

Centro Linguistico d'Ateneo
Syllabus
a.a. 2024-2025

Corso: B2/C1 English for Medicine Codice: 11804	Insegnante: Sophia Salaman
Livello: B2/C1	Tipologia corso: Inglese specialistico di area medica
<p>Course contents:</p> <p>All four skills (speaking, listening, reading & writing) are covered to some extent during the course, although there is not much time for writing. Great importance is given to communicative fluency (speaking and listening), pronunciation and vocabulary enhancement.</p> <p>Topics covered may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• doctor-patient communication; explaining and reassuring; making polite requests;• communicating with colleagues & working in a team;• lexis and register (scientific vs. lay/common, formal vs. neutral vs. informal vs. vulgar)• presenting complaints; symptoms and signs; examining patients;• instructions and procedures; medical investigations;• reporting, summarising and presenting findings and information gathered;• dealing with medication;• medical specialties and training. <p>The course is highly interactive and includes some work in pairs and groups. The course features a mixture of synchronous and asynchronous activities, including exercises and assignments for homework.</p>	
Libro di testo: Materials are provided by the teacher.	
<p>Bibliografia supplementare: These books are optional supplementary texts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Professional English in Use Medicine</i>, Eric Glendenning & Ron Howard, Cambridge University Press, 2007• <i>Medical and Scientific English</i>, Jacopo D'Andria Ursileo & Kate Gralton, Pearson, 2020	
<p>Prerequisiti: Aver il livello B2 consolidato in buona parte delle abilità descritte nel QCER (http://www.cla.unifi.it/upload/sub/qce.pdf). Nel dubbio usufruire del servizio di orientamento in sede.</p>	