English for the Students of Medicine (ESM) II

Introduction

This is a three-credit ESP course for students of Medicine. Each session in this course involves four sections. The first section (**Case Studies**) familiarizes the students with medical terminology used in context and applied to real-life situations. The second section (**Professional English**) is aimed to provide the students with the basic jargons used in their field of study. The third section (**Reading Medicine**) is devoted to expose the students to authentic medical texts. Students will focus on reading both extensively for general comprehension and intensively for details. Finally, the fourth section (**Hospital English**) is intended to enhance the speaking and listening proficiency of the students within the context of a hospital. In fact, this part of class develops the vocabulary, language, and skills that students will need when working in a medical environment. These include talking about the body, describing signs of illness, and conveying instructions to patients and colleagues.

One new section added in this course is **Medical Research Articles** which familiarizes students with the basics of how medical research articles are written. This is offered in the final two sessions of the course.

References

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- 2. Cohen B. J., & DePetris, A. (2014) Medical Terminology: An Illustrated Guide (Seventh, None Edition) LWW; Seventh, None edition
- 3. Grice, T. (2007). Oxford English for careers: Nursing 1. Oxford University Press.
- 4. Teacher's pamphlet

Course schedule

Session	Case study	Professional Medicine	Reading	Hospital English
	Medical Terminology An Illustrated Guide Common Colors Ann Debenia Chollans Divers	Professional English in Use Medicine In: H. Glandmann, Bon Howard	Medical Terminology An Illustrated Guide Botana Kolton Janson Colon Ann Durberis Willes Kälver	NURSING DE LEGISTO DE
1	-E.O.'s Stress Incontinence	31 Skin 1	Clinical aspects of the Urinary	7 Caring for the elderly
		33 The urinary system	system	The effects of ageing, a care home, assessing a patient
		34 Basic investigation		
2	C. S.'s Benign Prostatic	35 Laboratory test	Clinical aspects of the male	7 Caring for the elderly
	Hyperplasia and TURP	36 Endoscopy	reproductive system	The effects of ageing, a care home, assessing a patient
		37 X-ray and CT		
3	A.Y.'s Cesarean Section	38 MRI and ultrasound	Clinical aspects of the female	8 Nutrition and obesity
		39 ECG	reproductive system	Nutrition, vitamins and minerals, food intake, eating disorders
		40 Medical treatment		

4	-J.D.'s Grave Disease	41 Surgical treatment - 42 Therapies 43 Screening & immunization	Clinical aspects of the endocrine system	8 Nutrition and obesity Nutrition, vitamins and minerals, food intake, eating disorders
5	-B.C.'s Pediatric Brain Tumor	44 Epidemiology45 Medical Ethics46 Research studies	Clinical aspects of the nervous system	9 Blood The heart, forensic analysis, blood types, blood tests, blood pattern analysis
6	-K.L.'s Amblyopia	47 Taking a history 1 48 Taking a history 2 49 Taking a history 3	Clinical aspects of vision	9 Blood The heart, forensic analysis, blood types, blood tests, blood pattern analysis
7	-L.R.'s Idiopathic Adolescent Scoliosis	50 Physical Examination 51 Mental state Examination	Clinical aspects of the skeleton	10 Death and dying The body after death, breaking bad news, report of a death
8	T. D.'s Brachial Plexus Injury	55 Data presentation 1 56 Data presentation 2 57 Research articles	Clinical aspects of the muscular system	10 Death and dying The body after death, breaking bad news, report of a death
9	C.M.'s Pressure Ulcer	58 Abstracts 59 Conference presentation 60 Case presentation	Clinical aspects of the skin	11 Hygiene MRSA, a hygiene report, test results, a hygiene inspection

10	 	 12 Mental health nursing
		Tourette syndrome, famous people suffering from
		mental illness, a case conference, schizophrenia

11, 12	Medical Research Articles	Introduction and Review of literature section	Getting familiar with the moves of Topic importance, Statement of the problem, Statement of the purpose, Defining key terms, Article layout
			Getting familiar with different moves referring to previous works
13, 14	Medical Research Articles	Methods & Results Discussion & Conclusion	Getting familiar with different moves of typical Methods, Results, Discussion and Conclusion sections of an article