## University of Niš Faculty of Medicine

# Study program: INTEGRATED ACADEMIC STUDIES OF MEDICINE



**ACCREDITATION 2018** 

| Course: Social medicine                  |                     |
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| Course head: Prof. dr Aleksandar Višnjić |                     |
| Course status:                           | Required            |
| Semester: IX                             | Study year: ∨       |
| ECTS: 2                                  | Course code: M-V-36 |

#### **Course purpose:**

Adoption of the social medicine approach in the explanation of complex phenomena of health and disease; principles of work in population health care; health care legislation; medical technologies; methods of measurement of health-related parameters; health education; health promotion.

## **Course outcome:** (knowledge, skills, attitudes)

Future doctors will be able to take part in the preservation of population health, utilizing the appropriate strategies and forms of health care.

## No. of classes of active teaching: 45

| Lectures: 15 | Practice: 14 | OFT: 16 |
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#### **Course content**

#### Theoretical teaching:

Social medicine – subject, contents, methods, relationship with other disciplines. Health – definition, current concept, risk factors. Natural course of disease and prevention measures. Economical significance of health, financing of health care, health insurance. Health care – basic principles, tiers, principles, health care of particular population categories. Social diseases. "Health for Everyone" concept. Health care institutions; health professionals. Health care programming. Health promotion concept; health education. International health care cooperation. Management in health care.

#### Practical teaching

Indices of population health. Health care of individual categories of population. Social diseases. Planning of health care. Health education (motivation, communication, methods, means). Health promotion.

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| 1.  | Analysis of health insurance systems worldwide and in our country. |
| 2.  | Health status and health care of particular population categories  |

## **Recommended literature:**

- 1. Aleksandar Višnjić, Olivera Radulović, Roberta Marković i dr. Socijalna medicina i javno zdravlje. Urednik: Višnjić A. Niš, Medicinski fakultet Univerziteta u Nišu; 2022.
- 2. Timotić B, Milić Č, Janjić M, Bašić S, Jović S. Socijalna medicina. Velarta, Beograd 2000.
- 3. Slađana Jović (gl.ur.). Socijalna medicina sa epidemiologijom i higijenom: za studente integrisanih akademskih studija stomatologije. Lukovo: Galaksija, Medicinski fakultet Univerziteta u Nišu, 2011.

# **Teaching methods:**

- Interactive theoretical and practical teaching
- Consultations
- Seminar papers

## Required previously passed exams:

None

# Grade (max. 100 points)

## **Pre-exam obligations**

- Activity at practice classes: 0 10 points
- Seminar papers: 0 30 points

## **Final exam**

■ Written exam: 0 – 60 points