

Course title <English>	健康情報学 I Health informatics I	Affiliated department, Job title,Name	Graduate School of Medicine Professor,NAKAYAMA TAKEO Graduate School of Medicine Associate Professor,TAKAHASHI YOSHIMITSU Part-time Lecturer,MIYAZAKI KIKUKO Okayama University Graduate School of Environmental and Life Science, Professor TSUDA TOSHIHIDE Daito Bunka University, Professor, SUGIMORI HIROKI Tokyo Ariake University of Medical and Health Sciences, Professor TSUTANI KIICHIRO Japan MBTI Association, Director SONODA YUKI Center for Cancer Control and Information Services, Director WAKAO FUMIHIKO		
Target year	Professional degree students	Number of credits	2	Course offered year/period	2018/Second semester
Day/period	Fri.2	Class style	Lecture	Language	Japanese and English
[Outline and Purpose of the Course]					
<p>This course comprises systematic lectures on health / medical information, collection, accumulation, transmission, retrieval and appraisal of data and knowledge. Being based on epidemiology and EBM, methods of utilizing information about health and medicine via medical literature, mass media or internet. Health literacy, circulation of information and information ethics including protection of individual information will be also addressed.</p> <p>Moreover, the workshop of the “ MBTI ” , which is very popular among healthcare professionals in the US and western countries, will be held to understand intra and inter personal pattern of information recognition and processing, and communication.</p> <p>Methods of Instruction Lectures, practices, small group discussion.</p>					
[Course Goals]					
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Being based on knowledge of epidemiology and EBM, to acquire skills of utilizing various health / medical information. • To be capable of collecting and appraising health information via mass media or internet and of utilizing them as materials for decision making, problem solving and promoting communication. • To understand intra and inter personal pattern of information recognition and processing, and communication in terms of the “ MBTI ” . 					
[Course Schedule and Contents]					
1 October 5 Information / health literacy: Introduction 1 2 October 12 Information / health literacy: Introduction 2 3 October 19 Quality of life and “ patient reported outcome ” in health 4 October 26 Internet and e-health 5 November 2 Evidence-based practice and clinical practice guidelines					
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6 November 9 Narrative information: the significance and possibility
7 November 30 Dissemination of cancer information: the current state of enlightenment and problem
8 December 7 Causal inference: An advanced information literacy
9 December 14 Communicating Risks and Benefits
10 December 21 Health literacy and risk communication
11 December 28 Health information and communication on complementary and alternative medicine
12 January 11 Public health informatics
13 January 17 “ MBTI ” special workshop (1)
14 January 18 “ MBTI ” special workshop (2)
15 January 25 Individual presentation and wrap-up
Note: This schedule is subject to change.
The class will be scheduled to avoid overlapping “ Health informaticsII ” .

[Class requirement]

None (it is desirable to have basic knowledge of epidemiology or evidence-base medicine).

[Method, Point of view, and Attainment levels of Evaluation]

Short report for each lecture 80%, Oral Presentation 20%

[Textbook]

The material necessary for the lecture will be provided by lecturers.
Purchase of the textbook of MBTI is required (approximately, 3,000Yen).

[Reference books, etc.]

(Reference books)

Baruch Fishhoff, Noel T Brewer, Julie S Downs 『Communicating Risks and Benefits: An Evidence-Based User's Guide』 (US Department of Health and Human Services, Food and Drug Administration)

[Regarding studies out of class (preparation and review)]

Rather than spending more time on your preparation, please put more energy into the review.

(Others (office hour, etc.))

Information is defined as “ those which reduce uncertainty ” . This course provides students with the opportunity to consider how to develop, transmit and utilize information appropriately. Moreover, the special workshop of the “ MBTI ” must benefit students to widen perspectives of personal pattern of information recognition, processing and communication.

This course is open to graduate students with the school of human health science.

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