INGLESE A corso integrato di Lingua inglese

Codice Disciplina : M0476	Settore : L-LIN/12	N° CFU: 3
Codice Corso integrato : M0008		
Docente:	Ore: 38	Corso di Laurea :
Irving-Bell Colin		Medicina e Chirurgia
		Anno : I
		Semestre : I

Obiettivo del modulo

The course is divided into 2 semesters. In the first, students who have not already reached B1 level and who have not passed the Faculty entry test will be taught general English with an large emphasis on reading comprehension, listening and speaking . Those students wanting to take external exams at B1 and B2 levels will be encouraged to do so. The second semester is compulsory for all first year students. Emphasis will be medical/scientific terminology essential for all future doctors. Students will be presented with a variety of current issues in medicine today, the various different health systems in some other countries and some of the problems that arise from them. All students should finish the course with at least a B2 level of English in the relevant skills.

Conoscenze ed abilità attese

Students should come to the University with at least a B1 level of English, though preferably B2. Those students who have never studied English will be at a distinct disadvantage and will need to make arrangements during the year to improve their English.

Programma del corso

The first semester will concentrate on English language, using a variety of English language textbooks. In the second semester, students will use two textbooks- Test Your Professional English by Alison Pohl (Penguin) and English On Duty by Linda Massari & Mary Jo Teriaca (Scienza Medica). There will be a number of lectures and discussions on medical topics and occasional guest speakers.

Esercitazioni

The course is teacher centred with exercises and discussions. Videos and cassettes will be used appropriately.

Attività a scelta dello studente

Lectures on NHS, current medical issues and guest speakers in English.

Supporti alla didattica in uso alla docenza

Not applicable

Strumenti didattici

Books (see above), audio-video, group exercises.

Materiali di consumo previsti

Photocopies, video cassettes and estensive use of the course books.

Eventuale bibliografia

See above

Verifica dell'apprendimento

The exam consists of article about a current medical problem in which there will be questions of comprehension, and/or an essay in which the student will be invited to outline and argue the salient points of view. The second part will be detailed questions about medical terminology giving the candidate the chance to show that he/she has learned the necessary lexis. The oral exam will only be available to those who have passed the written exam and will consist of general questions about the course and medicine together with questions asked by an external examiner which could include the reading of a passage in Italian and then translating it.