



Paramedical Sciences School-Shahid Sadoughi University of Medical Sciences
Spring 2024

Course Title: English for the Students of Anesthesia

Students: BSc Anesthesia Students-Semester IV

Course Duration: 51 hours (3 Units) **Training Schedule:** Monday: 13:00-17:00 **Instructor:** Dr. Mavaddat

Course Objectives

The course aims at helping anesthesia students fill the gap between their general knowledge of English and the medical literature to which they will be exposed in their future academic and professional lives. To this end, students will become familiar with a broad range of technical terms and a number of relevant grammatical structures through intensive reading of anesthesia texts. They will also become familiar with some translation strategies and practice how to use dictionary. Students' vocabulary skill will also improve by teacher's presentation of a number of absolutely essential medical terms and prefixes, suffixes, and roots in the classroom.

Assignments

Students are required to reinforce what they have learned via self-reading of specific texts at the end of the units. They are also required to do the exercises in their textbooks or other homework assigned to them either in class through group work or out of class on their own.

Course Assessment

Students' quality of performance on the midterm exam will account for 40% and their final exam scores will represent 50% of their course grades. Ten percent of the course grade will also be allocated to students' participation and attendance.

Sources

Hutton, A. R. (2002). An introduction to medical terminology for health Care (3rd ed.). China: CHURCHILL LIVINGSTONE.

Mirza Suzani, Samad, & Parvaresh, Batool. (2014). *English for the Students of Anesthesia*. Tehran: SAMT.

Tahlilgaran Dictionary

The instructor will also provide the students with some video clips from the world of Anesthesiology relevant to their lessons.

Session	Date	Day	Time	Content
1	1402/11/23	Monday	13-17	Introduction to the Course; Unit Four: Clinical Management of Muscle relaxants-Part One
2	1402/11/30	Monday	13-17	Unit Four: Clinical Management of Muscle relaxants -Part Two; Glossary (Hutton), p. 319
3	1402/12/07	Monday	13-17	Unit Six: Anesthesia, Drug Metabolism and Toxicity-Part One; Glossary, p. 320
4	1402/12/14	Monday	13-17	Unit Six: Anesthesia, Drug Metabolism and Toxicity-Part Two; Glossary, pp. 321-322
5	1402/12/21	Monday	13-17	Unit Seven: Basic Definitions in Modern Aesthesia-Part One; Glossary, pp. 323-324
6	1402/12/28	Monday	13-17	Unit Seven: Basic Definitions in Modern Aesthesia-Part Two; Glossary, pp. 325-326
7	1403/1/18	Monday	13-17	Units Eight: The Changing Nature of Preoperative Evaluation-Part One-Exercises; Glossary, pp. 327-328
8	1403/1/25	Monday	13-17	Unit Eight: The Changing Nature of Preoperative Evaluation-Part Two; Review of the Previous Lessons
9	1403/2/2	Monday	13-17	Midterm Exam
10	1402/2/9	Monday	13-17	Unit Nine-Part One , Glossary, pp. 329-330
11	1402/2/16	Monday	13-17	Unit Nine-Part Two , Glossary, pp. 331-332
12	1402/2/23	Monday	13-17	Unit Ten: Glossary, p. 333-334
13	1402/2/30	Monday	13-17	Unit Ten: Glossary, p. 335-336
14	1402/3/7	Monday	13-17	Review of the Previous Lessons
15	1402/3/14	Monday	13-17	Glossary, pp. 337-338
16	1402/3/21	Monday	13-17	Glossary, pp. 339-341