University of Niš Faculty of Medicine

Study program: INTEGRATED ACADEMIC STUDIES OF MEDICINE



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Course: Nuclear medicine	
Course head: prof. dr Miloš Stević	
Course status:	Required
Semester: VIII	Study year: IV
ECTS: 2	Course code: M-IV-31

Course purpose:

During the theoretical and practical classes in the course, students should get the fundamental information about clinical diagnostic and therapeutic use of radiopharmaceuticals.

Course outcome: (knowledge, skills, attitudes)

Students, future general practitioners and specialists in various disciplines, will be able to use as indicated and interpret the findings of radionuclide methods in specific clinical disciplines.

Nr. of classes of active teaching: 30

Lectures: 15 Practice: 15

Course contents

Theory

Involves lectures in general and special nuclear medicine. The general part involves physicochemical properties of radionuclides, mechanisms of distribution of radiopharmaceuticals, specificities of nuclear medicine instrumentation, and basics of radionuclide methods.

The special part involves the use of radionuclide methods in various clinical disciplines.

Practice

Demonstration of scintigraphic findings in different clinical disciplines and interactive practice of their interpretation. The second phase of practice consists of comparation of scintigraphy findings with compatible imaging procedures (other visualization methods).

Recommended literature:

- 1. Bogićević M, Ilić S. Nuklearna Medicina, Klinika i metodologija SIIC, Niš, 2007.
- 2. Sandler MP. Diagnostic Nuclear Medicine, Lippincot Williams and Wilkins, Phildalphia, 2003.
- 3. Practical Nuclear medicine, Editors: P.F.Sharp, H.G.Gemmell, A.D.Murray, Springer 2005
- 4. Nuclear Medicine, Editors: H.Ziessman, J Malley, J Thrall, Elseivier, 4th edition, 2013

Teaching methods:

- Interactive theoretical and practical teaching
- Consultations
- Seminars

Required previously passed exams:

None

Grade (max. 100 points)

Pre-exam obligations

- Attendance and activity at lectures: 0 10 points
- Activity at practice classes: 0 20 points
- Tests: 0 30 points
- Practical exam: 0 10 points

Practical exam consists of the analysis of a graph and is not eliminatory, but impacts the grade.

Final exam

■ Oral exam: 0 – 30 points