

MEDICAL HUNGARIAN I.

Responsible organisational unit:

Department of Languages for Specific Purposes

Programme director:

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4 lessons per week, 2 credits,

Assessment: 2 oral tests (on weeks 7 and 14)

The aim of the subject:

The role of this subject is to help students acquire the Hungarian language skills that enable them to take anamnesis, ask the patient about medical history and present complaints and to develop strategies that help understanding Hungarian patients in their clinical practice.

Students learn how to communicate with the patient during the examination of the thoracic organs, circulation, abdomen, locomotor and nervous systems. Furthermore, they get familiarised with basic medical documentation (e.g., patient's chart). They develop the vocabulary necessary in their clinical practice, such as the names of symptoms and conditions.

Course content of practical lessons:

weeks	curriculum
1	Introduce yourself in Hungarian
2	What can I do for you? What languages do you speak? Where are you from? (Conjugation of verbs I.)
3	What do you do in Budapest? (Conjugation of verbs II)
4	Where do you live? (numbers, conjugation of verbs with „-ik”)
5	Roleplay exercises I
6	Roleplay exercises II
7	Oral interview (first midterm)
8	The human body, bodyparts
9	At the pharmacy
10	What is your complaint?
11	Talking about pain (location, duration)
12	At the clinics: patient's data
13	Basics of history taking in Hungarian
14	Oral interview

Course material provided by the Department of Languages for Specific Purposes