



MEDICAL SPANISH

Factsheet 2018

DESCRIPTION

Medical Spanish is a combination course with our standard 20-hour group course and 4 specialized individual lessons during the week. This course is directed to those in the medical field (doctors, nurses, etc.) who wish to learn specific vocabulary and communication skills for their place of work. Topics covered include medical vocabulary, the medical exam, medical research and professional situations.

QUICKFACTS

- 20 regular group lessons + 4 ind. medical Spanish lessons per week
- Begin every Monday
- For high beginners to advanced students
- Minimum of 1 week, maximum of 30 weeks
- Average of 6 students in class, maximum of 12
- Schedule - mornings and afternoons
- 1 group lesson is 50 minutes, 1 ind. lesson is 55 minutes

MODULAR LESSONS

In order to maximize skill sets, the course has been divided into academic modules related to different aspects of the medical profession. Students will learn and review the language skills necessary for interacting with patients as well as professionals in Spanish-speaking settings. Additionally, they will cover general medical vocabulary as well as specific vocabulary to their field.

SAMPLE MODULES

Module 1: The Medical Consultation in Spanish

- How to conduct an examination
- How to express conclusions

Module 2: Spanish Medical Vocabulary

- Review medical vocabulary for general medicine (the body, diseases, etc.)
- Review medical vocabulary for specific areas (dentistry, pharmaceuticals, etc.)

Module 3: Medicine and Culture

- How to respectfully address cultural beliefs and traditions
- Review of alternative medical techniques in the Spanish-speaking world

Module 4: The Medical Conference

- How to present research to groups
- How to converse with other professionals in social situations

SAMPLE TIMETABLE

Here is a sample timetable for the Medical Spanish course:

Schedule	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Weekend
Morning	Group Spanish Class	Group Spanish Class	Group Spanish Class	Group Spanish Class	Group Spanish Class	Free
Afternoon	Free Afternoon	Medical Spanish Private Lesson	Free Afternoon	Medical Spanish Private Lesson	Free Afternoon	