Semmelweis University

Faculty of Medicine Academic year 2023/2024

October 18, 2023

EM II Microscopic anatomy and Embryology

1st MIDTERM ANNOUNCEMENTS

The first midterm is held during the regular classes of the 8th study week, except for groups EM13-17: October 26. 10.20.

EM 7-12	October 24 (Tuesday)	13.15
EM 18-20	October 24 (Tuesday)	16.45
EM 13-17	October 26 (Thursday)	10.20
EM 1-6	October 26 (Thursday)	11.00

Course of the midterm examination

The test is composed of simple and multiple choice questions. Some of the questions contain theoretical pictures, but not photos of histology slides. Altogether 20 points may be collected, passing rate is 60%. The writing time is 20 minutes. There is no review possibility after the midterm.

Topic: Microscopy and development of the central nervous system (lectures 3-14, practices Week 4-7)

There is **no practice after the test**, for those who do not have to write the midterm, the presence is NOT obligatory.

(According to the Announcement and the Handbook: Depending on the result of the 4 weekly CNS tests:

- 1. Students earning at least **90% of the points (i.e., 36 points or more**) will be <u>exempted from the **1st**</u> <u>midterm</u> **AND from the CNS topic** of the final examination with a **mark 5**.
- 2. Students earning at least **80% of the points (i.e., between 32 and 35.9 points)** will be <u>exempted</u> from the **1st midterm AND from the CNS topic** of the final examination with a **mark 4**.
- 3. Students earning between **60-79.90% of the points (i.e., 24-31.9 points)** will be <u>exempted from the **1st midterm**</u> (**BUT NOT from the CNS topic at the final examination**) with a **mark 2 or 3** according to their scores. HOWEVER, <u>they may sit for the midterm</u> in an attempt to upgrade their mark. In case they score at least 80% percent at the midterm test they will be exempted from the CNS topic of the final examination. (In case the midterm result is worse than the weekly CNS tests result (%), the <u>better grade</u> is accepted.)
- 4. Students earning less than 60% (less than 24 points) from the consultation tests MUST write and pass the midterm. In case they score at least 80% percent at the midterm test they will be exempted from the CNS topic of the final examination. Students having an unsuccessful result from the midterm should retake at a given timepoint and pass the exam or their semester will not be accepted.)

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