

Faculty of Medicine in Rijeka

**Curriculum  
2022/2023**

For course

**Dermatovenereology**

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| Study program:      | <b>Medical Studies in English (R)</b><br>University integrated undergraduate and graduate study |
| Department:         | <b>Department of Dermatovenereology</b>                                                         |
| Course coordinator: | <b>prof. dr. sc. Peternel Sandra, dr. med.</b>                                                  |
| Year of study:      | <b>4</b>                                                                                        |
| ECTS:               | <b>3</b>                                                                                        |
| Incentive ECTS:     | <b>0 (0.00%)</b>                                                                                |
| Foreign language:   | <b>Possibility of teaching in a foreign language</b>                                            |

## **Course information:**

Dermatovenereology is a fourth-year compulsory course of the Integrated Undergraduate and Graduate University Study of Medicine in English. The course consists of 20 lectures, 10 seminars and 30 practicals and is worth 3 ECTS credits.

The aim of the course is to acquire knowledge of the most common skin diseases and sexually transmitted diseases through discussion-based lectures and seminars.

Upon successful completion of the course, students will be able to:

1. use professional terminology in the field of dermatology and venereology
2. perform examination the patient's dermatologic history
3. distinguish the types of skin lesions and perform a valid physical examination of the skin, nails, hair and visible mucosal surfaces
4. describe the pathogenesis and clinical presentation of the most common skin and venereal diseases
5. distinguish the basic diagnostic techniques used in dermatovenereology and discuss their applications
6. describe and compare the treatment options and commonly used dermatosurgical procedures in the management of skin and venereal diseases

The schedule of lectures and seminars is given in the tables entitled "Course Teaching Plan" and "Course Schedule" (below). Class times may vary with prior notice and consultation with students.

Seminars require preparatory assignments.

Assigned reading will be available through the Elsevier ClinicalKey website.

## **List of assigned reading:**

1. Gawkrödger DJ. Dermatology: An Illustrated Colour Text, 7th Ed. Elsevier Ltd, 2021.
2. Bologna JL, Schaffer JV, Duncan KO, KO CJ. Dermatology Essentials, 2 nd Ed. Elsevier Inc., 2022.

## **List of optional reading:**

1. Šitum M, Goren A. Dermatovenereology - textbook and atlas for medical and dental students. Medicinska naklada, 2021
2. James WD, Elston DM, McMahon PJ. Andrews' Diseases of the Skin Clinical Atlas. Elsevier Inc., 2018.

## **Curriculum:**

### **Student obligations:**

Students are required to attend all forms of classes on a regular basis. Absence from classes is compensated by an oral colloquium on a related topic.

Each student will be assigned a seminar topic to prepare and present as a Power Point presentation to other students (10 minutes per presentation). The list of assigned reading for each seminar topic will be provided. All students are expected to actively participate in the seminars by discussing a given topic.

## **Exam (exam taking, description of the written/oral/practical part of the exam, point distribution, grading criteria):**

Instructors will evaluate student work during classes and the final exam. The final exam will consist of an online multiple-choice test on the Merlin platform and an oral exam administered on-site (or exceptionally online via the MS Teams platform). Each student must score at least 50% on the online multiple-choice test to qualify for the oral portion of the final exam.

Scoring criteria:

1. Seminar presentation- max. 10 - Each presentation will be scored as follows: sufficient = 4 points, good = 6 points, very good = 8 points, excellent = 10 points
2. Online multiple choice test - max. 20 - number of correct answers = number of points (minimum threshold is 10 points)
3. Oral exam -max. 70- Knowledge shown at the final oral exam will be scored as follows: sufficient = 31-40 points, good = 41-50 points, very good = 51-60 points, excellent = 61-70 points
4. Which gives a total of 100

Final scores are as follows:

A (excellent): 90 - 100% points

B (very good): 75 - 89,9%

C (good): 60 - 74,9%

D (sufficient): 50 - 59,9%

F (insufficient): 0 - 49,9%

## **Other notes (related to the course) important for students:**

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## **COURSE HOURS 2022/2023**

Dermatovenerology

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## **List of lectures, seminars and practicals:**

## **EXAM DATES (final exam):**

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