# **COURSE DETAILS**

# "INTEGRATED COURSE OF CLINICAL IMMUNOLOGY AND ALLERGY, CUTANEOUS AND VENEREAL DISEASES, PLASTIC SURGERY"

DEGREE PROGRAMME: MEDICINE AND SURGERY (P11)

ACADEMIC YEAR 2024-2025

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION – TEACHER REFERENCES**

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# **GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE COURSE**

INTEGRATED COURSE: CLINICAL IMMUNOLOGY AND ALLERGY, CUTANEOUS AND VENEREAL DISEASES, PLASTIC SURGERY MODULE: Clinical Immunology and Allergy, Dermatology, Plastic Surgery SSD OF THE MODULE: Clinical Immunology and Allergy MED-09, Dermatology MED-35, Plastic Surgery

MED-19

TEACHING LANGUAGE: ENGLISH YEAR OF THE DEGREE PROGRAMME (I, II, III): IV SEMESTER (I, II, ANNUAL): I CFU: 10

# REQUIRED PRELIMINARY COURSES (IF MENTIONED IN THE COURSE STRUCTURE "REGOLAMENTO")

Microbiology and Immunology

# **PREREQUISITES (IF APPLICABLE)**

For a proper understanding of the topics discussed in the Integrated Course, students should have acquired general knowledge of the way the human organism reacts to infections by the immune system and knowledge of the mechanisms underlying human diseases.

#### **LEARNING GOALS**

The aim of the integrated course is to introduce advanced knowledge of immunological, allergic, cutaneous, sexually transmitted, and plastic surgery diseases. In addition, the course aims to provide cognitive and methodological skills to understand the etiology and pathogenesis of these diseases and to learn current basics concerning the prevalence, the possible outcome of the various disorders, and the main treatments.

#### **EXPECTED LEARNING OUTCOMES (DUBLIN DESCRIPTORS)**

Students will acquire the fundamental knowledge that will enable them to understand the underlying mechanisms of immunological, allergic, and dermatological diseases. The student must, at the end of the course: 1. know the etiopathogenesis underlying the different systemic diseases; 2. connect morphological aspects to cellular and molecular changes; 3. Recognize direct and indirect symptoms; 4. establish the diagnostic and therapeutic development of the different pathologies and understand the main techniques of plastic surgery; 5. establish basic indications of the therapeutic strategy (ex: medical or surgical therapy).

# Knowledge and understanding

The students will deal with the study, diagnosis, and management of patients with diseases resulting from disordered immunological mechanisms, (both deficient and exaggerated) and conditions in which immunological manipulations form an important part of treatment. They will also learn the principal cutaneous (acute and chronic), sexually transmitted, and plastic surgery diseases. They will study and understand the procedure requiring the action of the plastic surgeon. Students will be introduced to structuring clinical thinking based on anamnesis, clinical observation, laboratory tests, and other diagnostic tools. They will be abreast of the latest guidelines and the diagnosis and management protocols of the diseases covered by the course.

# Applying knowledge and understanding

The student needs to show the ability to solve problems related to the main immune and cutaneous diseases, recognizing the clinical signs and symptoms presented and discriminating the primary from the associated conditions. The course provides the capability and tools to construct a diagnostic trajectory based on clinical manifestations and changes in laboratory and instrumental tests. Students will manage the most important dermatological lesions using photographs. Finally, moving away from the concepts he studied, the student will define the diagnostic procedures involved in early and differential diagnosis, providing basic indications on therapeutic strategies.

# **COURSE CONTENT/SYLLABUS**

The contents of the Integrated Course include the following topics:

-Clinical and immunological features of Allergic diseases: Bronchial Asthma, Rhinitis, Urticaria and Angioedema, Drug allergy, Food allergy, Systemic Eosinophilia, Anaphylaxis, Clinical, and Immunological features of Rheumatoid Arthritis, Acute Rheumatic Fever, Systemic Lupus Erythematosus, Psoriatic arthritis, Anti-phospholipid syndrome, Immunodeficiencies, Sjogren Syndrome, Systemic Sclerosis, Sarcoidosis, Systemic Vasculitis, Polymyositis/Dermatomyositis, Cutaneous, and systemic drug adverse reactions.

-Cutaneous expression of bullous and immunological diseases, Cutaneous Mycosis, Cutaneous Parasitosis, Cutaneous precancerous lesions, Melanoma, Epithelial Neoplasms, Atopic Dermatitis, Contact Dermatitis, Sexually transmitted Infections, Medical Trichology, Bacterial, and Viral Cutaneous Infections.

-General principles of Plastic Surgery, Basic techniques in Plastic Surgery: Grafts and flaps, Hand, and lower limb trauma.

Week	Day	Hours	Lesson	Professor	
	Mon 11/11/2024	15:00-16:40	Principles of autoimmune diseases		
	Tue 12/11/2024	15:00-16:40	Rheumatoid Arthritis		
	Wed 13/11/2024	15:00-16:40	Systemic sclerosis		
	Thu 14/11/2024	15:00-16:40	Systemic lupus erythematosus	F.W. Rossi	
	Fri 15/11/2024	13:00-13:50	Biological therapies in autoimmune diseases		
	Mon 18/11/2024	15:00-16:40	Bronchial asthma		
	Tue 19/11/2024	15:00-16:40	Primary immunodeficiency		
	Wed 20/11/2024	15:00-16:40	Secondary immunodeficiency	G. Varricchi	
	Thu 21/11/2024	15:00-16:40	Urticaria		
	Fri 22/11/2024	13:00-13:50	Rhinitis and biological therapies		
-	Mon 25/11/2024	15:00-16:40	Vasculitis		
	Tue 26/11/2024	15:00-16:40	Rheumatic Fever Connective tissue diseases	A. de Paulis M.R. Galdiero	
	Wed 27/11/2024	15:00-16:40	Sjogren syndrome		
	Thu 28/11/2024	15:00-16:40	Antiphospholipid Syndrome		
	Fri 29/11/2024	13:00-13:50	Food allergy		
-	Mon 02/12/2024	15:00-16:40	Psoriasis		
	Tue 03/12/2024	15:00-16:40	Nevi and cutaneous melanoma		
	Wed 04/12/2024	15:00-16:40	Cutaneous bacterial and viral infections	M. Scalvenzi M. Annunziata	
	Thu 05/12/2024	15:00-16:40	Hidradenitis suppurativa		
	Fri 06/12/2024	13:00-13:50	Acne	7	
	Mon 09/12/2024	15:00-16:40	Skin manifestations of drug allergy		
	Tue 10/12/2024	15:00-16:40	General principles of Plastic Surgery	F. Schonauer S. La Padula	

	Wed 11/12/2024				
	Thu 12/12/2024	15:00-16:40	Hand and lower limb trauma		
	Fri 13/12/2024	13:00-13:50	Clinical cases in dermatology		
	Mon 16/12/2024	15:00-16:40	Atopic dermatitis		
	Tue 17/12/2024	15:00-16:40	Autoimmune bullous diseases	M. Saalaanai	
	Wed 18/12/2024	15:00-16:40	Sexually transmitted infections	M. Scalvenzi M.T. Cantelli	
	Thu 19/12/2024	15:00-16:40	Contact dermatitis		
	Fri 20/12/2024	13:00-13:50	Clinical cases in dermatology		

# **READINGS/BIBLIOGRAPHY**

# CLINICAL IMMUNOLOGY AND ALLERGY

-Teaching supporting slides

-EULAR Textbook on Rheumatic Diseases Third Edition (2018) Editors: Johannes WJ Bijlsma, Eric Hachulla -Allergic and Immunologic Diseases, A Practical Guide to the Evaluation, Diagnosis and Management of Allergic and Immunologic Diseases, Editor: Christopher Chang, Elsevier, 2022 -Harrison's Principles of Internal Medicine 21th Edition

# **CUTANEOUS AND VENEREAL DISEASES**

-Clinical Dermatology Fifth Edition Richard B., M.D. Weller, Hamish J. A. Hunter, Margaret W., M.D PLASTIC SURGERY

-Grabb and Smith's Plastic Surgery. Kevin C. Chung. Wolters Kluwer/Lippincott 2020 9th Edition

#### **TEACHING METHODS**

The course will be entirely based on lectures with the support of power points slides. A PDF file will be at the end distributed to students.

# **EXAMINATION/EVALUATION CRITERIA**

#### Exam type:

For *integrated courses*, there should be one exam.

Exam type		
written and oral		
only written	Х	
only oral		
project discussion		
other		

#### **Evaluation pattern:**

The oral exam consists in 3 questions for each module. The final mark will be weighted on CFU of each module and therefore will be made up of: Module Clinical Immunology and Allergy 4 CFU 50%, Module Dermatology 3 CFU 37.5%, Module Plastic Surgery 1 CFU 12.5%.