

**Study Requirements of Public Health Course  
3<sup>rd</sup> year dental students**

1. Public health is taught by lectures and practicals. The exam will include information given at the lectures and practicals.
2. The participation at lectures is compulsory (Faculty of Dentistry, Faculty Code of Study Regulations, 8.1.2). The number of absences must not exceed 25% of the total number of lectures (2 times per semester).
3. For the first six lectures, students are required to complete a 10-question test per lecture on Coospace by 21 November. Completing the tests will help to prepare for the exam. The same test can be fulfilled more than once (maximum 3 times), but at least once 60% performance must have to be per each test, which is a condition of signing the semester.
4. The participation at practices is compulsory. The presence of students will be checked by attendance lists. More than 10 minutes late arrival to the practice means an absence. In case of absence, students must justify themselves at the practice leader on the next seminar. The number of absences must not exceed 25% of the total number of practices (2 times per semester).
5. Students are required to work individually on practices. Students are expected **to be prepared** for the following practical from the textbook and from own lecture notes. Schedule of themes is available on the web site of the Department and on the Coospace. Occasionally, written **"Tasks"** can be given to the students via Coospace, which should be fulfilled until the given deadline. Practice leaders will check the answers and can ask for corrections.
6. **The material that must be known for the examination is the adequate chapters of the textbook AND the "Educational materials" uploaded on the Coospace.** The end-semester colloquium (first exam, first and second repeating exam, improving a successful exam) will be a 30-question online, written Coospace test. The written exam will consist of 30 questions (different types of questions, e.g. single choice, multiple choice, pairing, grouping etc., which were also included in the mid-semester practicing tests). Each correctly solved question is 1 point (partial points cannot be obtained), a maximum of 30 points in total. The test must be completed within 30 minutes of individual start, the questions will be seen individually by the students, and once answered, it is not possible to return to the previous question. Upon completion of the test exam, students will immediately see the result. The exam mark is calculated according to the following:  
  
27.0–30.0 points: excellent (5)  
24.0–26.0 points: good (4)  
21.0–23.0 points: accepted (3)  
18.0–20.0 points: passed (2)  
0.0–17.0 points: failed (1)
7. Educational affairs can be managed by email. Telephone administration is NOT possible. The educational advisor is Dr. Zsuzsanna Máté PhD; email: [mate.zsuzsanna@med.u-szeged.hu](mailto:mate.zsuzsanna@med.u-szeged.hu). **Emails should contain the full name of the student and faculty, if any of these data is missing then no reply will be.**

**Conditions of signing the semester:**

- The number of absences must not exceed 25% of the total number of lectures (2 absences).
- The number of absences must not exceed 25% of the total number of practices (2 absences).
- Completion of at least 60% of each of the 6 control tests for the lectures (by 21 November).

**Knowledge required:**

- Paulik E (ed.): Public Health and Preventive Medicine. Medicina Könyvkiadó Zrt., 2013. (adequate chapters)
- “Educational materials” available from Coospace (lecture/practice slides, other documents)
- All material taught at lectures and practicals

**The website of the Department of Public Health:** <http://web.med.u-szeged.hu/puhe>

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