

UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

COURSE SYLLABUS

The Clinical Interview: Methods and Examples of Clinical Casees

2223-3-E2401P124

Learning area

4: Knowledge about qualitative and quantitative research methodology

Learning objectives

Knowledge and understanding

- · General topics and methodological approaches related to psychological diagnosis
- Clinical reasoning
- · Data organisation

Applying knowledge and understanding

- The different contexts in which a clinical interview is used
- Ability to extrapolate data and formulate hypotheses by reading/listening to patient protocols
- Writing a report

Contents

The course will introduce the topic of analysis and codification of clinical sessions, in order to show how the information collected during the session, and the observation of the interaction between patient and therapist, can be used for clinical case formulation in professional and research contexts. Practical examples of patient/therapist interactions will be discussed in the light of recent scientific contributions.

Detailed program

Prerequisites

Basic knowledge about clinical psychology.

Good knowledge of written English.

Computer familiarity (Office package or equivalents).

Teaching methods

Clinical exemplifying material; presentation of relevant topics; discussion and operative work activities in class; consultation of relevant book material and scientific papers.

Assessment methods

In order to have the attendance to the course approved, students will need to be present to at least 75% of the classes and take part to a few didactic activities during the course.

Although this course is held in Italian, for Erasmus students, part of the course material can also be available in English, and students can take part to selected activities in English if they wish to do so.

Textbooks and Reading Materials

Sustainable Development Goals

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