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DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

## **COURSE SYLLABUS**

### **Scientific and Medical Language**

1920-1-H4102D003

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#### **Aims**

Familiarity with the special terminology, grammar and rhetorical features of medical communication.

#### **Contents**

Scientific and medical language

#### **Detailed program**

This course will focus on the special terminology, grammar and rhetorical features of medical communication, allowing students to engage in guided classroom tasks to practise and consolidate their language competence and metalinguistic awareness.

#### **Prerequisites**

English B2 level

#### **Teaching form**

Lectures (in English), interactive group discussion, oral presentations.

## **Textbook and teaching resource**

"Minimum Competence in Medical English" (first 150 pages), available through [www.unibg.it/library](http://www.unibg.it/library).

## **Semester**

First

## **Assessment method**

Oral exam at the end of the course aimed at assessing fluency and appropriateness of use of technical language of the medical sciences and of English in general.

## **Office hours**

See lecturer's webpage at [www.unibg.it](http://www.unibg.it)

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