

Study programme: DENTISTRY
Type and level of studies: Integrated academic studies, Level 1/2
Course unit: THE HISTORY OF DENTISTRY
Teacher in charge: Svetlana Radevic, MD, DSc, Assistant Professor
Language of instruction: ENGLISH
ECTS: 3
Prerequisites: The enrollment in the first year of the studies is required
Semester: WINTER SEMESTER
Course unit objective: Students are to be acquainted with the historical development of medicine and dentistry as scientific disciplines.
<p>Learning outcomes of Course unit:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowledge on the developments in medicine and dentistry from the empirical phase to the scientific one • Knowledge on the developments in medicine and dentistry, and their specificities shown throughout the periods dating from prehistoric to modern times • Knowledge on the contemporary achievements in dentistry and medicine • Knowledge on the developments in medicine and dentistry in the territory of the Republic of Serbia
<p>Course unit contents</p> <p><i>Theoretical classes</i></p> <p><i>The History of Dentistry and its Philosophy. The History of Dentistry. The Official Traditional and Alternative Medicine, Religion and Magic. The Periodization of the History of Medicine and Dentistry. Ancient Diseases in Prehistoric Humans (palaeopathology, paleodontology). Medicine and Dental Medicine of the Oldest Cultured Peoples. The Period of Ancient Medicine and Dentistry. The Period of Medieval Medicine and Dentistry. The Period of Renaissance in the 16th Century and Implementation of Scientific Medicine and Dentistry. The Main Features of Medicine and Dentistry in the 19th and 20th century and Development of Individual Dentistry Disciplines. The Serbian Medieval Medicine. The Medical Codex of Hilandar. The First Educated Doctors of Dental Medicine in Serbia. The Foundation of the Serbian Medical Society. The Status of Serbian Dentistry in the World.</i></p> <p><i>Practical classes</i></p> <p><i>Writing essays on the given topic in the history of dentistry; students search multiple electronic databases on the Internet, and after finding the relevant literature and examining the authenticity of the historical sources found in such a manner – they write a short essay on the specific topic in the history of dentistry.</i></p>
<p>Literature</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Guerini, Vincenzo. A history of dentistry, from the most ancient times until the end of the eighteenth century. Pound Ridge, New York: Milford House, 1909. Available at: http://www.crllearning.org/files/PDF/78000/78222-0000.pdf 2. Wilwerding, Terry. "History of Dentistry 2001". Available at: https://web.archive.org/web/20141103094821/http://www.dentalofficesantaclarita.com/history2001.PDF

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5. Lufkin, Arthur Ward. A history of dentistry. Philadelphia: Lea & Febiger, 1948
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Number of active teaching hours				Other classes
Lectures: 15	Practice: 15	Other forms of classes:	Independent work: 150	
Teaching methods: Lectures, clinical practice, clinical problems solving				
Examination methods (maximum 100 points)				
Exam prerequisites	No. of points:	Final exam	No. of points:	
Student's activity during lectures	15	oral examination		
practical classes/tests		written examination	70	
Seminars/homework	15		
Project				
Other				

Grading system		
Grade	No. of points	Description
10	95-100	Excellent
9	85-94	Exceptionally good
8	75-84	Very good
7	65-74	Good
6	55-64	Passing
5	< 54	Failing

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