

Course title <English>	医療社会学・基礎 Medical Sociology	Affiliated department, Job title, Name	Graduate School of Medicine Associate Professor, IWAKUMA MIHO		
Grade allotted	Professional degree students	Number of credits	1	Course offered year/period	2016/Intensive, First semester
Day/period	Intensive	Class style	Lecture	Language	Japanese and English
[Outline and Purpose of the Course]					
<p>Course Description</p> <p>Medical sociology is a “scholarly discipline which investigates global issues concerning sickness, health, and medicine using sociological theories and methods.” (“Sociology of health and medicine” by Yamazaki et al, 2001)</p> <p>This course covers, in addition to sociology, such areas as anthropology, communication studies, history, philosophy, and/or ethics.</p>					
[Course Goals]					
<p>Course Goals and Objectives</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understand general ideas about medical sociology Understand frameworks, theories, and concepts that are relevant to medical sociology Find own research domain in medical sociology Provide perspectives and vocabularies for medicine from humanities and social sciences 					
[Course Schedule and Contents]					
<p>1 6/7 introduction</p> <p>2 6/14 basics of medical sociology</p> <p>3 6/21 gerontology</p> <p>4 6/28 sociology of healing</p> <p>5 7/5 spiritual care and sociology</p> <p>6 7/12 medical sociology and communication</p> <p>7 7/19 course wrap-up</p>					
[Class requirement]					
None					
[Method, Point of view, and Attainment levels of Evaluation]					
<p>Course Grade</p> <p>Participation 50%</p> <p>Term paper 50%</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">title 15% + final version 35%</p>					
[Textbook]					
Not used					
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[Reference books, etc.]

(Reference books)

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

Lectures, group-work, and/or discussion

(Others (office hour, etc.))

Message

class participation by the student is highly valued

Suitable for students who are interested in social science perspectives in medicine and science

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