

Course Title	Rheumatology and Dermatology				
Course Code	MD425				
Course Type	Compulsory				
Level	1 st Cycle (MD)				
Year / Semester	4 th Year / 8 th Semester				
Teacher's Name	TBA				
ECTS	3	Lectures / week	3 hrs/ 16 weeks	Laboratories / week	0 hrs/ 16 weeks
Course Purpose and Objectives	The objective of the course is to familiarize students with the clinical manifestations, diagnosis, medical and surgical management and prevention of the diseases of the skin and skin appendages, as well of sexually transmitted diseases (STD) and the most common conditions and diseases in rheumatology				
Learning Outcomes	<p>Upon successful completion of this course students should be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify the most frequently encountered skin pathologies. • Diagnose the most frequently encountered skin pathologies. • Manage the most frequently encountered skin pathologies • Identify and classify the most common rheumatologic conditions and diseases • Discuss the diagnostic approach to rheumatologic diseases, as well as basic management of the most common rheumatologic conditions and diseases 				
Prerequisites	None		Co-requisites	None	
Course Content	<p>The function and structure of the skin Diagnosis of skin disorders Medical and physical forms of dermatological treatment Infections and infestations of the skin with Lyme disease Disorders of keratinization Skin tumours Psoriasis and other papulosquamous disorders Eczema and dermatitis Drug reactions Genetic disorders Disorders of blood vessels and lymphatic vessels Sebaceous and sweat gland disorders Cosmetology</p> <p>The skin in systemic diseases</p> <p>Disorders of pigmentation Regional dermatology (hair and nails)</p>				

	Sexually transmitted infections In-Patient dermatology Skin and psyche Clinical concepts and common problems in rheumatology. Osteoarthritis. Inflammatory arthritis. Rheumatoid arthritis. Crystal deposition arthritis. Systemic Lupus Erythematosus. Antiphospholipid Syndrome. Systemic Sclerosis Sjogren Syndrome. Behcet's Disease. Adult Still's Disease. Dermatomyositis / Polymyositis . Vasculitis. Spondylarthropathies.
Teaching Methodology	Face-to-face, Lectures, Practical exercises, Quizzes, Case Presentations, Simulated patients
Bibliography	Weller R, Hunter J, Savin J, Dahl M. Clinical Dermatology, Blackwell Publishing Color Atlas and Synopsis of Clinical Dermatology; Fitzpatrick, Thomas / Johnson, Richard; 978-0071360388; McGraw-Hill; Primer on the Rheumatic Diseases; Klippel, J.; 978-0387356648; Springer;
Assessment	Examinations: 70% Assignment/Lab 20% Class Participation: 10%
Language	English