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PSYCHIATRY CURRICULUM FOR DENTAL MEDICINE

Academic discipline:	PSYCHIATRY
Degree programme:	DENTAL MEDICINE
Educational-qualification degree:	MASTER
Type of discipline in accordance with the Uniform State Requirements/ Curriculum:	COMPULSORY
Course of study:	V
Exam:	YES
Total number of hours of auditorium workload:	10 academic hours
Lectures:	6 academic hours
Practical exercises:	4 academic hours
Department:	PSYCHIATRY AND MEDICAL PSYCHOLOGY University Multiprofile Hospital for Active Treatment “Alexandrovska”
Training bases:	Multiprofile Hospital for Active Treatment in Neurology and Psychiatry “St. Naum”

CURRICULUM

DISCIPLINE	ACADEMIC HOURS			CYCLE / EXAM
	Total	Lectures	Practical exercises	Duration in days
PSYCHIATRY	10	6	4	3

Thematic unit plan for lectures and seminars

Lectures – 6 academic hours (3 lectures per 2 academic hours each)

1. Introduction in psychiatry. General psychopathology. Clinical interview
2. Classification of mental disorders. Main diagnostic entities
3. Treatment of mental disorders. Community psychiatry

Seminars – 4 academic hours (2 seminars per 2 academic hours each)

1. General psychopathology. Anxiety.
2. Depression

Syllabus for practical semester exam

It contains 183 illustrative test questions and 36 stylized typical clinical cases (case vignettes), described in a separate manual “Tests in psychiatry and psychopathology”.

Syllabus for theoretical semester exam

1. Bipolar affective disorder: present signs and symptoms; diagnostic criteria; differential diagnosis; relevant information for the patient and his relatives; treatment; specialized consultation
2. Schizophrenia: present signs and symptoms; diagnostic criteria; differential diagnosis; relevant information for the patient and his relatives; treatment; specialized consultation
3. Anxiety disorders: present signs and symptoms; diagnostic criteria; differential diagnosis; relevant information for the patient and his relatives; treatment; specialized consultation
4. Eating disorders: present signs and symptoms; diagnostic criteria; differential diagnosis; relevant information for the patient and his relatives; treatment; specialized consultation
5. Alcohol and drug addictions: present signs and symptoms; diagnostic criteria; differential diagnosis; relevant information for the patient and his relatives; treatment; specialized consultation
6. Chronic psycho-organic syndrome: present signs and symptoms; diagnostic criteria; differential diagnosis; relevant information for the patient and his relatives; treatment; specialized consultation
7. Acute psycho-organic syndrome: present signs and symptoms; diagnostic criteria; differential diagnosis; relevant information for the patient and his relatives; treatment; specialized consultation
8. Personality disorders: present signs and symptoms; diagnostic criteria; differential diagnosis; relevant information for the patient and his relatives; treatment; specialized consultation
9. Disorders of adaptation: present signs and symptoms; diagnostic criteria; differential diagnosis; relevant information for the patient and his relatives; treatment; specialized consultation
10. Dissociative-conversion disorders: present signs and symptoms; diagnostic criteria; differential diagnosis; relevant information for the patient and his relatives; treatment; specialized consultation
11. Behavioral disorders, enuresis, hyperkinetic attention deficit disorder: present signs and symptoms; diagnostic criteria; differential diagnosis; relevant information for the patient and his relatives; treatment; specialized consultation
12. Mental retardation: present signs and symptoms; diagnostic criteria; differential diagnosis; relevant information for the patient and his relatives; treatment; specialized consultation
13. Chronic psychoses: present signs and symptoms; diagnostic criteria; differential diagnosis; relevant information for the patient and his relatives; treatment; specialized consultation