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Medical law 410 (GRG 410)

Qualification Undergraduate

Faculty [Faculty of Law](#)

Module credits 10.00

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 2 lectures per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Academic organisation Public Law

Period of presentation Semester 1

Module content

*For LLB (a) General foundations of forensic medicine (b) Legal basis of the relationship between doctor/hospital and patient (c) Grounds of justification for medical interventions (d) Medical negligence and vicarious liability (e) The patient's privacy and medical confidentiality (f) Artificial human procreation (g) Liability for wrongful conception/birth/life (h) Transsexualism and sex-change operations (i) The moment of death and euthanasia (j) Aspects of the medical disciplinary hearings

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