

Faculty of Medicine

FYPA64, Physiotherapy: Clinical Education in Primary Care Unit, 7.5 credits

Fysioterapi: Verksamhetsförlagd utbildning inom öppenvård, 7,5 högskolepoäng First Cycle / Grundnivå

Details of approval

The syllabus is an old version, approved by The Rehabilitation Programmes Board on 2018-04-10 and was valid from 2018-07-01, autumn semester 2018.

General Information

The course is included in the Bachelor's programme in Physiotherapy, 180 credits, and is compulsory for a degree of Bachelor of Science in Physiotherapy. It is included in semester 6 and complies with the provisions of the Higher Education Ordinance (SFS 1993:100 with later amendments).

Main field of studies Depth of study relative to the degree

requirements

Physiotherapy G2F, First cycle, has at least 60 credits in

first-cycle course/s as entry requirements

Learning outcomes

Knowledge and understanding

On completion of the course, the students shall be able to

- critically discuss theories of physiotherapy within movement science related to patient cases
- provide a structured discussion of patient cases based on the International Classification of Functioning, Disability and Health (ICF),
- describe and discuss health promotion and preventive measures related to different patient groups
- reflect on professional ethics in physiotherapy activities

Competence and skills

On completion of the course, the students shall be able to

- independently apply evidence-based knowledge and adopt a critical approach to the examination, assessment, treatment, evaluation and follow up of patients with functional impairments
- use good teaching skills to motivate patients to follow instructions and prescriptions
- plan their work and add to a patient file within predetermined time frames
- initiate and participate in health promotion measures
- confidently inform and instruct patients, their loved ones and staff with regard to diversity
- confidently apply a working method based on ergonomic principles
- apply rules of patient safety and hygiene
- cooperate with other professional groups in a professional manner
- confidently apply laws, statutes and rules that apply in health and medical care

Judgement and approach

On completion of the course, the students shall demonstrate a good ability to

- apply a professional approach to patients, their loved ones, colleagues and other professionals
- identify and communicate their need of further knowledge and continuously develop their professional expertise

Course content

The course takes place in out-patient care involving physiotherapy. It is supervised by a clinically active physiotherapist, consists of full-time study and runs for 5 weeks.

Course design

The teaching consists of supervised clinical training in an organisation. 1.5 credits correspond to 40 hours of a working week.

Assessment

To pass the course, students are required to have

- passed an individual written assessment
- passed a written assignment

Clinical training requires compulsory participation.

Number of exams

One examination and one opportunity to retake the examination are arranged soon after the course. Students who do not achieve a pass on either of these occasions will be able to retake the examination on a later occasion.

Students retaking clinical training will be provided with a new opportunity for clinical training. A course being retaken is subject to the same rules as for regular clinical training.

Examination of the course may take place earlier if the student commits serious errors during clinical training because of gaps in knowledge or skill. An individual plan will be drawn up for a student who fails early examination. The discovered gaps are to be listed, the support available to the student described and the times of examination and any re-examination of the shortcomings stated. Clinical training may only be resumed when the student has demonstrated that the shortcomings have been remedied.

New examiner

A student who has failed two examinations on a course or module is entitled to have another examiner appointed, unless there are special reasons to the contrary (SFS 2006: 1053). (SFS 2006:1053). The request is made to the programme director.

The examiner, in consultation with Disability Support Services, may deviate from the regular form of examination in order to provide a permanently disabled student with a form of examination equivalent to that of a student without a disability.

Subcourses that are part of this course can be found in an appendix at the end of this document.

Grades

Marking scale: Fail, Pass.

Entry requirements

To be admitted to the course, students must be admitted to the Bachelor's programme in Physiotherapy and

- have passed semesters 1, 2, 3 and 4
- and completed semester 5.

Further information

The course replaces FYPA61

Subcourses in FYPA64, Physiotherapy: Clinical Education in Primary Care Unit

Applies from H18

1801 Clinical Education, 7,5 hp Grading scale: Fail, Pass