



MEDICAL ETHICS

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LECTURES

Tuesday | OW | 16:00 | *Large Lecture Hall* | Malá Hora 5 (Department of Nursing, ground floor)

27. 9. 2022

1. The introduction to ethics and medical ethics. Terminology of ME. Major moral principles of ME. Theory of double effect. Ethics and law. Ethical Codex.

11. 10. 2022

2. Ethical aspect of giving information to patients. Informed consent / Informed refusal. Patient-centred communication

25. 10. 2022

3. Charter of Patient Rights in EU. Dignity. Physician and patient relationship. Paternalism and partnership

8. 11. 2022

4. Ethical dilemmas in the beginning of human life (contraception, birth control, abortion).

22. 11. 2022

5. The introduction to the thanatology. Criterion of death. Stages of dying. Dying with dignity. Euthanasia.

6. 12. 2022

6. Ethics and medical research. Ethical committees.

SEMINARS

Small Lecture Hall | EW | Malá Hora 5 (Department of Nursing, first floor)

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| Wednesday: | 14:30 gr. 1, 2, 3 | 16:15 gr. 11, 4, 8 |
| Thursday: | 14:30 gr. 7, 9, 10, 12 | 16:15 gr. 5, 6, 13 |

21. – 22. 9. 2022

The introduction in medical ethics. Hippocratic Oath / Medical Oath by WMA

5. – 6. 10. 2022

Case studies: Ethical principles and moral dilemmas.

19. – 20. 10. 2022

Informed consent. Communication between physician and patient. Delivering bad news.

2. – 3. 11. 2022

Credit test No. 1. (In person)

16. – 17. 11. 2022

Abortion as a moral dilemma.

30.11. – 1. 12. 2022

Issues of death and dying. Euthanasia and PAS as a moral dilemma.

14. 12. – 15. 12. 2022

Credit test No. 2. (Online – date and time by agreement)

CRITERIA FOR IN-COURSE CREDITS

- 85 % attendance on seminars (**One seminar can be omitted.** No matter the reason.)
- Substitution of more than one missing practical in Medical Ethics:
 - There is possibility to substitute only another one practical. In this case, students have to write a paper (essay) on the topic of missed seminar as a substitution.
 - Minimum two pages per paper (3600 signs) are required with the list of used literature (for example: books, journals and internet source – minimum 3 sources).
 - Please send the paper/s to juraj.cap@uniba.sk. Evaluation will be on next five days.
- Successful test (min. 60%). Students can rewrite **only test under 60% twice. There is no possibility to improve their successful test.**

- Evaluation of subject (**results of Tests**) will be according this table:

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| A / 1 | = | 91 – 100 % |
| B / 1,5 | = | 81 – 90 % |
| C / 2 | = | 73 – 80 % |
| D / 2,5 | = | 66 – 72 % |
| E / 3 | = | 60 – 65 % |
| Fx | = | less 60 % |

LITERATURE

1. Beauchamp L.T., Childress, F.J. *Principles of Biomedical Ethics*. 6th. ed. New York, Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2009, 417 p. ISBN 978-0-19-533570-5.
2. *Declaration on the Promotion of Patients' Rights in Europe*.
3. *European Charter of Patients' Rights*.
4. *Declaration of Geneva*. World Medical Association. 2006.
5. *Medical Ethics Manual* [on-line]. World Medical Association. URL: <https://www.wma.net/what-we-do/education/medical-ethics-manual/>¹
6. *European Charter of Patients' Rights*. Basis document [on-line]. Rome, November 2002. http://ec.europa.eu/health/ph_overview/co_operation/mobility/docs/health_services_co108_en.pdf

¹ Recommended study literature.