



## LATIN IN MEDICINE

<b>1. IMPRINT</b>	
<b>Academic Year</b>	2022/2023
<b>Department</b>	Faculty of Dental Medicine
<b>Field of study</b>	English Dentistry Division
<b>Main scientific discipline</b> <i>(in accord with appendix to the Regulation of Minister of Science and Higher education from 26th of July 2019)</i>	Medical sciences
<b>Study Profile</b> <i>(general academic / practical)</i>	General academic
<b>Level of studies</b> <i>(1<sup>st</sup> level /2<sup>nd</sup> level/ uniform MSc)</i>	Uniform MSc
<b>Form of studies</b>	Full-time program
<b>Type of module / course</b> <i>(obligatory / non-compulsory)</i>	Obligatory
<b>Form of verification of learning outcomes</b> <i>(exam / completion)</i>	Completion
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## 2. BASIC INFORMATION

<b>Year and semester of studies</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> year, 1 <sup>st</sup> semester	<b>Number of ECTS credits</b>	2.00
<b>FORMS OF CLASSES</b>		<b>Number of hours</b>	<b>ECTS credits calculation</b>
<b>Contacting hours with academic teacher</b>			
Lecture (L)			
Seminar (S)			
Discussions (D)		30	2.00
e-learning (e-L)			
Practical classes (PC)			
Work placement (WP)			
<b>Unassisted student's work</b>			
Preparation for classes and completions			

## 3. COURSE OBJECTIVES

O1	The student should be able to recognise and use Latin-Greek basic medical terms, including dental terminology.
O2	The student should be able to use terms and abbreviations of Latin origin in medical record and medical prescription.
O3	The student should be able to discern the relationship between Latin and other modern languages.

**4. STANDARDS OF LEARNING – DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF EFFECTS OF LEARNING** (concerns fields of study regulated by the Regulation of Minister of Science and Higher Education from 26 of July 2019; does not apply to other fields of study)

<b>Code and number of effect of learning in accordance with standards of learning</b> (in accordance with appendix to Regulation of Minister of Science and Higher education from 26th of July 2019)	<b>Effects in time</b>
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**Knowledge – Graduate\* knows and understands:**

D.W4.	the importance of verbal and non-verbal communication in the process of communicating with the patient and the concept of trust in interaction with the patient
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**Skills– Graduate\* is able to:**

D.U16.	critically analyze medical literature, including in English, and draw conclusion.
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\* In appendix to the Regulation of Minister of Science and Higher education from 26th of July 2019 „graduate”, not student is mentioned.

**5. ADDITIONAL EFFECTS OF LEARNING** (non-compulsory)

<b>Number of effect of learning</b>	<b>Effects of learning i time</b>
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**Knowledge – Graduate knows and understands:**

K1	Latin and Greek medical terms.
K2	Latin phrases and abbreviations used in medical and pharmaceutical terminology.

**Skills– Graduate is able to:**

S1	use Latin and Greek medical terms.
S2	use Latin phrases and abbreviations used in medical and pharmaceutical terminology.

**Social Competencies – Graduate is ready for:**

SC1	continually broadening their knowledge.
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<b>6. CLASSES</b>		
Form of class	Class contents	Effects of Learning

Discussions	D1 - Discussing the syllabus (the course content, learning outcomes and the methods of their verification; rules and regulations; credit receiving criteria). A brief history of Latin and an introduction to the language.	D.W4., D.U16. K1, K2, S1, S2, SC1
	D2 - Latin nouns and their basic forms. Grammatical gender. The human skeleton.	
	D3 - Plural forms of Latin nouns.	
	D4 - Latin adjectives. Anatomical plans and directions.	
	D5 - Forms and functions of the possessive/genitive case. The human body.	
	D6 - Greek alphabet. Greek and Latin synonyms present in European languages and medicine.	
	D7 - Basic word structure. Word analysis.	
	D8 - The most popular suffixes - their origin and meanings. The names of inflammatory conditions and tumours.	
	D9 - Prepositions.	
	D10 - Greek and Latin prefixes.	
	D11 - Comparison of adjectives regular and irregular. Muscles.	
	D12 - Elements of pharmacology. Prescription. Common abbreviations.	
	D13 - Revision.	
	D14 - The course test.	
	D15 - Retake. Miscellaneous exercises.	

## 7. LITERATURE

### Obligatory

Oleđzka Beata, *Latin and Greek in Medicine*, Warszawa 2022.

### Supplementary

Oleđzka Beata, *Latin in Medicine. Course for medical students*, Warszawa: Oficyna Wydawnicza WUM 2013.

## 8. VERIFYING THE EFFECT OF LEARNING

Code of the course effect of learning	Ways of verifying the effect of learning	Completion criterion
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D.W4., D.U16., K1, K2, S1, S2, SC1	Written test at the end of the course to verify the content presented during the classes in the form of tasks checking the specialized vocabulary. Short open answers. Passing score – 60%.	The scale of grades is as follows: 2.0 (failed)                      below 60% 3.0 (satisfactory)                60%-69,99% 3.5 (rather good)                70%-79,99% 4.0 (good)                         80%-85,99% 4.5 (more than good)         86%-90,99% 5.0 (very good)                 91%-100%
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**9. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION** (*information essential for the course instructor that are not included in the other part of the course syllabus e.g. if the course is related to scientific research, detailed description of, information about the Science Club*)

**Credit receiving criteria:**

To successfully complete the Latin in medicine course, each student needs to obtain a credit. To obtain a credit, a student is required to:

**1. Attend all classes.**

Each student is allowed to miss (2) two classes without having to give an excuse. If a student misses a class, she/he must catch up on the missed material. The student is obliged to make up for each absence by performing a special written/oral task assigned by the teacher. It is the student's responsibility to communicate with the class teacher as soon as possible about any attendance issues.

A student who misses more than 2 classes will not be allowed to take the course test at the end of the academic year and will not receive course credits.

**2. Come to classes punctually.**

If a student arrives late three (3) times, it will constitute one absence (the teacher takes attendance at the very beginning of the class) it is the student's responsibility to ask the teacher to clear the absence off the student's record break just after the class.

If a student is 15 or more minutes late, it will constitute one absence.

**3. Have the book and complete exercises on their own in each class.**

**4. Actively participate in each class.**

**5. Complete all the assignments by the due date.**

**6. Pass the final course test.**

A student who fails the course test can sit a retake test twice. The first retake is held at least a week after the first attempt, the second and FINAL retake two weeks after the first retake or in the retake examination period. The final course grade which student receives is the score of the course test (Grade: 2 (fail) / 3 / 3.5 / 4 / 4.5 / 5 (very good)), or a grade 3 (satisfactory) for passing a retake test.

A student who misses a scheduled test will not receive credit unless she/he presents a valid medical note within three days of the scheduled test date and makes up the missed test at the date set by the class teacher.

A student who fails the second retake needs to repeat the course.

If classes are moved online, they will take place according to a previously agreed schedule in the form of video meetings. It is obligatory that both the instructor and the students have their web cameras on. Having the camera off will count as an absence from class.

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