REQUIREMENTS Introduction to German for Medicine II.

Semmelweis University, Faculty of Medicine, Department of Languages for Specific Purposes
Title of the course: Introduction to German for Medicine II.
Neptun Code: AOSNYE944 2M
Type: Elective
Credit points: 2, 1x90 minutes per week
Course director: Katalin Fogarasi PhD
Topics of the course:
The course is built upon authentic conversations using specific terminology, written/spoken
terminology panels and special documentation using terminology. Its aim is to get students from level A1 to level A2 communication using terminology; to deepen students' special
knowledge.
Week 1. Introduction, taking patient data, history taking for internal medicine
Skills: how to collect general information about the patient
2. Symptoms: inquiry and documentation
Skills: how to ask about current symptoms
3. Pain: its types and character Skills: how to take medical history, give information and introduce the clinical
pathway to the patient
4. Acute illnesses, infections, fever
Skills: how to take medical history, give information and refer the patient to
a specialist
5. Neurological symptoms, headache, the referral letter
Skills: how to take medical history, give information and refer the patient to a specialist, how to write a referral letter
6. Physical and instrumental examinations, the report letter, review
Skills: how to give instructions, keep medical records, communicate findings,
medical communication (speaking and writing)
7. Test. Hospital admission
Skills: how to take medical history, introduce the clinical pathway and refer
the patient to a specialist
8. Hospital treatment, discharge summary Skills: how to prepare the patient for examinations or surgery, how to read
the discharge summary and refer the patient to a specialist
9. Emergency care, injuries, surgery
Skills: how to take history and communicate in an emergency, how to use the ABCD
checklist and refer the patient using SBAR
10. Chronic illnesses
Skills: how to take medical history, give information and refer the patient to
a specialist 11. Healthy lifestyle
Skills: how to give information and advice to the patient
12. Review
Skills: medical communication (speaking and writing)
13. Test.(Speaking)
Skills: medical communication (speaking)
14. Assessment of speaking skills

Requirements for attending the course and catching-up opportunities:

Attendance of lessons is obligatory. Students are allowed to have three absences per semester. In the case of more absences, the teacher may deny giving signature (TVSz 29§2)a)). Students who miss a class, can make up for it (two times a semester).

Possibilities to justify absence:

A medical certificate for long-term sickness or hospitalization is required if students are absent more than 2 times.

Midterm and end-term test and possibilities for retake:

Midterm test (week 7) and end of term oral exam (week 13)

Topics of midterms: see the topics of the course.

Students who fail the midterm test must retake it out of the hours of the lesson

Requirements for signature:

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Final grade:

The evaluation of student performance is based on the marks received for the written paper, the oral exam, and for active participation in classes. Tests under 50% must be retaken. In the latter case, the mark fail will also be calculated towards the final mark.

0-50% = 1 (fail) 51-60% = 2 (pass) 61-75% = 3 (satisfactory) 76-89% = 4 (good) 90-100% = 5 (excellent)

Type of exam: practice mark

Application for the exam: –

Modification of the application for the exam: – Justification of absence from the exam:–

Authentic material compiled by the Department of Languages for Specific Purposes. Textbooks per specific languages according to the list provided.