

## **Intermediate Spanish for Health Professions**

Course code: SSP 241

Total contact hours: 60 hours

Pre-requisite: SSP 141

### **Course Overview**

This is a course of Spanish for specific purposes, designed for health personnel, who have taken a minimum of 100 hours of Spanish as a second language, in order to deepen knowledge of medical Spanish and improve communicative competence in specific situations with Spanish-speaking patients.

This course answers the question: *How to get the student to make a medical consultation to a simulated Spanish-speaking patient to complete the medical file?*

- The alphabet
- Imperative for “usted” and “ustedes”
- Interrogative pronouns
- Present indicative: regular and irregular verbs.
- Verbal periphrasis with infinitive
- Daily routine verbs.
- Simple past tense
- Imperfect past (description of symptoms)
- present perfect (family background)
- Present subjunctive
- Imperfect subjunctive