

UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

COURSE SYLLABUS

Physical Therapy Differential Diagnosis in Patients With Dizziness

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Aims

To know and to understand the difference between dizziness with objective and subjective symptoms

- To know and to understand diseases that make objective and subjective symptoms
- To understand red flags in the research of the cause of subjective dizziness
- To know how assess dizziness with the history of the patients
- To confirm the evaluation by using tests.

Contents

Detailed program

- differences between instability and dizziness; and between objective and subjective symptoms in dizziness
- classification of dizziness with objective symptoms (Menière, BPPV, VIII c.n. neurinoma, semicircular canals' lesion)
- classification of pathology that may make subjective symptoms (cervical, CNS, otosclerosis, MS, otitys, VBI, pharma, alcohol, diabetes, cardiac problems, orthostatic ipotension)
- to show what physiotherapist can treat
- individuation of the biomechanics behind the born of cervical dizziness

- differential diagnosis and routine using vestibular tests, nystagmus tests and neurological tests.
Prerequisites
Teaching form
Lessons
Textbook and teaching resource
Harrison's Principles of internal medicine, VARIOUS REFERENCE.
Semester
Assessment method
Attendance.
Office hours