

**Dear Students,**

We are pleased to deliver you a warm welcome on the occasion of starting your studies for this specifically nice profession. Now you are entering the group of people who have been taking the hard job of mapping disease-causing factors, combating diseases, helping other people, caring, curing, and healing for hundreds of years. The medical challenges of the 21<sup>st</sup> century need a special foundation of information, knowledge, skills, and attitudes to meet the requirements of behavioral and moral tasks during the job of a physician based upon the Medical Oath.



The courses described on this sheet help you develop the appropriate medical attitude.

**In year 4, students should take a final exam which covers the knowledge, skills and attitudes learned during the eight previous semesters.**

**Recommended order of schedule  
for the behavioral science courses  
for medical students:**

**BEHAVIOURAL SCIENCES IN  
MEDICINE I-III.**

- I. Introduction to Medicine**  
(compulsory course,  
2 credits, year 1, fall semester)
- II. Medical Anthropology**  
(compulsory course,  
1 credit, year 2, spring semester)
- III. Ethics in Medicine**  
(compulsory course,  
2 credits, year 4, spring semester)

**MEDICAL PSYCHOLOGY AND  
COMMUNICATION I-III.**

- I. Introduction to Psychology,  
Communication**  
(compulsory course,  
1 credit, year 1, spring semester)
- II. Medical Psychology I.**  
(compulsory course,  
2 credits, year 4, fall semester)
- III. Medical Psychology II.**  
(compulsory course,  
1 credit, year 4, spring semester)

**Examination in Behavioral Science**  
comprehensive exam (criteria  
course, year 4, spring semester)

**Doctor-Patient Communication**  
skill training (criteria course,  
year 4, fall-spring semester)

**Medical Sociology\***  
(compulsory course,  
2 credits, year 2, fall semester)

**Gerontology**  
(compulsory elective course,  
2 credits, year 3, spring semester)

**Diploma work**  
For topics list see:  
[http://web.med.u-  
szeged.hu/magtud/home\\_eng.html](http://web.med.u-szeged.hu/magtud/home_eng.html)

**Our courses are built on each other.  
ATTENDANCE OF THE COURSES IS  
STRONGLY RECOMMENDED! It is  
important to meet the requirements  
of the course and to complete them  
to apply for the final exam.**



\* The course is organized by Dept. of Public Health, but the grade achieved is calculated into the result of Final Examination in Behavioral Sciences. For students starting their studies before the 2020/21 academic year, we account this course as compulsory elective.

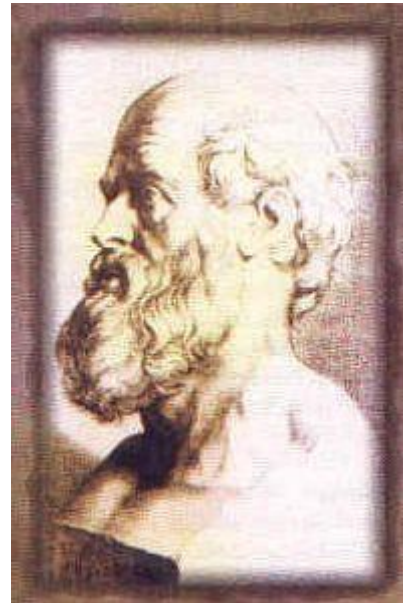
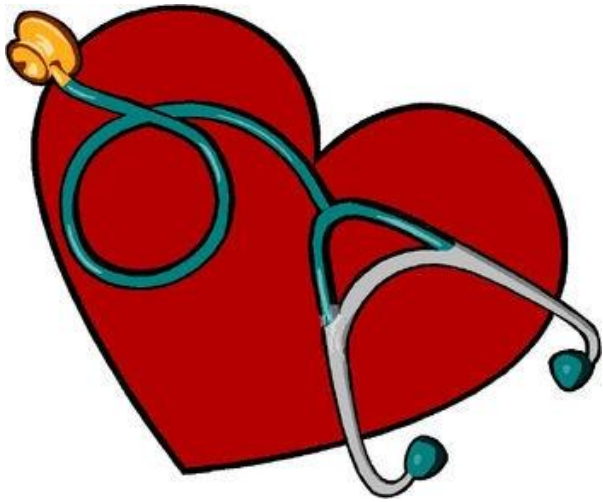
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CONDITIONS FOR ADMISSION TO  
THE EXAMINATION:

- Completing all **compulsory** behavioral science courses

# GUIDELINE TO BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE COURSES for medical students



YEAR 2020/2021



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