STUDENTS' OF THE MIDWIFERY STUDY PROGRAMME SURVEY RESULTS ON THE QUALITY OF CONTENT AND TEACHING OF STUDY COURSES

SPRING SEMESTER OF 2023-2024



TIME: Study courses taken in the spring semester of 2023 – 2024 academic year could be evaluated after receiving the final evaluation of the course until June 30th, 2024.

AIM: to determine students' opinion on the quality of the content and teaching of study courses.

TARGET GROUP: all students of the Midwifery study programme who completed the studies of course units and were evaluated in the spring semester of 2023 – 2024.

OBJECT OF THE RESEARCH: all course units taught in the spring semester of 2023 – 2024 which had not been evaluated yet.

RESEARCH METHOD: questionnaire survey (quantitative and qualitative empirical data were collected). The survey was carried out in the virtual environment – Study Management System. Data were processed using "Microsoft Excel" and SPSS software. Participation in the survey was voluntary, confidential and anonymous. Students evaluated the quality of the course content and teaching according to the statements formulated on a five-point scale (1 – strongly disagree, 5 – strongly agree). Students of the Midwifery study programme assessed the quality of the course content according to 6 criteria and the quality of teaching according to 8 criteria, in total 14 criteria.

RESULTS: 63 questionnaires were received in the Study Management System. Summarizing the obtained results, it can be said that the quality of the content of Midwifery study programme subjects according to all criteria is rated very high (averages are more than 4 points out of 5). Most respondents agree with statements that studies helped to obtain knowledge and skills (4,48) and the aims of the subject were clearly defined and theory was based on practical examples (4,46). The least respondents agree with the statement that the evaluation criteria are clear and understandable (4,33) (see Figure 1).

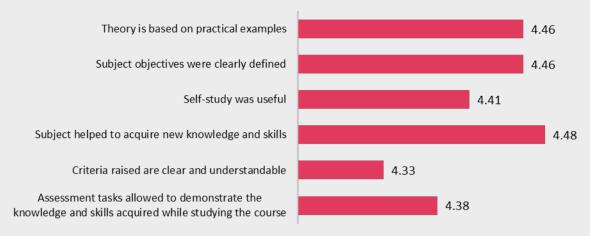


Figure 1. Evaluation of the content quality of the course units taught in the Midwifery study programme according to the criteria (averages).

Note: "Likert" scale average is presented.
The higher the average, the more respondents agree with the statements

According to all criteria the teaching quality of subjects of the Midwifery study programme is rated very high (averages are more than 4 points out of 5) (see Figure 2). Respondents mostly agree with the statements that the lecturer worked according to the timetable (4,56), all teaching/learning materials were available in Moodle platform (4,56). The least respondents agree with the statement that lecturers applied various teaching methods activating students (4,31).



Figure 2. Evaluation of the teaching quality of subjects taught in the Midwifery study programme according to the criteria (averages).

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