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Inglés científico (INP) 1
Teaching guide 2023-24

INTRODUCTION

- **Subject description:** This subject prepares students to use English as an indispensable tool in the nursing profession: that is, to understand and analyze nursing-related texts, follow conversations on professional topics, and to communicate effectively in healthcare scenarios.
- **Type of subject:** Required
- **ECTS:** 3
- **Academic year, semester:** 2023-2024, semester II
- **Language:** English
- **Degree program:** Grado en Enfermería (International Nursing Program)
- **Module and subject area:** Module: *Formación básica de la Enfermería*. Subject area: *Materias Instrumentales*
- **Coordinator:** Cólín Ó hAodha
- **Class teacher:** Cólín Ó hAodha (cohoadha@unav.es)
- **Timetable:** Fridays, 12:00-14:00
- **Room:** Aula 01, Edificio Castaños

COMPETENCIES

- CB2: Students must know how to apply their knowledge to their work or vocation in a professional way and must have the competences that are usually demonstrated by means of preparing and defending arguments and solving problems within their area of study.
- CB3: Students must have the ability to gather and interpret relevant data (usually within their area of study) to make judgments that include a reflection on relevant social, scientific and ethical topics.
- CB5: Students must develop the learning skills required to undertake subsequent studies with a high level of independence.
- CG01: In the context of nursing, students must be able to provide technical and professional healthcare that fits the health needs of the people they care for, in accordance with their stage in the process of acquisition of academic knowledge and the quality and safety levels established in applicable legal and ethical standards.
- CG06: Basing nursing interventions on scientific evidence and the resources available.
- CG14: Establishing assessment mechanisms that take into account scientific, technical and quality aspects.
- CG16: Being familiar with healthcare information systems.
- CE07: Using information and communication technologies and systems in healthcare.

PROGRAM

The subject is structured as follows:

- Introduction to the Nursing Profession
- Communicating with Patients 1
- Supporting the Patient with Human Functioning (1)



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- Reading the Nursing Literature 1
- Supporting the Patient with Human Functioning (2)
- Communicating with Patients 2
- Supporting the Patient through the Diagnostic Process (1)
- Reading Nursing Literature 2
- Supporting the Patient through the Diagnostic Process (2)
- Reading the Nursing Literature 3
- Communicating with Patients 3
- Exam Practice

EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES

One class session per week, using a wide range of pedagogical strategies to help students:

- improve their listening skills, by doing exercises with a special focus on note-taking
- learn how to read nursing-related texts efficiently
- acquire specialized vocabulary from their professional area
- learn how to conduct a basic admission interview with a patient
- express ideas and opinions in professional contexts, and to have discussions with other people

ASSESSMENT

Midterm Exam (30%)

- Vocabulary
- Reading
- Listening

Speaking: Presentation (15%)

Final Exam (45%)

- Vocabulary
- Reading
- Listening

Speaking Test: Nurse-patient interview (10%)

Re-sit assessment

- Written Examination (75%)
- Speaking Test (25%)

OFFICE HOURS

Friday, 14:00-16:00 CET. Dirección, Instituto de Idiomas / Institute of Modern Languages, Planta -1, Ed. Amigos; or by appointment: cohaodha@unav.es.

BIBLIOGRAPHY AND RESOURCES

Course resources will be made available via ADI over the course of the semester.