

## COURSE INFORMATION SHEET

<b>University:</b> Catholic University in Ružomberok	
<b>Faculty:</b> Faculty of Health	
<b>Course code:</b> KUZS/54R1055W/17	<b>Course title:</b> Professional Ethics
<b>Type and range of planned learning activities and teaching methods:</b> <b>Form of instruction:</b> Lecture / Seminar <b>Recommended study range:</b> <b>hours weekly:</b> 2 / 0 <b>hours per semester:</b> 24 / 0 <b>Teaching method:</b> on-site (distance method according to the document Príkaz rektora P-8/2020 since 15. 10. 2020)	
<b>Credits:</b> 2	
<b>Recommended semester/trimester:</b> 5.	
<b>Level of study:</b> I.	
<b>Prerequisites:</b>	
<b>Requirements for passing the course:</b> Active participation in exercises. Final evaluation: Final written exam - test. Course evaluation: A - 100% -93% B - 92% -85% C - 84% -77% D - 76% -69% E - 68% -60% FX - 59% - 0%	
<b>Learning outcomes of the course:</b> Objective of the course - aims of the course unit: To get acquainted with the issue of international documents in the field of bioethics, medical ethics and medical research ethics. Theoretical knowledge: The student will gain knowledge of the latest approaches in the field of ethics and decision-making in the field of patient care. The knowledge is focused on ethical principles and their observance, theoretical determination of values and decision-making, ethical systems and methodology as well as their theoretical application in practice. Practical skills: The student will acquire practical skills that will help him analyze current ethical issues related to the provision of health care, based on which he will be able to make decisions in specific situations. In accordance with international documents in the field of ethics and bioethics, he will be able to perform procedures in such a way that he does not violate the rights of the patient and at the same time comply with legislative procedures.	
<b>Course contents:</b> 1. Basic principles of medical ethics. 2. Codes of ethics and requirements for the paramedic. 3. International documents in the field of bioethics and medical ethics. 4. Ethics and communication in emergency health care. Field work and ethics.	

5. The process of obtaining informed consent. Ethics and the unconscious patient, the patient's relatives and their rights, the patient-child and the rights of the child. The role of the parent and ethics.
6. Moral-ethical dilemmas in health care at the beginning of life - artificial reproduction, viability, artificial termination of pregnancy, contraception.
7. Ethics and first aid. Initiation and termination of CPR from the point of view of ethics.
8. Ethics and accidents with mass disabilities. Sorting, rejection and the like.
9. Ethics of transplants. Collection of organs, cells and tissues.
10. Ethics at the end of life - euthanasia, futile treatment, failure to provide treatment to the dying.
11. Patients' rights and ethics.
12. Ethics and restraints in healthcare.

**Recommended or required literature:**

1. CEHULOVÁ LUBOMÍRA, Bioetika pre vychovávateľov, alebo veda prežitia, Prešov, 2010, 237 p.
2. FOBELOVÁ DANIELA a kol: Aplikovaná etika a profesionálna prax, UMB Banská Bystrica 2011, 309 p.
3. HEŘMANOVÁ JANA: Etika v ošetrovateľskej praxi, Grada 2012, 200 p.
4. HRKÚK JÁN: Argumentácia v bioetike, KU Ružomberok, Verbum, 2009, 2015p.
5. HUMENÍK Ivan, SZANISZLÓ M. Biomedicínsky výskum, právne, etiky, filozoficky. Bratislava, Eurokódex, 2012 336 p.
6. JESUS JOHN, Ethical Problems in Emergency Medicine, Oxford, John Wiley and Son, 2012, 331 p.
7. KOLEKTÍV AUTOROV. 2009. Bioetické konflikty – stav a sociálne dôsledky 40 rokov po Humanae vitae. 2009. Verbum Ružomberok : KU 168 p.
8. PTÁČEK RADEK, Etika a komunikace v medicíne, Grada, Praha, 2011, 528 p.
9. SÝKORA PETER: Altruizmus, reciprocita a solidarita, UCM Trnava 2011, 163 p.
10. ŠOLTÉS, L., PULMAN, R. a kol. 2008. Vybrané kapitoly z medicínskej etiky. Martin : Osveta. 2008. 257 p.
11. VÁCHA MAREK, Základy moderní lékařské etiky, Portál 2012, 302p.
12. VALKOVÁ, D., DUDÁŠ. M., 2007. Informovaný súhlas. Preklad originálu: CARMÍ, A. 2007. Informovaný súhlas. Haifa : Izraelská Národná komisia pre UNESCO.

**Language of instruction:**

Slovak Language

**Notes:**

The course is taught only in the winter semester and is evaluated only in the relevant examination period of the winter semester of the academic year.

**Course evaluation:**

Assessed students in total: 106

A	B	C	D	E	FX
55.66	24.53	10.38	5.66	3.77	0.0

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