

# UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

## **COURSE SYLLABUS**

# **Medicina Legale**

1819-5-H4101D031

#### **Aims**

The Legal Medicine in the social context and its relationship with the judiciary system. Mandatory complaints, certificate, medical records, 'referto', 'denuncia di reato', technical advice and expertise. Elements of forensic psychopathology. The damage to the person and duty of compensation. Consent to health care, professional secrecy. Legal capacity, civil capacity, chargeableness. Murder, infanticide and feticide, beatings and bodily injury, rape, abortion and criminal law relating to abortion. Medical liability. Forensic pathology: causal relationship, causes and types of injuries, forensic toxicology. Thanatology and judicial inspection. Hospital and forensic autopsy. Sudden death (adult and infant). Identification. Bioethics and medical deontology (human experimentation). Assessment of death and removal of organs for transplantation, correction of sex, mandatory medical treatment. Protection of occupational accidents and diseases; compulsory insurance against invalidity. Life, accident and sickness private insurance

#### **Contents**

To know: the judicial organization of the State; elements of criminal and civil laws; the basics of the relationship between health operators, institutions and patients; elements of forensic pathology.

#### **Detailed program**

Definitions, scope and generality

The medical service in the social context and its relationship with the judiciary system

Legal, ethical and moral duties of the physician

Consent to health care and Law n. 219 22/12/2017

The duty of professional secrecy

Mandatory complaints, 'referto' and 'denuncia di reato'

Certificate, medical records, technical advice and expertise

Elements of forensic psychopathology

Legal capacity, civil capacity, chargeableness, 'interdizione', 'inabilitazione' and 'amministrazione di sostegno' Contusive injuries, including traffic accidents

Injuries by firearms

Injuries by cold steels

Mechanical asphyxia

Injuries by thermic energy

Forensic toxicology

Diagnosis and time of the death

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Assessment of death and removal of organs for transplantation, correction of sex, mandatory medical treatment Protection of occupational accidents and diseases; compulsory insurance against invalidity Life, accident and sickness private insurance

Medical professional liability and Law n. 24 8/03/2017

#### **Prerequisites**

#### **Teaching form**

Lectures, exercises

#### Textbook and teaching resource

TESTO CONSIGLIATO "Compendio di Medicina Legale e delle Assicurazioni", A. Cazzaniga, C. Cattabeni, R. Luvoni, R. Zoja. Ed. UTET, 2015.

Per approfondimenti specialistici : "Trattato di Tossicologia Forense", E. Bertol, F. Lodi, F. Mari, E. Marozzi, Ed. CEDAM, 2000.

#### Semester

### **Assessment method**

Written exam with multiple choice questions (30 questions) and oral exam

## Office hours

monday h 12:00