

HealthCare Psychology

Lectures 2021

Annotation

The course is based on the current global trend in health care, emphasizing a bio-psycho-social approach to the patient. It introduces the issues of personality, cognition and self-knowledge, subjective perception of the illness, psychological aspects of various diseases (including mental disorders) and their therapy, psychological contexts of drug dispensation as well as desirable (and unwanted) personality traits and elements of the professional role of a healthcare professional (pharmacist). It reflects multicultural issues in the field of personality psychology.

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1. Topic

Personality, formative developmental influences (structure and dynamics, cognition and self-knowledge, formative developmental influences)

2. Topic

Problems of norm and normality in psychology, adaptation and maladaptation.

3. Topic

Socialization (Behaviour and experience, mental states, processes and properties).

Emotional intelligence (Directions and approaches to understanding and understanding the human psyche).

4. Topic

Experiencing illness in time. Basic categories and attitude of the patient to the disease (Basic categories and attitude of the patient to the disease, psychosomatic diseases).

Personalities accented.

5. Topic

Specific personality disorders. Neurotic, affective and psychotic disorders. (Specific personality disorders, mental retardation, disorders neurotic, affective, psychoses).

Pain, anxiety and fear, experiencing illness over time. Dying and death, euthanasia.

6. Topic

Stress, burnout. The mental health of healthcare worker (Challenging life situations - stress, frustration, conflict - and coping techniques).

7. Topic

Psychology of health. Positive psychology (Psychological aspects of treatment, drugs and their dispensation. Use of placebo effect and suggestion, iatrogenia, pharmaceutical therapy).

Credit requirements: 85% attendance in lessons

Examination Requirements: Passing the test, passing level 15 points out of 20. The test is Computer-based. The exact day of the test will be appointed at the end of the course. Personal PC on the day of the test and your MS TEAMS link are required.