



Teaching Guide						
Identifying Data				2014/15		
Subject (*)	Investigación Clínica I		Code	653862232		
Study programme	Mestrado Universitario en Asistencia e Investigación Sanitaria (plan 2012)					
Descriptors						
Cycle	Period	Year	Type	Credits		
Official Master's Degree	1st four-month period	First	Obligatoria	6		
Language	Spanish					
Prerequisites						
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General description	<p>Esta materia, dividida en dous grandes bloques, completa a formación básica probabilística e estatística introducida pola materia "Estatística aplicada a Ciencias da Saúde". O primeiro bloque temático permite afondar na inferencia de dous e más mostras tanto dende un punto de vista paramétrico como non paramétrico.</p> <p>Pola súa banda, o segundo bloque temático, introduce o alumnado no estudo de validación de probas de detección.</p>					

Study programme competences	
Code	Study programme competences
A1	Capacidade para elixir e aplicar as metodoloxías de investigación mais adecuadas á investigación proposta.
A2	Capacidade para o deseño experimental e o completo desenvolvemento de proxectos de investigación no ámbito sanitario, desde a formulación da hipótese de investigación ata a comunicación dos resultados.
A3	Adquirir un sentido ético da investigación sanitaria.
A4	Obter un substrato teórico suficiente para comprender o entorno clínico de aplicación das técnicas de investigación.
B1	Capacidade para aplicar o método científico na planificación e o desenvolvemento da investigación sanitaria.
B2	Fluidez e propiedade na comunicación científica oral e escrita.
B3	Compromiso pola calidade do desenvolvemento da actividade investigadora.
B4	Capacidade de análise e de síntese.
B5	Habilidade para manexar distintas fontes de información.
B6	Capacidade para traballar de forma colaborativa en equipos multi e interdisciplinar.
C1	Expresarse correctamente, tanto de forma oral coma escrita, nas linguas oficiais da comunidade autónoma.
C2	Dominar a expresión e a comprensión de forma oral e escrita dun idioma estranxeiro.
C3	Utilizar as ferramentas básicas das tecnoloxías da información e as comunicacións (TIC) necesarias para o exercicio da súa profesión e para a aprendizaxe ao longo da súa vida.
C5	Entender a importancia da cultura emprendedora e coñecer os medios ao alcance das persoas emprendedoras.
C6	Valorar criticamente o coñecemento, a tecnoloxía e a información dispoñible para resolver os problemas cos que deben enfrentarse.
C7	Asumir como profesional e cidadán a importancia da aprendizaxe ao longo da vida.
C8	Valorar a importancia que ten a investigación, a innovación e o desenvolvemento tecnolóxico no avance socioeconómico e cultural da sociedade.

Learning outcomes	
Subject competencies (Learning outcomes)	Study programme competences



To analyze data using descriptive techniques and to make inferences about populations from partial information obtained by random sampling	AR1 AR2 AR3 AR4 BC5 BC6 BC7 CC8	BC1 BC2 BC3 BC4 CC6 CC7	CC1 CC2 CC3 CC5 CC6 CC7 CC8
To use the auxiliary tools and interpret the obtained results	AR1 AR2 AR3 AR4	BC1 BC2 BC3 BC4 BC5 BC6	CC1 CC2 CC3 CC5 CC6 CC7 CC8

Contents		
Topic	Sub-topic	
Normality test	1. Graphic methods 2. Analytical methods	
Two-Sample Inference	1. Two-Sample Inference for related variables. 2. Two-Sample Inference for independent variables	
Introduction to the Analysis of Variance	1. ANOVA models 2. Nonparametric alternatives to ANOVA	
Sample size determination	1. Determination of sample size for estimating parameters. 2. Determination of sample size for testing hypotheses. 3. Sample size calculations for case-control studies. 4. Sample size calculations in studies monitoring. 5. Determination of sample size for estimating correlation coefficient.	
Validation of diagnostic test	1. The clinical application of Bayes	

Planning			
Methodologies / tests	Ordinary class hours	Student's personal work hours	Total hours
Document analysis	20	50	70
Online forum	12	30	42
Seminar	4	12	16
Case study	4	12	16
Supervised projects	2	4	6
Personalized attention	0	0	0

(*)The information in the planning table is for guidance only and does not take into account the heterogeneity of the students.

Methodologies	
Methodologies	Description
Document analysis	Supervised study using material multimedia (recorded classes, videos, slides, pdf documents)
Online forum	Online tools for monitoring and tutoring (forums, discussions)
Seminar	Seminars (work in group method to exchange information, make documents and discuss theories)
Case study	Continuous evaluation (written tests, problems to correct, participation in virtual class)
Supervised projects	Final evaluation (final work that reflects the control of the subject and/or final exam)



Personalized attention

Methodologies	Description
Online forum	The employed methodologies include personalized attention
Seminar	
Case study	
Supervised projects	

Assessment

Methodologies	Description	Qualification
Case study	Written tests, problems to correct, participation in virtual class	50
Supervised projects	Final work that reflects the control of the subject and/or final exam	50

Assessment comments

(Leave empty)

Sources of information

Basic	
Complementary	

Recommendations

Subjects that it is recommended to have taken before

Subjects that are recommended to be taken simultaneously

Subjects that continue the syllabus

Other comments

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