

	UNIVERSITY OF BANJA LUKA FACULTY OF MEDICINE				
	UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES				
	Study Programme of:	MEDICINE			
Course unit name:	Psychiatry				
Type of course unit	Profesionally Applicative				
Course unit code	Course unit status	Semester	Class Workload	Number of ECTS credits	
TO BE DESIGNATED	COMPULSORY	VII and VIII	VII: 1L+1PT VIII: 1L+2 PT	5	
Members of Staff	Prof. Mira Spremo, PhD, Full Professor; Prof. Marija Burgic Radmanovic, PhD, Full Professor; Prof. Milan Stojakovic, PhD, Full Professor; Ivana Ilic Kundacina, PhD				
Eligibility Requirements			Form of Requirements		
None					
Goals of the Course Unit:					
The students are supposed to identify, diagnose, and administer a proper therapy to patients with mental disorders, and they are provided with an opportunity to participate in research projects, in order to become familiar with the methodology of research in psychiatry.					
Learning Outcomes (acquired knowledge):					
The students acquire knowledge about psychiatry as a medical field, they understand and are familiar with characteristics of respective mental disorders as classified by WHO (ICD-10), and they can perform diagnostic procedures of mental procedures and treat them accordingly. The students will have been able to conduct a psychiatric interview, to assess psychic functions and behaviour of persons with various mental disorders, to establish a diagnosis (working and differential diagnosis), and to choose appropriate psycho-pharmacotherapy and psychotherapy for a patient.					
Contents of the Course Unit:					
Psychiatric disorders through history, development of psychiatry as a medical branch, psychiatry in contemporary medicine. Classification and diagnostics of mental disorders (ICD-10). General psychopathology (consciousness disorders, perception, thinking, will, emotions, attention, intelligence, memory). Etiology of mental disorders. Treatment of mental disorders. Classification of psychotropic drugs. Psychotherapy. Organic mental disorders – acute and chronic. Mental disorders and disorders of behavior due to usage of psychoactive substances. Schizophrenia, schizotypal personality disorder, and insanity disorders. Mood disorders. Neurotic disorders, stress-related disorders, somatoform disorders. Suicidality. Psychosomatic medicine and consultative psychiatry. Personality disorders. Mental disorders in children. Mental disorders in adolescents. Urgent conditions. Fundamentals of forensic psychiatry. Socioterapy. Organisation of psychiatric service.					
Teaching methods:					
The classes are given in the form of lectures and practical classes, with continuous revision through practicals, seminars, midterms, office hours, and independent students' work.					
Literature:					
Title: <i>A Short Textbook of Psychiatry</i> . Publisher: Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers; Author: Niraj Ahuja					
Examination Forms:					
Pre-Exam Duties		Final Exam		Total Points	
Attendance	10			100	
Midterms	30	Oral/Written	50		

Seminar Paper	10		
Note for the Course Unit:			
Syllabus designer: Prof. Mira Spremo, PhD, Full Professor			