

Department of Medical and Clinical Biochemistry
QUESTIONNAIRE - EVALUATION

Evaluation of the students' satisfaction with the teaching
of **Medical Biochemistry** in academic year **2017/2018**

In accordance with the Law of higher education §70 section h, Department of Medical and Clinical Biochemistry, Faculty of Medicine, UPJŠ in Košice, performs a students' satisfaction with teaching survey regarding the subjects organized by the department and a student's evaluation of the teachers. The evaluation in academic year 2017/2018 was performed in a written anonymous form after the successful completion of the final examination. A total of **102 students** have been surveyed which represents approximately **40 %** of the students who have been registered for this subject in the summer term of the academic year 2017/2018. The department encourages all students to participate in the survey. The results of the survey are regularly discussed with the teachers of the department.

Results of questionnaire

Questions – Lectures

70 % of students consider the quality and clarity of lectures to be good or high. Almost all of asked students value excellent accessibility of speakers and goodwill to answer the questions. However, only 50 % that filled the questionnaire have personally attended lectures 7 or more times.

Questions – Seminars and practical exercises

One third of students deems the quality of seminars and practical exercises to be good and for more than 50 % is this quality very good or high. Almost all of students involved in the evaluation are satisfied with the approach of teachers as well as with the material and technical equipment of practical exercises. 75 % designated tests of preliminary evaluation as difficult or very difficult. 81 students – from 102 that filled mentioned questionnaire – studied for the credit tests more than 3 hours while the preparation for practical exercise took less than 1 hour. Around one third of students evaluate the completing of credits to be very hard whereas for approximately the third of students is the completing adequate.

Questions – subject

More than one half of students think that topics of subject are unique and not repeating on other subjects and for the third of students is the number of repeating topics minimal. For more than 40 % there are not topics to which should be given greater focus. Almost 70 % of student stated increasing interest in the subject during the course.

Questions – academic literature

80% of students are satisfied with the accessibility of study literature and more than 40% consider the recommended study literature to be good or even excellent.

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Questions – exam

A method of exam testing and the method of evaluation of exam is satisfactory, good and objective for almost 90 % of students. 65 % of students prepared less than 3 weeks for final exam, 30 % from this number less than 2 weeks and surprisingly, more than 10 % less than 1 week. On the other hand, almost third of student (27 %) required more than 3 weeks for preparation. For almost 40% (37%) was final classification level from A – C and more than 60 % (34 %) finished the subject with classification D or E.

Questions – total quality of teaching

Overall quality of teaching of Medical Biochemistry is good or excellent according to more than 90 % of asked students (94 %). This valuation is in accordance with students' assessment of teachers where they were classified with levels A or B.