

LÄKA31, Professional Development 3, 1.5 credits

Professionell utveckling 3, 1,5 högskolepoäng

First Cycle / Grundnivå

Details of approval

The syllabus was approved by Committee for Biomedical, Medical and Public Health Education on 2014-04-02 to be valid from 2014-04-02, autumn semester 2014.

General Information

The course is included in semester 3 of the Master of Science programme in Medicine and is taught alongside *Homeostasis*. It is compulsory.

Language of instruction: Swedish
Literature in English may be included.

Main field of studies

Medicine

Depth of study relative to the degree requirements

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

- account for basic psychological mechanisms that affect the patient-doctor relationship.

Competence and skills

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

- establish contact with the patient and carry out the introductory part of the consultation in a professional fashion
- carry out a physical examination of circulation and respiration: lungs, heart, peripheral pulses and blood pressure

Judgement and approach

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

- reflect on theoretical and practical aspects of the doctor-patient relationship
- act in a respectful and professional way in relation to patients, healthcare staff, fellow students and teaching staff

Course content

During the course, students are provided with knowledge, skills and approaches that further develop their ability to deal with patients in a professional fashion

Course design

Lectures on medical psychology. Group exercises in conversational methodology (comp), clinical examination methodology (comp) and application at a public health care centre (comp).

Assessment

Written reflection on medical psychology

Certificate of attendance at compulsory components

Students who have failed examinations are entitled to re-take an exam four times. Further opportunities may be granted after a special application. Students who have begun a course under an older programme syllabus are entitled to three re-takes of examinations on the course for one year after the course was discontinued or

underwent major changes.

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 have passed all exams up to and including semester 1 of the programme and passed course components/portfolio up to and including semester 2.

Subcourses in LÄKA31, Professional Development 3

Applies from H08

0701 Portfolio, 1,5 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass