Martin JLF UK is to provide graduates of the bachelor's midwifery study program with the following knowledge, abilities and skills:

The graduate have knowledge of the basic care of the mother and child in midwifery and is able to apply knowledge in the praxis. He/she is generally educated and trained to understand the associations between midwifery, biomedical sciences, social sciences and life sciences, and is able to transform this knowledge into a holistic approach to midwifery practice.

The graduate has theoretical knowledge of disciplines that describe the organs and systems of healthy and sick individual, the mental processes and characteristics, and social environment. He/she is able to support and promote health, prevent disease, educate and motivate women and families to lead a healthy life-style. The graduate is able to use his/hers skills required within the midwifery techniques training in the praxis.

Based on their knowledge, skills and social maturity, the graduate is able to contribute to the professionalization of midwifery and increase the prestige and respect of midwifery profession in society.

The graduate is able to ready to perform multifaceted midwifery-related tasks. He/she has the ability to manage and provide preventive, supportive, curative and rehabilitative care for women thorough their reproductove age, during pregnancy, childbirth and the postpartum period.

The graduate is able to provide education for women, their families and medical professionals. He/she has the ability to actively and effectively cooperate within the medical team.

He/she can improve the midwifery practice and think critically.

The graduate will enter the practice as a convinced supporter of independence and modern trends within the theory and practice in midwifery.

The graduate is a bearer of humanistic principles, develops the ability of empathy, respects human dignity and human rights, especially the rights of women and children. He/she follows the principles of professional ethics.

The graduate follows all the legislation necessary for the exercise of the profession of midwife.

The graduate masters the basics of scientific work and methods of work with scientific data.

The graduate masters the basics work in a multimedia environment and masters the basics of one world language.

The graduate has the prerequisites to continue further study.