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| Name of discipline | Medical axiology |
| Type | Optional | Credits | 1 |
| Academic year | III | Semester | V |
| Number of hours | Course | 10 | Practice/laboratory work | 10 |
| Seminar |  | Self-training | 10 |
| Component | Socio-human orientation |
| Course holder | Vitalie Ojovan |
| Location  | Block nr. 4, bd. Ștefan cel Mare și Sfânt, 194B, floor III. |
| Conditionings and prerequisites of: | Program: basic knowledge in disciplines such as Behavioral Science, Basics of Medical Communication, Bioethics, History of Mecicine. General knowledge from pre-university stage of History, Eloquence, Logic. |
| Competences: guidance in searching for bibliographic sources in library and online catalogs; internet use; communication and analysis of situations with communication and behavior problems, etc. |
| Mission of the discipline | The mission of this optional course is to assimilate the general knowledge of axiology, in general, and medical axiology, in particular, by physicians to facilitate the knowledge, understanding and functionality of spiritual and moral values throughout the spectrum of medical activity. This fact, in turn, comes to complete the knowledge of bioethics, medical ethics, communication and behavior in medicine, deontology, medical law, etc. Including the fact that axiological support has always been the basis of medical activity throughout the evolution of medicine in human history. All the more so today, when the medical activity (clinical or scientific) is totally penetrated by the technical-scientific factor and often it is quite difficult for the medical specialist to take a correct professional attitude or strategy. |
| Overview of the topics | Definition of notion of axiology. The constitution of axiology: historical context, stages and directions. The basic components of value theory. Role and involvement of values in medicine. Premises for developing medical axiology. The bioethics-axiology tandem in contemporary medicine. Essential subjects of the axiology of medicine. Perspectives on the evolution of medical values. Situation analysis, case studies, etc. |
| Outcomes  | * To know the basic theoretical definitions and postulates of axiology, in general, and of medical axiology, in particular;
* To distinguish in various aspect of medical activity the axiological components;
* To identify in a precise framework of medical activity the harmony or the value conflict;
* To configure in the normative acts axiological subjects and to be able to appreciate their role (matching, mismatch, conflict, etc.);
* To be able to orient himself correctly in various situations
* To be able to develop skills of active listening to the interlocutor (the patient, his relatives, colleagues);
* Demostrate emphatic communication skills with patients and relatives;
* To analyze the medical act from the point of view of abserving the moral principles.
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| Clinical skills | * To identify the potential causes of the patient’s spiritual-moral suffering;
* To apply theoretical and practical skills regarding the state of the spiritual-moral climate in the team of doctors;
* To establish effective relationships with patients and relatives in future professional practice;
* To be able to correctly analyze various situations from the perspective af assessing the observance of value principles;
* To achieve a successful psycho-somatic medication.
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