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DISCIPLINE WORK PROGRAM

Б1.О.51 Gerontology and geriatrics

(name of discipline)

Specialty

**31.05.01 General Medicine
for international students (in English)**

(code, name)

Degree

Specialist's degree

Profile

02 "Healthcare" (in the field of
providing primary health care to the
population in medical organizations:
polyclinics, outpatient clinics,
inpatient/outpatient facilities of the
municipal health care system)

Mode of study

Full-time

Period of mastering the BEP

6 years

(nominal length of study)

Department

of Therapy (Internal Medicine) with
Diagnostic Radiology Course

Program of the discipline **B1.O.51 Gerontology and geriatrics** is based on:

1) Federal State Educational Standard of Higher Education for the specialty approved by the Order No. 988 of Ministry of Science and Higher Education of the Russian Federation dated August 12, 2020.

2) Curriculum for the 31.05.01 General Medicine for international students (in English), profile 02 "Healthcare" (in the field of providing primary health care to the population in medical organizations: polyclinics, outpatient clinics, inpatient/outpatient facilities of the municipal health care system), approved by the Academic Council of FSBEI HE PSMU of the Ministry of Health of Russia, Report No. 8/24-25 dated March 31, 2025.

Work program for the discipline was developed by the writing team of the Department of Therapy (Internal Medicine) with Diagnostic Radiology Course of the FSBEI HE PSMU of the Ministry of Health of Russia, under the guidance of the head of the Department, Doctor of Medical Sciences, Kabalyk M.A.

Developed by:

Head of the Department,
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(position held)

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Kabalyk M.A.

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1. GENERAL PROVISIONS

1.1. Purpose and Objectives of Mastering B1.O.51 Gerontology and geriatrics

The purpose of mastering the discipline is to achieving competencies necessary to perform work functions of a doctor, acquire knowledge of development patterns of the most common internal diseases and characteristics of their clinical manifestation, and develop a mindset of a doctor required to successfully diagnose, treat, and prevent age-associated pathology.

Objectives of mastering the discipline:

1. Develop skills of clinical patient examination in elderly and senile patients in order to make a diagnosis;
2. Develop skills of making a clinical diagnosis and justifying it;
3. Develop skills of prescribing treatment and monitoring its efficacy and safety;
4. Mastering the algorithm of diagnosing and treatment tactics in patients with geriatric syndromes and diseases or conditions.

2. DISCIPLINE AS PART OF THE BASIC EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

Discipline **B1.O.51 Gerontology and geriatrics** is included in the Mandatory part of the Unit 1 of the basic educational program for the specialty 31.05.01 General Medicine for international students (in English), profile 02 "Healthcare" (in the field of providing primary health care to the population in medical organizations: polyclinics, outpatient clinics, inpatient/outpatient facilities of the municipal health care system), and is part of the 12th semester's curriculum

3. PLANNED LEARNING OUTCOMES OF THE DISCIPLINE

3.1. Mastering the discipline **B1.O.51 Gerontology and geriatrics** is aimed at the development of students' competencies. The discipline facilitates the development of students' competencies corresponding to the types of professional activity.

Name of competency category (group)	Code and Name of competency of the graduate	Competency Indicators
Universal Competencies		
Systemic and critical thinking	UC-1. Is able to analyze of problems critically using system approach and devise a plan of action	CI.UC-1 ₁ - looks for and investigates problem situations that arise during professional activity CI.UC-1 ₂ - selects sources of information for critical analysis of problem situations that arise during professional activity CI.UC-1 ₃ - develops and substantively argues a plan of action for solving problem situations using systemic and interdisciplinary approaches
General Professional Competencies		
Etiology and pathogenesis	GPC-5. Is able to assess morphofunctional status, physiological states, and pathological processes in the human body when working to achieve objectives of professional activity	CI.GPC-5 ₁ - assesses the morphofunctional state based on the acquired knowledge CI.GPC-5 ₂ - distinguishes between pathological and physiological processes, identifies etiology of changes CI.GPC-5 ₃ - provides diagnostic assessment of the identified changes

3.2. Types of professional activity corresponding to competencies developed over the course of mastering **B1.O.51 Gerontology and geriatrics**:

Types of professional activity objectives

1. *Medical*

Kinds of professional activity objectives

1. *Diagnostics*

3.3. Planned learning outcomes of mastering the discipline are represented by knowledge, skills, abilities and/or experience, characterize the stages of developing competencies and ensure achievement of the planned outcomes of mastering the basic educational program. Learning outcomes of a discipline are correlated with competency indicators.

4. SCOPE AND CONTENT OF THE DISCIPLINE

4.1. Scope of the Discipline and Types of Academic Work

Type of Academic Work	Total Hours	Semesters
		12
		hours
1	2	3
Classroom hours (total), including:	72	72
Lectures (L)	20	20
Practical classes (C)	52	52
Independent work of the student (IW), including:	36	36
<i>Electronic educational resource (EER)</i>	4	4
<i>Preparing for classes (CP)</i>	12	12
<i>Preparing for continuous assessment (CAP)</i>	12	12
<i>Preparation for interim assessment (IAP)</i>	8	8
Interim assessment		
Type of interim assessment	pass/fail test (T)	T
	exam (E)	
TOTAL: TOTAL credit value	hrs.	108
	credits	3

4.2. Contents of the Discipline

4.2.1. Topics of Discipline Lectures and Academic Hours per Semester

No.	Lecture Topic	Hours
1	2	3
Semester No. 12		
1.	Socio-demographic and biomedical aspects of aging. Geriatric care procedures	2
2.	Concept of geriatric syndrome. Frailty syndrome. Comprehensive geriatric assessment	2
3.	Malnutrition and sarcopenia in elderly and senile patients	2
4.	Falls in elderly and senile patients. Measures aimed at preventing falls and fractures	2
5.	Diagnosis and treatment of osteoporosis	2
6.	Cognitive disorders in elderly and senile patients. Alzheimer's disease	2
7.	Cognitive disorders in elderly and senile patients. Vascular cognitive impairment	2
8.	Urinary incontinence in elderly and senile patients	2
9.	Chronic pain in elderly and senile patients	2
10.	Locomotive syndrome and joint diseases in the elderly	2
	Hours per semester total	20

4.2.2. Topics of Discipline Practical Classes and Academic Hours per Semester

No.	Practical Class Topic	Hours
1	2	3
Semester No. 12		
1	Organization of geriatric medical care. Fundamentals of gerontology	8
2	Concept of geriatric syndrome. Frailty syndrome. Comprehensive geriatric assessment	8
3	Falls in elderly and senile patients. Measures aimed at preventing falls and fractures. Diagnosis and treatment of osteoporosis	8
4	Cognitive disorders in elderly and senile patients	8
5	Chronic pain in elderly and senile patients. Diagnosis and treatment of osteoarthritis	6
6	Urinary incontinence in elderly and senile patients	8
7	Malnutrition and sarcopenia in elderly and senile patients	6
Hours per semester total		52

4.2.3. Independent Work of the Student

No.	Name of the Discipline Section	Type of IW	Total Hours
1	3	4	5
Semester No. 12			
1	Organization of geriatric medical care. Fundamentals of gerontology	Preparing for practical classes. Preparing for continuous assessment. Preparing for interim assessment	8
2	Concept of geriatric syndrome. Frailty syndrome. Comprehensive geriatric assessment	Preparing for practical classes. Preparing for continuous assessment. Preparing for interim assessment	8
3	Falls in elderly and senile patients. Measures aimed at preventing falls and fractures. Diagnosis and treatment of osteoporosis	Preparing for practical classes. Preparing for continuous assessment. Preparing for interim assessment	8
4	Cognitive disorders in elderly and senile patients	Preparing for practical classes. Preparing for continuous assessment. Preparing for interim assessment	8
5	Main geriatric syndromes: chronic pain, urinary incontinence, malnutrition, and sarcopenia	Preparing for practical classes. Preparing for continuous assessment. Preparing for interim assessment	4
Hours per semester total			36

5. REQUIREMENTS FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF DISCIPLINE

5.1. Discipline Requirements for Educational Materials and Provided Information

Essential reading

No.	Name/Title, Resource Type	Author(s)/Editor	Publisher Imprint, Web Address	Number of Copies (accesses) in the Library and Information Center
1	2	3	4	5
1	Geriatrics: national	ed. O. N.	Moscow: GEOTAR-Media,	Unlimited

	guidelines. 2nd ed., revised. and additional [Electronic resource]	Tkacheva, E. V. Frolova, N. N. Yakhno	2023. - 784 p. - URL: http://www.studentlibrary.ru	access
2	Geriatrics. Brief guide [Electronic resource]	O. N. Tkacheva, Yu. V. Kotovskaya, S. V. Nedogoda [and others]	Moscow: GEOTAR-Media, 2022. Access mode: http://client.studmedlib.ru/book/ISBN9785970465486.html	Unlimited access

Supplementary reading

No.	Name/Title, Resource Type	Author(s)/Editor	Publisher Imprint, Web Address	Number of Copies (accesses) in the Library and Information Center
1	2	3	4	5
1	Geriatrics. (Electronic resource)	Tkacheva, O. N. Geriatrics / edited by Tkacheva O. N., Frolova E. V., Yakhno N. N.	M.: GEOTAR-Media, 2019. URL: http://www.studentlibrary.ru	Unlimited access
2	Geriatrics: A Textbook for Students Studying in the Specialty 31.05.01. General Medicine (Electronic resource)	N. Yu. Natal'skaya, N. N. Nikulina, E. V. Lygina; edited by Prof. S. S. Yakushin	Ryazan: OOP UITTiOP, 2018. URL: http://www.studentlibrary.ru	Unlimited access

Online resources

1. Electronic library system "Student Consultant" <http://studmedlib.ru/>
2. Electronic library system "University Library Online" <http://www.biblioclub.ru/>
3. Electronic library system "Urait" <https://urait.ru/>
4. Electronic library system "BookUp" <https://www.books-up.ru/>
5. Resources owned by the Library and Information Center of FSBEI HE PSMU of the Ministry of Health of Russia <https://tgmru.ru/university/bibliotechno-informacionnyj-centr/resursy-bic/sobstvennye/>

Online resources and respective user guides are available on the Library and Information Center website [Library and Information Center — PSMU \(tgmru.ru\)](http://www.tgmru.ru)



5.2. Discipline Requirements for Facilities and Resources

Information on the facility and resource availability and requirements of the discipline is available on the [Facility and resource availability and requirements. FSBEI HE PSMU of the Ministry of Health of Russia \(tgmru.ru\)](http://www.tgmru.ru) page of the official website of the university.



5.3. List of Information Technologies, Information and Reference Systems, Licensed and Free Software (Including Domestically-developed Software):

1. PolycomTelepresence M100 Desktop Conferencing Application (Videoconference system)
2. SunRav Software tTester
3. 7-PDF Split & Merge
4. ABBYYFineReader
5. Kaspersky Endpoint Security
6. INDIGO online testing system
7. Microsoft Windows 7
8. Microsoft Office Pro Plus 2013
9. 1C:University
10. GARANT system
11. MOODLE (Modular Object-Oriented Dynamic Learning Environment)

6. ASPECTS OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DISCIPLINE FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES AND SPECIAL NEEDS

6.1. Availability of Accessible Environment

For students with disabilities and special needs, if a written application is submitted, lectures and practical classes are carried out taking into account health limitations, individual capabilities and medical status (hereinafter referred to as individual characteristics) of the student. Compliance with the following general requirements is ensured: teaching aids for collective and individual use are provided, required technical assistance is provided by an assistant; buildings and premises where lectures and practical classes are taking place meet accessibility requirements, other arrangements lack of which makes it impossible or difficult to master the discipline are made.

6.2. Ensuring Compliance with General Requirements

When lectures and practical classes are carried out at the written application of the student, the following general requirements are met: lectures and practical classes for students with disabilities and special needs take place at the same location as for students who do not have disabilities, if this does not cause difficulties for students; an assistant (assistants), who provide(s) students with the necessary technical assistance taking into account individual characteristics of the student, is (are) provided; necessary teaching aids are provided, taking into account individual characteristics of the student.

6.3. Availability of the Internal Policies and Procedures of FSBEI HE PSMU of the Ministry of Health of Russia to Students with Disabilities in a Format Accessible to Them.

All internal policies and procedures of FSBEI HE PSMU of the Ministry of Health of Russia concerning the discipline are made available to students with disabilities in a format accessible to them.

6.4. Increase in the Time Limit of Interim Assessment for Students with Disabilities and Special Needs in Relation to the Established duration

Format of the interim assessment of academic performance within the scope of the discipline conducted for students with disabilities and special needs is selected taking into account individual characteristics of the students (orally, by writing on paper, by typing on a computer, as a test, etc.). The duration of the interim assessment in relation to the established duration is increased at the

written application of the student with disabilities. Time limit for the student's preparation for the test is increased by at least 0.5 hours.

7. STAFFING REQUIREMENTS OF THE DISCIPLINE

Academic teaching personnel that ensure the implementation of the discipline education process meet the requirements of the Federal State Educational Standard of Higher Education for the 31.05.01 General Medicine for international students (in English) specialty; list of the aforementioned personnel is available on the website of the educational organization.



8. TUTORIAL WORK

Type of tutorial work	Forms and approaches to tutorial work	Assessment criteria
Assistance in personal growth	Overt Talks and problem-centric debates aimed at promotion of healthy lifestyle. Participation in interdepartmental conferences aimed at formation of healthy lifestyle and development of skills necessary to preserve and improve health.	Portfolio
	Covert – creating atmosphere and infrastructure. Developing a culture of healthy lifestyle, the ability to preserve and improve health. Creating atmosphere of kindness and respect with a high level of communication during implementation of the discipline.	
Civic position and values	Overt Conducting events that facilitate development of civil culture (roundtable discussions, discussions/debates, and talks). Short discussions on current significant events in case the latter occur.	Portfolio
	Covert Focusing on civic values-oriented position and legal awareness. Cultivating mindful social position during professional activity.	
Social values	Overt Highlighting aspects of organization of healthy lifestyle based on health-preserving technologies. Highlighting ecology-related questions, environmental issues as a factor affecting population health and select population risks.	Portfolio
	Covert Identification in social structure during period of education and in professional activity.	