



**INTEGRATED ACADEMIC STUDIES
OF MEDICINE**

FIRST YEAR OF STUDIES

ACADEMIC YEAR 2023/2024.

MEDICAL ENGLISH

Course:

MEDICAL ENGLISH

The course carries 4 ECTS. It has 45 classes of active teaching (3 classes of lectures per week).

ENGLISH TEACHER

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COURSE STRUCTURE:

Module	Title	Weeks	Classes per week	Lecturer
1	THE HUMAN BODY	5	3	Dusica Obradovic
2	DISEASES AND TREATMENT – PART I	5	3	Dusica Obradovic
3	DISEASES AND TREATMENT – PART II	5	3	Dusica Obradovic

GRADING:

A student masters the course in accordance with the given modules. The grade is equivalent to the number of earned points (see the table).

The points are earned in the following ways:

ACTIVITY DURING THE LECTURES:

In this way, the student can earn 15 points. The points are given for student's preparation to participate actively in the class (at the beginning of the lecture) as well as for following and understanding the teaching materials (during the lecture).

MODULE TESTS:

The student can earn 35 points in this way.

ORAL EXAM (CONVERSATION):

The student can earn 50 points through certain conversation topics.

MODULE		MAX POINTS			
		Activity during the lectures	Module tests	Oral exam	Σ
1	THE HUMAN BODY	5	12	50	17
2	DISEASES AND TREATMENT – PART I	5	10		15
3	DISEASES AND TREATMENT – PART II	5	13		18
Σ		15	35		50+50=100

The final grade is formed in the following way;

If the student wants to pass the exam, he/she must earn min 51 points and pass all modules.

In order to pass the module, the student must:

1. earn more than 50% of points in that module
2. earn more than 50% of points required for the activity during the lectures
3. pass the test module, that is, earn more than 50% of points

The number of earned points	grade
0 - 50	5
51 - 60	6
61 - 70	7
71 - 80	8
81 - 90	9
91 - 100	10

LITERATURE:

TITLE	AUTHORS	PUBLISHER	LIBRARY
English for Students of Medicine	Lazic, D.	Medicinski fakultet, 2003	HAS
English for Doctors and Medical Students	Arneri-Georgiev, J.	Savremena administracija, d.d. Zaduzbina Ilije M. Kolarca, Beograd	HAS
English grammar with exercises	Popovic, Lj., Miric, V.	Naucna knjiga, Beograd, 1999	HAS

All lectures are on the website of the Faculty of Medical Sciences: www.medf.kg.ac.rs

MODULE TESTS

MODULE 1.



TEST
0-12 POINTS

EACH CORRECT ANSWER CARRIES 0,5 OR 1 POINT

MODULE 2.



TEST
0-10 POINTS

EACH CORRECT ANSWER CARRIES 0,5 OR 1 POINT

MODULE 3.



TEST
0-13 POINTS

EACH CORRECT ANSWER CARRIES 0.5 OR 1 POINT

COURSE CONTENT:

THE FIRST MODULE: THE HUMAN BODY

TEACHING UNIT 1 (FIRST WEEK):

Medicine as a Science

Cell

MEDICINE AS A SCIENCE

CELL

3 classes

Medicine as a science, the field of medicine, medicine in ancient times

Structure, function and types of cells

Synonyms and antonyms, plural form of nouns (irregular plurals from Latin and Greek, prefixes and suffixes, conversation)

TEACHING UNIT 2 (SECOND WEEK)

Anatomy

Skin Structure and Function

ANATOMY

SKIN STRUCTURE AND FUNCTION

3 classes

Anatomy as a science, its subdivisions

Skin structure and function

Medical terminology, prepositions, prefixes, conversation

TEACHING UNIT 3 (THIRD WEEK)

Bone

Muscle

BONE MUSCLE

3 classes

Structure and function of bones

Structure and function of muscles

Adjectives, adverbs, tenses, conversation

TEACHING UNIT 4 (FOURTH WEEK)

How Do We Digest Food?

General Surgery

HOW DO WE DIGEST FOOD? GENERAL SURGERY

3 classes

Structure and function of the digestive system

General surgery, medical specialties involving surgery, surgical procedures

Present and future tenses, conversation

TEACHING UNIT 5 (FIFTH WEEK):

Appendicitis

Lung Function and Disease

APPENDICITIS

LUNG FUNCTION AND DISEASE

3 classes

Symptoms and treatment of appendicitis
Lung function and diseases, symptoms and treatment
Synonyms and antonyms, British English vs. American English, modal verbs

THE SECOND MODULE: DISEASES AND TREATMENT – PART I

TEACHING UNIT 6 (SIXTH WEEK):

The Heart
Hypertension

THE HEART HYPERTENSION

3 classes

Structure and function of the heart
Blood pressure, systolic pressure, diastolic pressure, treatment
Common medical abbreviations, passive voice, past tenses, conversation

TEACHING UNIT 7 (SEVENTH WEEK):

Blood
Blood Diseases

BLOOD BLOOD DISEASES

3 classes

Blood structure and function, blood types
Blood diseases, course of treatment
Sequence of tenses, articles, quantifiers, conversation

TEACHING UNIT 8 (EIGHTH WEEK):

Urinary Tract Infections
The Endocrine System

URINARY TRACT INFECTIONS THE ENDOCRINE SYSTEM

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Urinary tract infections
Structure and function of the endocrine system
If clauses, adverbs, pronouns, conversation

TEACHING UNIT 9 (NINTH WEEK):

Diabetes Mellitus
Reproduction

DIABETES MELLITUS REPRODUCTION

3 classes

Diabetes mellitus, types, treatment
Reproduction, types
Participles, prefixes, word order, future tenses, conversation

TEACHING UNIT 10 (TENTH WEEK):

Genetics
The Nervous System

**GENETICS
THE NERVOUS SYSTEM**

3 classes

Genetics as a science
Structure and function of the nervous system
Infinitive and gerund, questions and question tags, prepositions, conversation

THE THIRD MODULE: DISEASES AND TREATMENT – PART II

TEACHING UNIT 11 (ELEVENTH WEEK):

Headaches
Mental Health

**HEADACHES
MENTAL HEALTH**

3 classes

Types of headaches, symptoms and treatment
Mental health
Phrasal verbs, subjunctive, past tenses, conversation

TEACHING UNIT 12 (TWELFTH WEEK):

Anxiety
Senses

**ANXIETY
SENSES**

3 classes

Anxiety and anxiety disorders
Senses, structure and function
Tenses, causative have or get, idioms, conversation

TEACHING UNIT 13 (THIRTEENTH WEEK):

Vision
Allergies

**VISION
ALLERGIES**

3 classes

Vision, anatomy and common conditions
Allergies, symptoms and treatment
Indirect speech, idioms, phrasal verbs, conversation

TEACHING UNIT 14 (FOURTEENTH WEEK):

Immunization
AIDS

**IMMUNIZATION
AIDS**

3 classes

Immunization, active and passive immunization
AIDS – symptoms, treatment
Tenses, conversation

TEACHING UNIT 15 (FIFTEENTH WEEK):

Antibiotics
Medical History

**ANTIBIOTICS
MEDICAL HISTORY**

3 classes

Antibiotics, types, mode of action

Medical history, account of the present illness, past medical history, family history, occupational background, psychosocial history, review of body systems

Talking points

WEEKLY COURSE SCHEDULE

COURSE	TUESDAY
MEDICAL ENGLISH LANGUAGE (3+0)	LECTURES 11:30 – 13:45 (H44)

module	week	classroom	type	TEACHING UNIT	LECTURER
1	1	C44	L	Medicine as a Science	Dusica Obradovic
1	1	C44	L	Cell	Dusica Obradovic
1	2	C44	L	Anatomy	Dusica Obradovic
1	2	C44	L	Skin Structure and Function	Dusica Obradovic
1	3	C44	L	Bone	Dusica Obradovic
1	3	C44	L	Muscle	Dusica Obradovic
1	4	C44	L	How Do We Digest Food?	Dusica Obradovic
1	4	C44	L	General Surgery	Dusica Obradovic
1	5	C44	L	Appendicitis	Dusica Obradovic
1	5	C44	L	Lung Function and Disease	Dusica Obradovic
MODULE TEST 1					
2	6	C44	L	The Heart	Dusica Obradovic
2	6	C44	L	Hypertension	Dusica Obradovic
2	7	C44	L	Blood	Dusica Obradovic
2	7	C44	L	Blood Diseases	Dusica Obradovic

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2	8	C44	L	Urinary Tract Infections	Dusica Obradovic
2	8	C44	L	The Endocrine System	Dusica Obradovic
2	9	C44	L	Diabetes Mellitus	Dusica Obradovic
2	9	C44	L	Reproduction	Dusica Obradovic
2	10	C44	L	Genetics	Dusica Obradovic
2	10	C44	L	The Nervous System	Dusica Obradovic
MODULE TEST 2					
3	11	C44	L	Headaches	Dusica Obradovic
3	11	C44	L	Mental Health	Dusica Obradovic
3	12	C44	L	Anxiety	Dusica Obradovic
3	12	C44	L	Senses	Dusica Obradovic
3	13	C44	L	Vision	Dusica Obradovic
3	13	C44	L	Allergies	Dusica Obradovic
3	14	C44	L	Immunization	Dusica Obradovic
3	14	C44	L	AIDS	Dusica Obradovic

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3	15	C44	L	Antibiotics	Dusica Obradovic
3	15	C44	L	Medical History	Dusica Obradovic
		C44		MODULE TEST 3	