



Teaching Guide

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Identifying Data				2023/24
Subject (*)	Geriatrics	Code		653G01309
Study programme	Grao en Terapia Ocupacional			
Descriptors				
Cycle	Period	Year	Type	Credits
Graduate	2nd four-month period	Third	Obligatory	4.5
Language	Spanish			
Teaching method	Face-to-face			
Prerequisites				
Department	Fisioterapia, Medicina e Ciencias Biomédicas			
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Web	http://gerontologia.udc.es			
General description	This subject aims to develop skills that help students understand and apply the knowledge gained from the assessment and intervention from the Occupational Therapy in the Geriatrics field.			

Study programme competences

Code	Study programme competences
A1	Explicar la relación entre el funcionamiento ocupacional, la salud y el bienestar.
A2	Explicar los conceptos teóricos que sostienen la terapia ocupacional, expresamente la naturaleza ocupacional de los seres humanos y su funcionamiento a través de las ocupaciones.
A3	Sintetizar y aplicar el conocimiento relevante de ciencias biológicas, médicas, humanas, psicológicas, sociales, tecnológicas y ocupacionales, junto con las teorías de ocupación y participación.
A4	Analizar las complejidades de aplicar teorías formales y evidencia de investigación en relación con la ocupación en el contexto de una sociedad en cambio.
A5	Constatar e influir en el debate racional y su razonado en relación a la ocupación humana y la terapia ocupacional.
A6	Trabajar en la sociedad con individuos y grupos para fomentar la promoción de la salud, la prevención, la rehabilitación y el tratamiento.
A7	Escoger, modificar y aplicar teorías apropiadas, modelos y métodos de la práctica para encontrar la ocupación según las necesidades de salud de individuos/poblaciones.
A8	Uso profesional y ético del razonamiento efectivo en todas las partes del proceso de terapia ocupacional.
A9	Utilizar el potencial terapéutico de la ocupación a través del uso de la actividad y el análisis y síntesis ocupacional.
A10	Adaptar y aplicar el proceso de terapia ocupacional en estrecha colaboración de individuos/población.
A11	Trabajar para facilitar entornos accesibles y adaptados y promover la justicia ocupacional.
A12	Colaborar con comunidades para promover la salud y el bienestar de sus miembros mediante la participación en la ocupación.
A13	Buscar activamente, evaluar críticamente y aplicar los rangos de información y de evidencia para asegurar que la práctica es actualizada y relevante al cliente.
A14	Valorar críticamente la práctica de la terapia ocupacional para asegurar que el foco está sobre la ocupación y el funcionamiento ocupacional.
A15	Trabajar según los principios de la práctica centrada en el cliente.
A16	Construir una relación terapéutica como base del proceso de la terapia ocupacional.
A17	Establecer sociedades de colaboración, consultar y aconsejar a clientes, trabajadores sociales, miembros de equipo y otros en la práctica de la ocupación y la participación.
A18	Colaborar con clientes para abogar al derecho de tener sus necesidades ocupacionales satisfechas.
A19	Apreciar y respetar las diferencias individuales, creencias culturales, costumbres y su influencia sobre la ocupación y la participación.
A20	Preparar, mantener y revisar la documentación de los procesos de terapia ocupacional.
A21	Cumplir con la política y procedimientos locales/regionales/ nacionales/europeos, normas profesionales y regulaciones del empleo.
A22	Demostrar continuamente el proceso de aprendizaje y cambios en la TO.



A23	Practicar de manera ética, respetando a los clientes, teniendo en cuenta los códigos profesionales de conducta para terapeutas ocupacionales.
A24	Demostrar seguridad, autoconocimiento, autocrítica y conocimientos de sus propias limitaciones como terapeuta ocupacional.
A25	Identificar la necesidad de investigar y buscar publicaciones relacionadas con la ocupación, la terapia ocupacional y/o la ciencia ocupacional y formular preguntas de investigación relevantes.
A26	Demostrar habilidades en la propia búsqueda, el examen crítico y la integración de la literatura científica y otra información relevante.
A27	Entender, seleccionar y defender diseños de investigación y métodos apropiados para la ocupación humana, considerando los aspectos éticos.
A28	Interpretar, analizar, sintetizar y criticar los hallazgos de investigación.
A29	Desarrollar el conocimiento de ocupación y de la práctica de la terapia ocupacional.
A30	Divulgar los hallazgos de investigación para críticas relevantes.
A31	Determinar y priorizar los servicios de terapia ocupacional.
A32	Entender y aplicar los principios de dirección en los servicios de terapia ocupacional, incluyendo coste-efectividad, la administración de recursos y equipamiento, y estableciendo los protocolos de terapia ocupacional.
A33	Constatar en un proceso continuo de evaluación y mejora de la calidad de los servicios de terapia ocupacional, implicando a los clientes cuando sea apropiado y comunicar los resultados relevantes a los demás miembros.
A34	Considerar los avances en salud, cuidado social, sociedad y legislación a nivel internacional, nacional y local que afecten a los servicios de terapia ocupacional.
A35	
B1	Aprender a aprender.
B2	Resolver problemas de forma efectiva.
B3	Aplicar un pensamiento crítico, lógico y creativo.
B4	Trabajar de forma autónoma con iniciativa.
B5	Trabajar de forma colaborativa.
B6	Comportarse con ética y responsabilidad social como ciudadano y como profesional.
B7	Comunicarse de manera efectiva en un entorno de trabajo.
B8	Capacidad de análisis y de síntesis.
B9	Capacidad de aplicar los conocimientos a la práctica.
B10	Conocimientos básicos de la profesión.
B11	Capacidad para trabajar en un equipo interdisciplinar.
B12	Conocimientos generales básicos sobre el área de estudio.
B13	Resolución de problemas.
B14	Habilidades interpersonales.
B15	Capacidad para comunicarse con personas no expertas en la materia.
B16	Habilidad para trabajar de manera autónoma.
B17	Compromiso ético.
B18	Planificación y gestión del tiempo.
B19	Comunicación oral y escrita en la lengua materna.
B20	Conocimiento de una segunda lengua.
B21	Habilidades básicas de manejo de ordenadores.
B22	Habilidades de investigación.
B23	Capacidad de aprender.
B24	Habilidades de gestión de la información (habilidad para buscar y analizar información proveniente de diversas fuentes).
B25	Capacidad de crítica y autocrítica.
B26	Capacidad para adaptarse a nuevas situaciones.
B27	Capacidad para generar nuevas ideas.
B28	Toma de decisiones.
B29	Trabajo en equipo.
B30	Liderazgo.
B31	Apreciación de la diversidad y de la multiculturalidad.



B32	Habilidad para trabajar en un contexto internacional.
B33	Conocimientos de culturas y costumbres de otras culturas.
B34	Diseño y gestión de proyectos.
B35	Iniciativa y espíritu emprendedor.
B36	Preocupación por la calidad.
B37	Motivación.
C1	Expresarse correctamente, tanto de forma oral como escrita, en las lenguas oficiales de la comunidad autónoma.
C2	Dominar la expresión y la comprensión de forma oral y escrita de un idioma extranjero.
C3	Utilizar las herramientas básicas de las tecnologías de la información y las comunicaciones (TIC) necesarias para el ejercicio de su profesión y para el aprendizaje a lo largo de su vida.
C4	Desarrollarse para el ejercicio de una ciudadanía abierta, culta, crítica, comprometida, democrática y solidaria, capaz de analizar la realidad, diagnosticar problemas, formular e implantar soluciones basadas en el conocimiento y orientadas al bien común.
C5	Entender la importancia de la cultura emprendedora y conocer los medios al alcance de las personas emprendedoras.
C6	Valorar críticamente el conocimiento, la tecnología y la información disponible para resolver los problemas con los que deben enfrentarse.
C7	Asumir como profesional y ciudadano la importancia del aprendizaje a lo largo de la vida.
C8	Valorar la importancia que tiene la investigación, la innovación y el desarrollo tecnológico en el avance socioeconómico y cultural de la sociedad.

Learning outcomes			
Learning outcomes	Study programme competences		
Knowledge and ability to apply Gerontology and Geriatrics in the context of the OT	A1	B1	C7
	A2	B2	
	A5		
	A6		
	A7		
	A8		
	A9		
Ability to use clinical reasoning checking and resetting the treatment	A1	B1	C4
	A2	B2	C7
	A3	B3	
		B4	
Ability to work in a holistic, tolerant, careful and sensitive manner, ensuring that the rights, beliefs, and desires of different individuals or groups are not committed			C1
			C4
			C5
			C7
Ability to participate in programs of health and school, labor and social integration	A1	B2	C1
	A2	B3	C2
	A3	B5	
	A7	B8	
	A8	B11	
	A12	B13	
	A13		
	A15		
	A19		
	A28		

Ability to respond to the needs of the patient assessing, planning and developing the most appropriate individualized programs along with the person and their environment, their caregivers and families and other professionals	A1	B1	C1
	A2	B2	C3
	A3	B3	C4
	A10	B4 B6	C6
Ability to adjust its role in order to respond effectively to the needs of the population or individual	A3	B1	
	A8	B2	
	A17	B9	
	A18	B14	
	A23		
	A24 A25		
Ability to use clinical reasoning checking and resetting the treatment	A1	B1	C3
	A2	B2	
	A3	B5	
	A5		
Capacity for effective communication with the user, families, social groups, and other professionals	A6	B2	
	A26	B6	
	A27	B16	
	A30	B18 B24 B29	
Ability to identify and anticipate situations of risk in the process of intervention	A7	B1	C8
	A8	B2	
	A12	B3	
	A21	B4	
	A25	B8	
	A28	B13 B28	
Ability to maintain the dignity, privacy and confidentiality of the person	A4	B5	C3
		B6	C4
		B7	C6 C7
Ability to utilize social resources and economic efficiently	A6	B2	C1
	A11	B5	
	A18	B30	
	A32	B34	
	A33	B35	
	A34		
Ability to demonstrate that professional performance meets the quality standards and that the practice is evidence-based	A3	B1	C1
	A4	B10	C8
	A5	B12	
	A20	B15	
	A22	B17 B22 B36	

Ability to achieve the well-being of the patient through a combination of resources and actions of the members of the team	A1 A6 A7 A8 A14 A18 A23 A29	B1 B5 B6 B8 B11 B15 B17 B20 B25 B26 B27 B32 B37	C3 C5 C7
Ability to work and communicate collaboratively and effectively with staff to prioritize and manage time efficiently while the quality standards are achieved	A10 A11	B5 B6 B7	C1 C2 C3 C4 C7
Ability to work in team with the goal of achieving the well-being of the patient	A11 A15 A16 A17 A23 A26 A27 A31 A33 A35	B5 B11 B19 B20 B29 B31 B33	C7 C8
Ability to accept responsibility for their own learning and continued professional development, using the evaluation as a means to reflect and improve its performance and upgrade the quality of services rendered	A6 A10	B5	C3 C4 C5 C6 C7 C8
Ability to apply the scientific method to verify the effectiveness of intervention methods, to apply working methods, and to evaluate and disseminate the results	A5 A6 A10 A11	B5	C1 C2 C3 C4 C5 C7
Ability to inform, educate, train, and supervise the person, caregivers and family	A10	B1 B2 B3 B4	C1 C4 C6 C7
Develop knowledge and ability to apply the occupations therapeutically and to apply the daily life activities therapeutically in all areas of occupational performance	A1 A2 A3	B1 B2	C4 C6 C7
Acquire skills in the implementation of the personalized therapeutic programme (according to the user, based on his personal history, the pathology and its evolution). And acquire the ability to establish a therapeutic relationship appropriate to the different stages of the life cycle of the person	A1 A2 A3	B1 B2	C4 C6 C7



Promote personal autonomy and assess the dependency of the user in the areas of occupational performance (basic activities of daily living, instrumental activities of daily living, work, education, leisure and free time and social participation), based on their different contexts (physical, cultural, social, personal, virtual, spiritual), according to the framework of work of occupational therapy: domain and process (AOTA 2010). In short, knowledge and ability to apply the theory and practice of occupational therapy	A1 A2 A3	B1 B2 B3 B4 B5	C4 C7
Ability to identify and anticipate situations of risk in adults with potential occupational dysfunction due to contextual conditions, as defined by the definition of the International Classification of Functioning, of the Disability and Health (CIF, WHO 2001)	A1 A2	B1 B2 B5	C4 C7
Ability to inform, record, document and, if necessary, derive the intervention process	A1 A15	B3 B5 B13 B14 B21 B23	C8
Ability to allow patients and caregivers to express their concerns and interests and to be able to respond adequately	A10	B1 B2	C1 C3 C4 C6 C7 C8
Ability to apply the scientific method to verify the effectiveness of the intervention methods, evaluate the applied methods of work and disseminate the results	A9 A10 A11	B5	C7 C8

Contents	
Topic	Sub-topic
BLOCK I. COMPREHENSIVE GERIATRIC ASSESSMENT	EXPOSITORY TEACHING 1. Gerontology and Geriatrics. Background and objectives. Major changes in relation to aging. Clinical history and geriatric interview. Characteristics of illness in the elderly patient. Geriatric syndromes concept. Bibliography. 2. Epidemiology and prevention in geriatrics. Most common pathologies in the elderly patient. Risk factors and prevention. Prevention of disability by the use of standards and protocols specific to each disease. Bibliography. 3. Comprehensive Geriatric Assessment. Concept and objectives. Interdisciplinary intervention team. Physical examination and clinical assessment. Assessment instruments and their characteristics. Functional assessment. Assessment of mental state: cognitive and affective. Social and quality of life assessment. Bibliography INTERACTIVE TEACHING Functional assessment instruments. Basic Activities of Daily Living (BADL) (Katz and Barthel Indexes), Bedford Alzheimer Nursing Severity Scale-BANS. Instrumental Activities of Daily Living (IADL) (Lawton and Brody Scale). BADL and IADL (Disability Assessment Scale for Dementia-DAD). Instruments for the evaluation of gait and balance (Short Physical Performance Battery-SPPB, speed of gait, Timed Get Up and Go Test (TUG), Tinetti Scale)



BLOCK II. GERIATRIC SYNDROMES	EXPOSITORY TEACHING 4. Frailty. Introduction and concept. Frailty Phenotype. Cognitive frailty and Social frailty. Main instruments of evaluation. Intervention. Bibliography. 5. Malnutrition. Epidemiology and concept. Causes and consequences. Nutritional requirements. Assessment of nutritional status. Bibliography 6. Immobility, instability, and falls. Background. Causes, assessment, and intervention. Evaluation instruments. Scales for the assessment of gait and balance. Intervention. Bibliography. 7. Incontinence and urinary retention. Constipation and fecal incontinence. Acute Confusional State. Sleep disorders. Sensory deprivation. Pharmacology and iatrogenesis. Bibliography. INTERACTIVE TEACHING Instruments for frailty assessment (Fried Phenotype, Kihon Checklist, Frail Scale, Clinical Frailty Scale of Rockwood, Tilburg Frailty Indicator (TFI), Groningen Frailty Index, Frail-VIG Index)). Instruments for malnutrition assessment (Mini Nutritional Assessment-MNA, MNA-Short Form) Instruments for the evaluation of social resources and support (Older Americans Resources and Services (OARS), Gijón Socio-Family Evaluation Scale)). Instruments for the evaluation of quality of life (WHOQOL-OLD, WHOQOL-BREF, Quality of Life in Alzheimer's Disease Measure (QOL-AD), Quality of life in late-stage dementia (QUALID) Scale).
BLOCK III. OTHER DISEASES OF RELEVANCE IN OLDER ADULTS	EXPOSITORY TEACHING 8. Cognitive decline, depression, and anxiety. Age-Associated Memory Impairment (AAMI). Mild Cognitive Impairment (MCI). Dementias. Types. Main instruments of evaluation. Therapeutic intervention. Depression. Concept. Epidemiology and pathogenesis. Classification, clinical manifestations, and differential diagnosis. Evaluation instruments. Therapeutic intervention. Anxiety. Concept and assessment. Therapeutic intervention. Bibliography 9. Brain-vascular disease and Parkinson's disease. Stroke. Epidemiology. Risk factors. Pathophysiology. AUNT. Types and clinical profiles. Clinical diagnosis. Glasgow Coma Scale. Therapeutic intervention. Extrapyramidal syndromes. Parkinson's disease. Epidemiology. Symptomatology. Evolutionary phases. Therapeutic intervention. Bibliography. INTERACTIVE TEACHING Instruments for cognitive assessment (Mini-Mental State Examination (MMSE), Severe-MMSE, Global Deterioration Scale for Assessment of Primary Degenerative Dementia (GDS)). Instruments for depression and anxiety assessment (Geriatric Depression Scale (GDS), Cornell Scale for Depression in Dementia, Hamilton Depression Rating Scale (HDRS), Beck Depression Inventory (BDI), Goldberg Anxiety and Depression Scale (GADS)).

Planning				
Methodologies / tests	Competencies	Ordinary class hours	Student's personal work hours	Total hours



Guest lecture / keynote speech	A2 A1 A12 A13 A14 A19 A20 A21 A22 A23 A24 A25 A26 A27 A28 A29 A30 A33 A35 A34 C2	18	10	28
Case study	A3 A4 A5 A7 A9 A10 A15 A16 A17 A18 A31 B8 B9 B10 B11 B12 B13 B14 B15	10	14	24
Supervised projects	A32 B2 B3 B5 B16 B17 B18 B19 B20 B21 B22 B23 B25 B28 C3 C4 C5 C6 C8	0	15	15
Field trip	A6 A11 B4 B5 B6 B7 B24 B26 B27 B29 B30 B31 B32 B33 B34 B35 B36 B37	6	6	12
Multiple-choice questions	A8 B1 B2 B3 C1 C7	2	27.5	29.5
Personalized attention		4	0	4

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

Methodologies	
Methodologies	Description
Guest lecture / keynote speech	The Masterclass is also known as "lecture", "Expository method" or "Master lesson". This last modality is usually reserved to a special type of lesson taught by a professor on special occasions, with a content that implies an original elaboration and based on the almost exclusive use of the word as a route of transmission of the information to the Audience. It allows acquiring the specific competencies referenced in this subject.
Case study	Methodology where the subject faces the description of a specific situation that poses a problem that must be understood, valued and solved by a group of people, through a process of discussion. The student is faced with a specific problem (case), which describes a real situation of the professional life, and should be able to analyze a series of facts, referring to a particular field of knowledge or action, to arrive at a reasoned decision through a discussion in small working groups. In this context, the student will acquire the necessary skill to carry out the evaluation of the geriatric patient with the main used instruments. It allows to acquire the specific competencies referenced in this subject.
Supervised projects	Methodology designed to promote the autonomous learning of the students, under the supervision of the teacher and in varied scenarios (academic and professional). It is referred primarily to the learning of "How to". It is an option based on the assumption of students responsibility for their own learning. This teaching system is based on two basic elements: The independent learning of the students and the follow-up of that learning by the teacher-tutor. It allows acquiring the generic competencies referenced in this subject.
Field trip	Activities developed in an external context to the University academic environment (companies, institutions, organizations, monuments, etc.) related to the field of study of the subject. These activities focus on the development of capacities related to direct and systematic observation, the collection of information, the development of products (sketches, designs, etc.), etc. This activity will be carried out in small groups in a center of attention to elderly people. It allows acquiring generic competencies referenced in this subject.



Multiple-choice questions	It will consist of a test-type examination, consisting of 40 questions with four answers each of which only one is correct. Incorrect-answered questions will subtract 0.33 points on the correct ones, not subtracting the unanswered. To overcome the exam the student must obtain a final score of 65% of the total once the points of the missed ones have been subtracted. e.g 30 right, 4 wrong and 6 unanswered. The final score will be $30 - 4 \times 0,33 = 28,68 \geq 26$. Following the table of equivalences the score of the test will be as follows: Correct 1-5 6-10 11-15 16-20 21-26 27-30 31-35 36-40 Note 0.2-1.0 1.2-1.9 2.1-2.9 3.1-3.8 4-5 5.4-6.4 6.8-8.2 8.6-10 Thus in the section of 1 to 26 correct answers, each correct answer computes 0.19 points and in the section of 27 to 40 correct answers, each one computes 0.36 points. Subsequently, the test note is weighted at 65% of the total score for the subject. Therefore, if a 10 in the exam involves a 6.5 in the final evaluation, a 7.2 examination note would imply 4.7 points.
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Personalized attention

Methodologies	Description
Guest lecture / keynote speech Case study Supervised projects Field trip Multiple-choice questions	Personalized attention will be, globally, through personalized individual and group tutoring during the course and according to established schedules. The student can contact the teachers by e-mail (jcmillan@udc.es; amaseda@udc.es; laura.lorenzo.lopez@udc.es) or in person to establish tutorials, always according to their availability or the established schedules. STUDENTS WITH RECOGNITION OF PART-TIME DEDICATION AND ACADEMIC EXEMPTION FROM ATTENDANCE, as established to "Rule that regulates the regime of dedication to the study of undergraduate students at the UDC" (Art.3.b and 4.5) and the "Rules of evaluation, review and claim of the qualifications of undergraduate studies and university master's degree (Art. 3 and 8b), students may request tutorials with the teaching staff of the subject whenever they need it, facilitating the face-to-face or virtual mode according to the availability of the student.

Assessment

Methodologies	Competencies	Description	Qualification
Guest lecture / keynote speech	A2 A1 A12 A13 A14 A19 A20 A21 A22 A23 A24 A25 A26 A27 A28 A29 A30 A33 A35 A34 C2	Attendance to master classes is compulsory. To overcome this section the student must attend a minimum of 75%.	6
Case study	A3 A4 A5 A7 A9 A10 A15 A16 A17 A18 A31 B8 B9 B10 B11 B12 B13 B14 B15	Interactive teaching in small groups, where students will receive training on the completion of the different evaluation instruments used in geriatrics. This activity will compute as assistance, included in the preceding section and shall provide the student with the specific competencies to carry out the supervised work, to be evaluated in the corresponding section.	1
Supervised projects	A32 B2 B3 B5 B16 B17 B18 B19 B20 B21 B22 B23 B25 B28 C3 C4 C5 C6 C8	A compulsory visit to the Gerontological Center. The student must make a brief report of his/her experience during the visit.	25
Field trip	A6 A11 B4 B5 B6 B7 B24 B26 B27 B29 B30 B31 B32 B33 B34 B35 B36 B37	According to the instructions received during the interactive teaching (case study), the student should develop a clinical case and deliver it within the established time frame.	3



Multiple-choice questions	A8 B1 B2 B3 C1 C7	Carried out on the dates established in the official examination calendar; The test consists of forty questions with four possible answers, of which only one is correct. Incorrect-answered questions will subtract 0.33 points on the correct ones, not subtracting the unanswered. To overcome the test, the student must obtain a final score of 65% ($= \text{or } \geq 26$) of the total, once the points of the missed ones have been subtracted. eg; 30 right, 4 wrong and 6 unanswered. The final score will be $30 - (4 * 0,33) = 28,68 \geq 26$ (pass).	65
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Assessment comments



The final qualification will be computed according to the following criteria: 1) Final evaluation, carried out according to the official examination calendar, by means of an exam that contributes to 65% of the final qualification. This evaluation will consist of a test-type exam, consisting of forty questions with four answers, with only one correct. Incorrect answers will subtract 0.33 points on the correct ones, not subtracting the unanswered. To pass the exam the student must obtain a final score of 65% of the total (once the points of the missed ones have been subtracted). e.g. 30 right, 4 wrong and 6 unanswered. The final score will be $30 - 4 \times 0.33 = 28.68 > 26$ (pass). Being the table of equivalences once obtained the final score the following: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 0.2 0.4 0.6 0.8 1 1.2 1.3 1.5 1.7 1.9 2.1 2.3 2.5 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 2.7 2.9 3.1 3.3 3.5 3.7 3.8 4.0 4.2 4.4 4.6 4.8 5.0 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 5.4 5.7 6.1 6.4 6.8 7.1 7.5 7.9 8.2 8.6 8.9 9.3 9.6 40 10. In the section of 1 to 26 correct answers, each correct answer computes 0.19 points, and in the section of 27 to 40 correct answers, each one computes 0.36 points. 2) The rest of the activities compute 35% of the final qualification as follows: 2.1.) Assistance to expository teaching and interactive teaching (up to 7%). In this case, the student must attend at least 75% of the classroom teaching. 2.2. Visit to a healthcare center (up to 3%). The student must present a report on the activity carried out. 2.3. Case study and supervised work (up to 25%). It includes a bibliographical review on the subject of study, as well as development of a clinical case according to the competencies acquired in the interactive teaching. The student will be able to obtain positives by participation in activities organized or recommended by the professors of the subject (Scientific sessions, conferences, research projects...). The score given will be at the discretion of the teacher responsible. To overcome the subject, the student will have to pass each of the parties submitted to evaluation. Although the sum of the activities carried out and the qualification of the exam exceeds 5, in case of not having passed any of the parties, their score will be referred to the further qualification of the suspended party. The system of qualifications will be expressed by numerical qualification in accordance with the established in the article 5 of the Royal Decree 1125/2003 of 5 of September (BOE 18 of September), by which establishes the European system of credits and the system of qualifications in Official university qualifications and validity throughout the national territory Qualifications System: 0-4.9 = Suspense 5-6.9 = Approved 7-8.9 = Noteworthy 9-10 = Outstanding 9-10 Honor Plate.

STUDENTS WITH RECOGNITION OF PART-TIME DEDICATION AND ACADEMIC EXEMPTION FROM ATTENDANCE, as established by the "Norm that regulates the regime of dedication to the study of undergraduate students at the UDC" (Art. 3.b and 4.5) and the "Rules of evaluation, review and claim of the qualifications of the undergraduate and master's degree studies (Art. 3 and 8b), the qualification referred to classroom attendance as well as the visit to the gerontological center, will be replaced by the realization of a practical work linked to said training. In addition, in personalized tutorials they will be explained the work done in the classroom so that they can do it properly at home. Important supervised works: -The fraudulent performance of the tests or evaluation activities, once verified, will directly imply the loss of the right to the opportunity in which the fault is committed and with respect to the matter in which it was committed. Qualification of suspense in the call in which the lack is committed and respect for the subject in which it was committed: the student will be qualified with "suspense" (numerical grade 0) in the corresponding call of the academic year, both the commission of the fault occurs in the first opportunity and in the second. For this, their qualification will be modified in the first chance certificate, if necessary.

As stated in the different regulations applicable to university teaching, the gender perspective must be incorporated in this matter (non-sexist language will be used, bibliography of authors of both sexes will be used, the intervention in class of students will be encouraged ...). Work will be done to identify and modify prejudices and sexist attitudes and influence the environment to modify them and promote values of respect and equality. Situations of discrimination based on gender should be detected and actions and measures proposed to correct them.



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Recommendations

Subjects that it is recommended to have taken before



Human Anatomy/653G01106

Human Physiology/653G01107

Public Health/653G01308

Subjects that are recommended to be taken simultaneously

Medical-Surgical Conditions in Adult Patients/653G01301

Health Education: Health Psychology and Basic Care/653G01408

Subjects that continue the syllabus

Ergonomics, Accessibility, Universal Design and Functional Adaptation/653G01206

Work Placement VIII/653G01407

Documentación, metodoloxía cuantitativa e cualitativa/653G01C03

Other comments

Management of computer programs and databases and knowledge of the English language are recommended. The fraudulent performance of the tests or evaluation activities, once verified, will directly imply the loss of the right to the opportunity in which the fault is committed and with respect to the matter in which it was committed. In the minutes will appear a not presented on this occasion. If the irregularity is repeated in a 2nd evaluation, the Committee may request the Rector the temporary or perpetual expulsion of the student from the degree. To achieve a sustainable immediate environment and meet the strategic objective 2 of the fifth Plan of sustainability - environmental Green Campus FCS 2023-2025, the documentary work carried out on this subject: a. Will be mostly requested in a virtual format and computer support b. If paper is used: -Do not use plastics -Use double-sided printing -Use recycled paper -Prevent the realization of drafts

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