

# UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

# **COURSE SYLLABUS**

# **Clinical Biochemistry and Molecular Biology**

1920-4-H4101D262-H4101D178M

#### Aims

The goal of the course is to provide the tools for the correct use of biochemical, and the definition of their indications and interpretation.

#### **Contents**

CLINICAL BIOCHEMISTRY AND CLINICAL PATHOLOGY: Lab test in oncology and rheumatology. Inflammation markers. Discussion of clinical reports.

## **Detailed program**

Clinical laboratory. Organization principles. Laboratory Informative System.

The correct request of lab tests.

Pre-analytical, analytical and post-analytical variability. Conditions able to affect lab test results.

General rules of Quality assessment and their application in the different sections of lab.

Techniques for the collection of biological fluids/materials to submit to biochemical, microbiological, and genetic tests.

Blood and biological fluid analysis: urines, cerebrospinal fluid, synovial, pleural, pericardic, peritoneal and amniotic fluid collection, analysis.

Auto protection measures.

Application of molecular diagnostics to Clinical Biochemistry labs.

Case reports of laboratory Medicine

CLINICAL BIOCHEMISTRY AND MOLECULAR BIOLOGY Lab test in oncology and rheumatology.

Inflammation markers.

## **Prerequisites**

Propaedeutic skills

#### **Teaching form**

Lectures, traineeship

## Textbook and teaching resource

McPherson RA, Pincus MR Henry's Clinical Diagnosis and Management by Laboratory Methods, 23a edizione in lingua inglese. Ed. Elsevier, 2016

Federici G. Medicina di laboratorio ed McGraw-Hill. IV edizione, 2014

Marshall W, Lapsley M., Day A Clinical chemistry ed Mosby. 8a edizione in lingua inglese. Ed. Elsevier, 2016 Microbiologia Clinica (autori: Mims c., Dockrell HM., Goering RW., Roitt I., Wakelin D., Zuckerman M.) EMSI, 2006, III ed.

Microbiologia Clinica (autore: Cevenini R.) PICCIN.

Kumar V, Abbas A., Aster J.C. Robbins & Cotran Le basi patologiche delle malattie Ed. Masson, 9th ed., 2015 Mariuzzi, G.M. Anatomia patologica e correlazioni anatomo-cliniche Ed.Piccin, 1° 2007

AJCC Cancer Staging Manual 8<sup>th</sup> ed. Springer, 2017

Robbins e Cotran - Le basi patologiche delle malattie / V. Kumar et al. Elsevier 2011.

Moreover, the teachers will provide educational material.

#### Semester

First semester

#### Assessment method

Case report analysis. Written and oral test. Multiple choice test (31 questions)

# Office hours

Visits by appointment that can be requested via e-mail