

## University of Pretoria Yearbook 2022

## Medical law 410 (GRG 410)

**Qualification** Undergraduate

**Faculty** Faculty of Law

Module credits 10.00

NOF Level 08

Programmes LLB

**Prerequisites** Admission to the relevant programme and Final Year Academic Level.

**Contact time** 2 lectures per week

**Language of tuition** Module is presented in English

**Department** 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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