

GDAŃSK UNIVERSITY

Subject card

Subject name and code	Selected aspects of neurology, PG_00024940								
Field of study	Medical and Mechanical Engineering, Mechanical and Medical Engineering								
Date of commencement of studies	October 2020		Academic year of realisation of subject			2022/2023			
Education level	first-cycle studies		Subject group			Obligatory subject group in the field of study			
						Subject group related to scientific research in the field of study			
Mode of study	Full-time studies		Mode of delivery			at the university			
Year of study	3		Language of instruction			Polish			
Semester of study	5		ECTS credits			1.0			
Learning profile	general academic profile		Assessmer	Assessment form			assessment		
Conducting unit	Institute of Mechanics	s and Machine	Design -> Facı	ulty of Mechan	ical Eng	ineerin	g and Ship Te	echnology	
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		Grzegorz Kozera						
	Teachers		Grzegorz Kozera						
Lesson types and methods of instruction	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Projec	:t	Seminar	SUM	
	Number of study hours	15.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.0	15	
	E-learning hours included: 0.0								
Learning activity and number of study hours	_earning activity Participation ir classes include plan				Self-study		SUM		
	Number of study hours	15		3.0		7.0		25	
Subject objectives	To acquaint the student with the basic causes, symptoms and treatments of diseases of the nervous system. Overview of the most important methods of neuroimaging, neurophysiological and ultrasound diagnostics used in neurology. Mastering by the student to solve the basic problems related to the prevention of diseases of the nervous system								
Learning outcomes	Course outcome		Subject outcome			Method of verification			
	K6_U10		The student describes the basic elements of the nervous system, explains the most important principles of their functioning and the main causes of disease symptoms			[SU3] Assessment of ability to use knowledge gained from the subject			
			The student is able to recognize the basic symptoms of disease, can select adequate diagnostic techniques and knows the rules of prevention.			[SW1] Assessment of factual knowledge			
			The student is aware of the importance of non-technical conditions and effects of engineering activities. The student is aware of the responsibility for the decisions made.			[SK2] Assessment of progress of work			

Subject contents	1: Basics of the anatomy of the nervous system: - structure of the central and peripheral nervous system, - construction of the motor and sensory system, - the most common disorders in the sensory system.						
	2: Vascular diseases of the brain - stroke / TIA: - epidemiology and risk factors, - main symptoms s of the disease, - treatment methods, - diagnostics - neuroimaging techniques, - stroke prevention.						
	3. Diseases of the spine and spinal cord: - anatomy and function of the spine and spinal cord, - the most common diseases of the spine and spinal cord, - diagnostic and therapeutic methods, - prevention of diseases of the spine.						
	4. Methods of diagnosing nervous system diseases: neurophysiological basics, used used, clinical indications and obtained results						
	A: electrophysiological tests:						
	- electroencephalography,						
	- nerve conduction studies,						
	electromyographic examination,						
	- evoked potentials;						
	B: ultrasound examinations:						
	-ultrasound of intracerebral arteries,						
	- transcranial ultrasound,						
	- ultrasound of peripheral nerves.						
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Basic knowledge of the subjects: Physics, Biology, Electrical Engineering						
Assessment methods	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade				
and criteria	Attendance / participation in classes	80.0%	100.0%				
Recommended reading	Basic literature	Ryszard Podemski. Kompendium Neurologii. Via Medica Gdańsk 2019, wyd.4					
	Supplementary literature	Okrój-Lubecka Julitta, SZUROWSKA EDYTA, KOZERA GRZEGORZ: Metody neuroobrazowania ostrej fazy udaru niedokrwiennego mózgu w praktyce klinicznej Forum Med. Rodz. 2015 : t. 9, nr 6					
		Radosław <i>Kaźmierski</i> (red.) <i>Podręcznik</i> diagnostyki ultrasonograficznej w neurologii, Czelej, Lublin 2011 Grzegorz Kozera, Joanna Wojczal, Walenty Michał Nyka Zastosowanie badań ultrasonograficznych w profilaktyce udaru mózgu. Forum Medycyny Rodzinnej 2008. T 2, nr 6, s					
	eResources addresses Adresy na platformie eNauczanie:						
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	Discuss the structure of the nervous system. Justify the statement that a stroke is a growing threat of the 21st century, indicate its most common symptoms. Indicate the most important principles of the prevention of vascular diseases of the CNS, explain why "it is better to heal than to prevent". What does the "time is the brain" principle mean. Point out the advantages and disadvantages of individual neuroimaging techniques. Present the principles of work and everyday ergonomics, which are beneficial in reducing the risk of developing spine diseases. Define indications and discuss the methods of ultrasound and electrophysiological examinations used in neurology.						
Work placement	Not applicable						