

Faculty of Medicine

# MEVN10, Reading Course in Interdisciplinary Gerontology, 2.5 credits

Reading Course in Interdisciplinary Gerontology, 2,5 högskolepoäng Second Cycle / Avancerad nivå

# Details of approval

The syllabus was approved by The Master's Programmes Board on 2009-10-13 to be valid from 2009-10-13, autumn semester 2009.

## **General Information**

The course is a second-cycle course in medical science. It complies with the regulations of the Higher Education Ordinance (SFS 1993:100) with later amendments. It can also be studied as a freestanding course.

Language of instruction: English

Main field of studies	Depth of study relative to the degree requirements
Occupational Therapy	A1F, Second cycle, has second-cycle course/s as entry requirements
Physiotherapy	A1F, Second cycle, has second-cycle course/s as entry requirements
Nursing	A1F, Second cycle, has second-cycle course/s as entry requirements

## Learning outcomes

#### Knowledge and understanding

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

• independently identify and discuss applications of scientific knowledge in gerontology

#### Competence and skills

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

- select, present and communicate relevant knowledge in gerontology
- discuss and argue for the choice of design and method for a specific purpose and reflect on the results

#### Judgement and approach

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

• independently reflect on and demonstrate awareness of the ageing individual's resources and needs.

### Course content

The aim of the course is to increase the students' knowledge and understanding of ageing and the scientific study of ageing.

### Course design

The course consists of online part-time studies.

#### Assessment

Written report.

Theoretical courses

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 who have failed an examination on a theoretical course are entitled to retake the examination four times.

#### New examiner

A student who has taken two examinations in a course or a part of a course without obtaining a pass grade is entitled to have another examiner appointed, unless there are special reasons to the contrary (Swedish Code of Statutes 2006:1053). The request is to be made to the programme director.

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 a degree in occupational therapy, physiotherapy or nursing equivalent to a degree of Bachelor (180 credits including 15 credits of project work) or the equivalent, as well as completed the course Introduction to Interdisciplinary Gerontology, 5 credits.

Subcourses in MEVN10, Reading Course in Interdisciplinary Gerontology

Applies from H09

0901 Gerontological Concepts, 2,5 hp Grading scale: Fail, Pass