

# UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

# SYLLABUS DEL CORSO

# Internato in Reparto di Geriatria

2425-5-H4101D172

# Aims

Provide the student with direct experience in managing elderly patients, with particular reference to the holistic approach and the clinical complexity of geriatric syndromes and frailty. The knowledge of geriatrics, integrated with that acquired in other internships and with the course lectures, will serve to competently manage the problems of elderly patients in the hospital.

### Contents

The student will assist his/her physician-tutor during the working day at the ward.

### **Detailed program**

Interactive discussion of clinical cases at the patient's bedside, encompassing cardiovascular, respiratory, endocrine-metabolic, neurological, gastroenterological, kidney and rheumatological diseases. Particular attention will be offered towards the clinical needs of frail elderly patients.

# Prerequisites

Knowledge of semeiotics and clinical methodology, of pathophysiology and pharmacology Activities chosen by students of the fifth year of the Medical Degree course and over.

# **Teaching form**

Attendance at the acute geriatric unit and clinic

## **Textbook and teaching resource**

Hazzard's Geriatric Medicine and Gerontology, 7e, McGraw-Hill Education Manuale di Geriatria EDRA edizioni

### Semester

The internship is offered to fourth and fifth-year students of the degree course

# Assessment method

To evaluate both the knowledge acquired by the scholars and their ability in the clinical reasoning, the oral exam will start from a clinical case, which the student will critically discuss to obtain the most likely diagnosis and define the medical treatment.

# Office hours

On appointment, sending an email to the teacher (giuseppe.bellelli@unimib.it)

# **Sustainable Development Goals**

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