



<b>Study program:</b> Integrated Academic Studies in Medicine			
<b>Course title:</b> Medical Sociology			
<b>Teacher:</b> Dušan D. Ristić			
<b>Course status:</b> elective			
<b>ECTS Credits:</b> 2			
<b>Condition:</b> -			
<b>Course aim</b> Introducing students to the basic topics, problems and achievements of sociology and medical sociology. The aim is to get students acquainted with the understanding of social relations and contemporary social processes as well as the importance of social problems and challenges of the contemporary medical practice.			
<b>Expected outcome of the course</b> Students acquired knowledge about society and the most important contemporary social processes. Through theoretical, systematic and critical reflection and analysis of the most important issues and subjects of the Medical Sociology, students have knowledge about the connection between contemporary social processes and medical practice and the ability to apply that knowledge in future professional practice.			
<b>Course description</b> <i>Theoretical education</i> The course covers sociological content that should enable students to think rationally and critically about social interactions, processes, and problems. The course covers the following thematic areas: 1. Sociology and Medical Sociology: subject, origin, development; 2. Sociology of Body; 3. Sociological aspects of health 4. Sociological aspects of disease; 5. Social interaction and communication in Medicine: doctor-patient relationship; 6. Professions and the professionalization in Medicine; 7. Social inequalities, health and public health; 8. Medicine and media; 9. Medicine and Risk society.  <i>Practical education</i> Study research work Lectures, discussions, dialogue, presentation of literature, tutorial giving instructions for independent study of individual content units.			
<b>Literature</b> <i>Compulsory</i> 1. Giddens, Anthony (2003). <i>Sociology. 6th Edition</i> . Cambridge: Polity Press.			
<b>Number of active classes</b>	<b>Theoretical classes:</b> 30	<b>Practical classes:</b> 15	
<b>Teaching methods</b>			
<b>Student activity assessment (maximally 100 points)</b>			
<b>Pre-exam activities</b>	<b>points</b>	<b>Final exam</b>	<b>points</b>
Lectures	30	Written	50
Practices	20	Oral	
Colloquium		.....	
Essay			