

# UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

## **COURSE SYLLABUS**

# **Assessment and Treatment of Whiplash**

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#### **Aims**

Improvement of knowledge on pathophysiology, biomechanics and relationship with the complex framework of detectable signs and symptoms.

#### **Contents**

Describe whiplash trauma and systemic effects. Explain evaluation and intervention methods Inform students about the multi-system damage inflicted by whiplash trauma. To exemplify methods of investigation, damage assessment, and various intervention protocols.

#### **Detailed program**

aspects of biomechanics and pathophysiology of the cervical spine pathophysiology of whiplash, clinic, recovery times, treatment hypotheses (bibliographic review) treatment hypotheses:

- weighted joint movements
- myofascial inhibition techniques (spray and stretching, muscle energy techniques, positional release ..)

### **Prerequisites**

Enrollment in the second year of the Degree Course in Physiotherapy
Teaching form
practical frontal lesson and lab
Textbook and teaching resource
Research in scientific literature
Semester
annual
Assessment method
Set of final questions to reaffirm the main knowledge acquired. It does not assign votes
Office hours
by appointment
Sustainable Development Goals
GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING