
Course Syllabus

Ahvaz Jundishapur University of Medical Sciences
Center for Medical Education Studies and Development

Course Information – Student Form

- **Course Title:** Principles of Health Services
- **Program and Level:** Basic Medical Sciences – Medicine
- **Faculty:** Medicine
- **Academic Year:** First Semester 1405-1404
- **Prerequisite:** None
- **Credit Units:** 1.5 units
- **Teaching Faculty:** Dr. Seyed Saeed Sidian, Dr. Maryam Rostami, Dr. Sara Ayazian
- **Day and Time:** Tuesday, 08:00 – 10:00
- **Email:** m6326726@gmail.com
- **Total Contact Hours:** 34 hours

Course General Objective

This course introduces students to the fundamental principles of health, enabling them to contribute effectively to the promotion and maintenance of individual and community health as future physicians.

Course Specific Objectives

By the end of the course, students should be able to:

1. Understand the social determinants of health and the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).
2. Recognize basic concepts in health and hygiene.
3. Understand the principles of management in health and healthcare services.

Course Description and Session Outline

Day	Date (Persian)	Key Concepts	Student Activities	Teaching Method	Instructor
Tuesday	06/08/1404	Overview and history of health services in Iran and the world	Active participation in group discussion	PowerPoint, Q&A	Dr. Rostami
Tuesday	13/08/1404	Concepts of health, disease, and levels of prevention	Active participation in group discussion	PowerPoint, Q&A	Dr. Ayazian
Tuesday	20/08/1404	Health education and promotion	Active participation in group discussion	PowerPoint, Q&A	Dr. Rostami
Tuesday	27/08/1404	Principles of health services management	Active participation in group discussion	PowerPoint, Q&A	Dr. Sidian
Tuesday	04/09/1404	Health systems in Iran and worldwide	Active participation in group discussion	PowerPoint, Q&A	Dr. Sidian
Tuesday	11/09/1404	Economic approaches to health services	Active participation in group discussion	PowerPoint, Q&A	Dr. Sidian
Tuesday	18/09/1404	Measuring health status in populations	Active participation in group discussion	PowerPoint, Q&A	Dr. Sidian
Tuesday	25/09/1404	Primary health care	Active participation in group discussion	PowerPoint, Q&A	Dr. Ayazian
Tuesday	02/10/1404	Rights of health service recipients	Active participation in group discussion	PowerPoint, Q&A	Dr. Sidian
Tuesday	09/10/1404	International and local health organizations / Ethical considerations in public health services	Active participation in group discussion	PowerPoint, Q&A	Dr. Rostami
Tuesday	16/10/1404	Basics of immunization	Active participation in group discussion	PowerPoint, Q&A	Dr. Ayazian
Tuesday	23/10/1404	Health as a public right / Social determinants of health	Active participation in group discussion	PowerPoint, Q&A	Dr. Ayazian
Tuesday	30/10/1404	Workplace health and safety	Active participation in group discussion	PowerPoint, Q&A	Dr. Rostami

Student Responsibilities

- Actively participate in class discussions
 - Attend all sessions regularly
 - Complete assignments as instructed
 - Take the written final exam
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Assessment Method

- **Final Exam:** Written exam
 - **Exam Date:** TBD
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Main Course References (Approved by the Ministry of Health)

- *Principles and Fundamentals of Health Services*, Dr. Mohammad Khajeh Delouei et al., 1399, Mashhad University of Medical Sciences Press
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