Department of Medical and Clinical Biochemistry **QUESTIONNAIRE - EVALUATION**

Evaluation of the students' satisfaction with the teaching of **Medical Chemistry (DM)** in academic year **2018/2019**

In accordance with the Law of higher education §70 section h, the Department of Medical and Clinical Biochemistry, Faculty of Medicine, UPJŠ in Košice, performs a students' satisfaction with teaching survey regarding the courses organized by the department and a students' evaluation of the teachers. The evaluation in the academic year 2018/2019 was performed in a written anonymous form after the successful completion of the final examinations. Only 9 students have participated, which represents approximately 23 % of the students who have been registered for this course in the winter term of the academic year 2018/2019. 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 the questionnaire

Lectures

More than 50 % of students consider the quality and clarity of lectures to be good or high. Accessibility of speakers and their willingness to answer questions value as excellent 90 % of the asked students. However, only 22 % of those who filled the questionnaire have personally attended lectures 7 or more times.

Seminars and practical exercises

88 % of the students deems the quality of seminars and practical exercises to be good and for around 55 % this quality is very good or high. 80 % of the students involved in the evaluation are satisfied with the approach of teachers as well as with the material and technical equipment of practical exercises. 77 % think that the tests of preliminary evaluation are difficult or very difficult. 7 (from 9 who answered questionnaire) students studied for the credit tests more than 3 hours while preparation for the practical exercise took them less than 1 hour. More than 40 % of the students evaluate achieving credits as very hard, on the other hand, almost 50 % deem it adequately difficult.

Course

Almost all of the students think that the topics of the course are unique and not found in other courses. For 44 % there are no topics which should be given greater focus. The six students (from 9) stated that their interest in the subject increased during the course.

Academic literature

More than 60 % of students are satisfied with the accessibility of study literature and same number consider the recommended literature to be good or even excellent.

Exam

A method of exam testing and exam evaluation is considered satisfactory, good and objective for more than 70 % of students. 55 % of students spent less than 3 weeks on preparing for the final exam, 11 % of them less than 2 weeks and more than 22 % less than 1 week. On the other hand, 44 % required more than 3 weeks for preparation. For 22 % the final classification level was between A and C, and more than 70 % (77 %) finished the subject with classification D/E.

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Quality of teaching

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