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ISM4. Medical Ethics, Patient Safety, Rights & Risk Management — 5 ECTS

Module description & aims

Covers ethical, legal and safety imperatives in eHealth, telehealth and digital transformation. Explores incident reporting systems, risk management and the role of EHRs in preventing medical and medication errors.

Indicative content

- Ethics-legal issues in digitized health systems; privacy, confidentiality, integrity
- Medical incidents and errors; reporting systems and safety culture
- Patient rights and advocacy; eHealth-enabled safety interventions
- Risk management frameworks and governance

Expected learning outcomes

Upon completion, participants can:

- Identify and report incidents using effective systems
- Apply risk management principles in eHealth contexts
- Explain key legal/ethical domains in medical data usage
- Anticipate adverse consequences of eHealth and design mitigations

Teaching & assessment

Policy/ethics case brief; safety incident mapping task

Short quiz; participation

Interdisciplinary team training, etc