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| **Course title** | **Code** | **Semester** | **Type of course** | **Course volume (Contact hours)** | **ECTS** |
| **Introduction to Public Health** | **MED****3020** | **V** | **Mandatory** | **20** | **2** |
| **Faculty, the educational program and level of education** | * School of Medicine and Health Sciences
* Higher Medical Educational Program “Medicine”
* One cycle 6-year
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| **Learning Course Content** |
| * Introduction to public health, health policy and economics. Historic overview of public health
* Organization of public health systems
* Measuring and evaluating health of population as a method of assessing health systems
* Introduction to primary healthcare
* Health system of Georgia
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| **Textbooks and Materials** |
| * HIGH-YIELD: BIOSTATISTICS, EPIDEMIOLOGY, & PUBLIC HEALTH-ANTHONY N. GLASER; WOLTER KLUWER; 4TH.ED. 2014;
* The New Public Health, Academic Press- Ted Tulchinsky; Elena A. Varavikova; Elsevier; 2nd.ed. 2000;
* Primary Health Care: Theory and Practice-Trisha Greenhalgh; Balckwell Publishing, 2007; e-book;
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