



UNIVERSITÀ
DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

SYLLABUS DEL CORSO

Scienze Umane

2324-1-I0102D007

Aims

The course aims to provide students with the theoretical knowledge concerning psychological, social and anthropological elements of midwifery profession in order to help them to adequately perceive their professional role in a complex context of networks and relationship, in a storical-antropological perspective and understand psychological and social mechanisms of uman behaviour.

Contents

Topic of the Human Sciences course is to give students an overview of the anthropological, social and psychological aspects of health care professions.

Detailed program

CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY - The difficult patient and personal narrative; Interpersonal motivational systems (attachment, care, predatory, competitive, sexual, play and affiliation, cooperative); Attachment and relationship with patients (secure, avoidant, ambivalent, disorganized attachment); attachment-based care approach.; The placebo effect and the implications for the relationship with the patient; the mechanisms by which the placebo effect acts; Traumatic experiences and their impact on mental functioning. ANTHROPOLOGY - Medical anthropology, human health and disease; social processes and cultural representations of health, illness and related nursing/care practices; Disease, Illness and Sickness; narrative medicine: general principles; popular medicine and health anthropology in the developing countries. SOCIOLOGY - History of sociology; Perspectives on sociology; Health and everyday life; Health inequalities

Prerequisites

Teaching form

Lectures, small group activities with final written report.

Textbook and teaching resource

CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY: Maria Pia Viggiano "Psicologia per l'infermiere delle moderne strutture ospedaliere", Carocci, 2015; Fabrizio Benedetti "L'effetto placebo. Breve viaggio tra mente e corpo", Carocci, 2018. SOCIOLOGY - Donati P.P. (2006) Sociologia, CEDAM, Padova, ISBN-13: 9788813263119; Smelser N.J. (2011) Manuale di sociologia, Il Mulino, Bologna, ISBN: 9788815232502; Toni R., Sociologia per infermieri, Piccin, Padova, ISBN: 978-88-299-1043-4; Beccaria F., Morchi M.G., La salute possibile – Manuale di sociologia per infermieri, Carocci Faber, Roma, ISBN: 9788874661046; Bucchi M., Neresini F. (a cura di) Sociologia della salute, Carocci, Roma, ISBN: 9788843018147; Colozzi, I. (1995) Famiglia reti informali e terzo settore, in: Sanicola L. (a cura di) Reti sociali ed intervento professionale, Ed. Liguori, Napoli; Di Nicola, P. (1987) Il ruolo delle reti sociali primarie nel controllo della malattia e protezione della salute, in Donati P. (a cura di) Manuale di sociologia sanitaria, La Nuova Italia Scientifica, Roma; Colozzi, I. (2002) Le nuove politiche sociali, Carocci, Roma, cap. 2 - Il terzo settore, e cap. 3 - Il principio di sussidiarietà; Sanicola L. (2002) La famiglia, risorsa per l'uomo, in Id., Il dono della famiglia. L'affido, oltre l'educazione "assistita", Ed. Paoline, Milano. ANTHROPOLOGY - Pizza G., Antropologia medica. Saperi, pratiche e politiche del corpo. Carocci ed.; Fainzang S., Farmaci e società. Il paziente, il medico e la ricetta. Franco Angeli ed.; Quaranta I. (a cura di) Antropologia medica. I testi fondamentali, Raffaello Cortina Ed.

Semester

1 year - 2 Semester

Assessment method

Written examination with multiple choice and open ended questions and group activity report assessment. Final grade deriving from the average of individual marks of each module (3 different parts) of the exam.

Office hours

Sustainable Development Goals

GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING | GENDER EQUALITY | REDUCED INEQUALITIES
