

## 26739 - Unusual Children's Illnesses

### Información del Plan Docente

Academic Year	2016/17
Academic center	104 - Facultad de Medicina
Degree	304 - Degree in Medicine
ECTS	4.0
Course	5
Period	First semester
Subject Type	Optional
Module	---

### 1. Basic info

#### 1.1. Recommendations to take this course

#### 1.2. Activities and key dates for the course

### 2. Initiation

#### 2.1. Learning outcomes that define the subject

#### 2.2. Introduction

### 3. Context and competences

#### 3.1. Goals

#### 3.2. Context and meaning of the subject in the degree

#### 3.3. Competences

#### 3.4. Importance of learning outcomes

### 4. Evaluation

### 5. Activities and resources

#### 5.1. General methodological presentation

The learning process that is designed for this subject is based on the following:

1. Lectures (theoretical) 1 hour (13 classes = 13 hours)
2. Practical Seminars (actual clinical cases) 1 hour; (11 classes = 11 hours)
3. Performing a written test (multiple choice, with 5 options and only one correct answer, no negatives for incorrect answers)
4. Personal work on some of the rare diseases included in the Syllabus, or any other (general) aspects of Rare Diseases.

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### 5.2.Learning activities

### 5.3.Program

The program that the student is offered to achieve the expected results includes the following activities (Theoretical and practical -clinical case- aspects):

- Lesson 1. Introduction and Overview of Rare Diseases
- Lesson 2. Turner Syndrome
- Lesson 3. Microdeletion Syndromes
- Lesson 4. Fragile X Syndrome
- Lesson 5. Noonan syndrome: Rasopathies
- Lesson 6. Bone dysplasias: Achondroplasia
- Lesson 7. Inborn Errors of Metabolism (IEM)
- Lesson 8. Spinal Muscular Atrophy type 1 (Werdnig- Hoffmann Disease)
- Lesson 9. Prader-Willi Syndrome
- Lesson 10. Cornelia de Lange Syndrome
- Lesson 11. Myotonic Dystrophy (Steinert's Disease)
- Lesson 12. Mitochondrial Diseases

### 5.4.Planning and scheduling

**Scheduled lectures and presentation of works:**

The lectures (theoretical + clinical case) will be held from 17:00 to 19:00h on the laborable Mondays during the 9th semester of the Grade. Should be festive monday, an alternative weekday will be sought.

**Scheduled (tentative) dates for evaluations:**

- February 1, 2017
- September 6, 2017

### 5.5.Bibliography and recommended resources

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