Study program: Special education and rehabilitation for persons with difficulties in mental development;

Speech and Language Pathology

Type and level of studies: Undergraduate academic studies

Course title: Introduction to Rehabilitation of Persons with Intellectual Disabilities

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Status of the course: Obligatory common course

ECTS: 4

Prerequisites: No prerequisites

Aim

The objective of this course is to enable students to understand the phenomenon of intellectual disabilities (ID) in the context of a wider, social model of disability. The students are trained to recognize the developmental characteristics of people with ID, co-morbid conditions and differential-diagnostic aspects of ID and other disorders, and to apply their knowledge in future work.

Learning outcomes

By mastering the curriculum, a student acquires basic knowledge in the field of intellectual disabilities necessary for understanding of applied professional courses in the higher years of studies. The student will be able to understand the behaviour of people with ID, to determine their level of needed support and to recognize the most common comorbid conditions.

Course contents

Lectures

Scientific terminology in ID. Definition and classification of ID in ICD-10, DSM-5 and AAIDD. The prevalence of ID. Multidimensional approach to ID. Early childhood development and ID. Educational services for children with ID. Adults and old people with ID. Ethical dilemmas in the prevention and treatment of ID. Co-morbidity of ID and autism spectrum disorder. Diagnostic criteria for autism. Categorical, dimensional and developmental approach to autism. Educational diagnosis. Changes in clinical presentations of autism spectrum disorder.

Practical exercises

Visiting institutions that provide special education and rehabilitation for children with ID (establishing contacts with their consumers; identification of specific developmental characteristics and co-morbid conditions; categorically based classification of ID).

Literature

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Total number of active teaching classes 3 classes a week week Lectures: 2 classes a week Practical exercises: 1 class a week
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Teaching methods

Lectures, practical exercising, interactive teaching

Evaluation of knowledge (maximum score 100)				
Pre-exam obligations	points	Final exam	points	
active student participation		written exam		
practical exercises	5	oral exam	50	
midterm(s)	45			
term paper(s)				