

Türkiye's Brain Base

AUTOPSY ASSISTANTSHIP PROGRAM

Instructor Language: Turkish English Preparatory Year: Optional Score Type: TYT



There is a need for technical staff who can systematically follow the correct steps in autopsy studies. Autopsy Assistant is a technical staff member who writes forensic reports and works in the forensic medicine institution and pathology laboratories, where autopsy, post mortem (post-mortem) samples are taken and sent to forensic cases sent to forensic medicine by the prosecutor's office, courts and police stations.

Authorities and Responsibilities

Authorities and responsibilities of an Autopsy Assistant are as follows preparing the reports of forensic cases, preparing the documents and drafting the report and presenting them to the relevant unit chiefs, preparing the patients sent to the forensic medicine to be examined by the prosecutor's office, courts and police stations and participating in the examination process, accepting the corpse to the forensic medicine morgue, checking the conformity of the documents during admission, checking the identity characteristics of the brought body, height, weight, hair and eye color, old scars, etc. to record the characteristics and the story of death, to label the corpse, to take photographs and direct radiographs of the corpse, to transport the corpse, to collect evidence, clothes and samples to be taken before the autopsy for the laboratory, to prepare them for laboratory research, to assist the forensic doctor in the corpse examination process, to be taken during the autopsy preparing the necessary materials for the samples, recording the date and time of the autopsy, helping to open and close the corpse during the

autopsy, removing the organs, taking blood, tissue and body fluid samples, helping to lift and turn the corpse, cleaning and sterilizing the materials used during the procedure, to do the work necessary to hide the corpses, to keep a regular diary, to deliver the corpses that need to be delivered, to clean the morgue and autopsy room, to act as an expert and to participate in crime scene investigations.

Employment Opportunities

Those who graduate from Üsküdar University Vocational School of Health Services Autopsy Assistant program receive an associate degree diploma and receive the title of "Forensic Medicine Technician". Graduates of this program can work in hospitals in the public and private sectors as healthcare personnel. Since there is a great need for qualified personnel in this field in our country, it is possible for graduates to find a job immediately. After graduation, our students can work in Forensic Medicine Departments, Forensic Medicine Institutes, in the autopsy units of the Forensic Medicine Institute and hospitals together with the Forensic Medicine Specialist, in the Ministry of Justice Forensic Medicine Institute Branch Directorates and in the emergency services of private and public health institutions of the Ministry of Health. Those who successfully complete the Autopsy Technician associate degree program can transfer vertically to the appropriate undergraduate programs if they are successful in the Vertical Transfer Exam by the ÖSYM.

CURRICULUM

FIRST YEAR												
FALL SEMESTER (First Semester)					SPRING SEMESTER (Second Semester)							
Code	Course Title	T	A	C	ECTS	Code	Course Title	T	A	C	ECTS	
OTY107	FORENSIC MEDICINE I (CRIME SCENE INVESTIGATION)*	2	2	3	5	OTY104	FORENSIC MEDICINE II**	2	8	6	8	
ANA101	ANATOMY (DEC)	2	0	2	2	ATA102	PRINCIPLES OF ATATÜRK AND HISTORY OF REVOLUTIONS II	2	0	2	3	
ATA101	PRINCIPLES OF ATATÜRK AND HISTORY OF REVOLUTIONS I	2	0	2	3	INGU102	ENGLISH II	3	0	3	3	
OTY103	USE OF COMPUTER* (DEC)	1	2	2	3	OTY102	AUTOPSY I*	2	4	4	6	
FZY101	PHYSIOLOGY (DEC)	2	0	2	2	AML102	STERILIZATION PRINCIPLES (DEC)	2	0	2	3	
INGU101	ENGLISH I	3	0	3	3	OTY106	MEDICAL DOCUMENTATION II	2	0	2	3	
RPSI209	POSITIVE PSYCHOLOGY AND COMMUNICATION SKILLS (DEC)	2	0	2	3	MYO003	MEDICAL TERMINOLOGY (DEC)	2	0	2	2	
OTY105	MEDICAL DOCUMENTATION I	2	0	2	3	TURK102	TURKISH LANGUAGE II	2	0	2	3	
TURK101	TURKISH LANGUAGE I	2	0	2	3	RKUL102	UNIVERSITY CULTURE II* (UEC)	0	2	1	1	
RKUL101	UNIVERSITY CULTURE I* (UEC)	0	2	1	1							
TOTAL		18	6	21	28	TOTAL		17	14	24	32	

SECOND YEAR												
FALL SEMESTER (Third Semester)					SPRING SEMESTER (Fourth Semester)							
Code	Course Title	T	A	C	ECTS	Code	Course Title	T	A	C	ECTS	
OTY209	FORENSIC MEDICINE III**	2	4	4	6	ILK101	FIRST AID (DEC)	2	0	2	3	
OTY211	PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND BODY BUILDING* (DEC)	0	2	1	3	OTY220	CRIMINAL LABORATORY MANAGEMENT AND QUALITY ASSURANCE	2	0	2	4	
MET101	PROFESSIONAL ETHICS (DEC)	2	0	2	2	OTY218	CRIMINALISTICS	2	0	2	6	
OTY213	AUTOPSY II**	2	8	6	9	OTY222	AUTOPSY III**	2	4	4	7	
OTY215	POSTMORTEM SAMPLING I*	2	4	4	7	OTY216	POSTMORTEM IMAGING* (DEC)	1	2	2	4	
SHY101	HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION (DEC)	2	0	2	2	OTY214	POSTMORTEM SAMPLING II*	2	4	4	7	
TOTAL		10	18	19	29	TOTAL		11	10	16	31	

(T) THEORETICAL HOUR (A) APPLICATION HOUR (C) LOCAL CREDIT (ECTS) EUROPEAN CREDIT TRANSFER SYSTEM

DEC: Departmental Elective Courses

UEC: University Elective Courses

CRITERIA REQUIRED FOR GRADUATION	
THEORETICAL HOUR	56
APPLICATION HOUR	48
LOCAL CREDIT	80
ECTS	120
TOTAL ECTS OF ELECTIVE COURSES (UNIVERSITY + DEPARTMENT + VS)	31
(25% of TOTAL ECTS)	30

* Applied Course

** Vocational Education in Business

***Internship