

COMPLEMENT TO THE CURRICULAR UNIT

Course unit title (curricular unit's official name in English)

Forensic Medicine

Class

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Responsible academic staff member (teacher's full name)

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Syllabus (1000 characters available)

Objectives of the course. Introduction to Forensic Medicine and Forensic Sciences

Areas of legal intervention

Forensic expertise

Medico-legal organization

Intervention of the expert.

Objectives of the forensic autopsy

Technical forensic autopsy

Death process

Lesions caused by physical, chemical and biological factors

Infanticide

Sudden death

Determination of the species, breed, sex and age

Study of major disasters

Study of road accidents

Legislation and medico-legal documents

Harvesting and transplantation of organs and tissues of human origin

Dissecting cadavers and extracting parts, tissues or organs for teaching and scientific research.

Evaluation of body damage in Criminal Law

Assessment of body damage in Civil Law

Evaluation of corporal damage in Labor Law

Introduction to Forensic Genetics and Biology

Introduction to Forensic Toxicology

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