



2012 – A SNAPSHOT

ASSESSMENT OF THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2011/2012

Foreword

This Snapshot presents a summary of the 2011/2012 edition of the original undergraduate medical degree and of the new graduate entry alternative track in the School of Health Sciences of the University of Minho (ECS-UM). It is a compilation produced by the Medical Education Unit (MEU) as part of the internal processes of quality assessment. The primary objective is that of contributing to the accountability before the general public, health care system and current and future students.

The Snapshot presents empirical data as evidence of the quality of the school medical education programs. It is sustained by permanent and systematic data gathering and organization by the MEU. The MEU is responsible for the comments in the document. The Snapshot has been developed for inclusion in the full report of the School of Health Sciences.

There are new elements in the current Snapshot, namely a detailed analysis of the first edition of the admissions process and of the curricular units of the alternative track. An update of the Longitudinal Study of medical education and a summary of findings from the graduation questionnaire is also included. There is also a brief reference to the “Center for Simulation of Laboratory Skills”. Alike previous ones, the current snapshot includes student academic performance, student evaluations of the undergraduate medical degree (curricular units, faculty and clerkships) and the essential demographic elements of the annual entering class for 2011/2012., which take into consideration the final year reflections of the School’s Scientific Council.

This Snapshot will be distributed to the School’s External Advisory Committee, to faculty members and to the student body of the School of Health Sciences.

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1. STUDY PLAN

Alternative track

Since 2007/2008, the ECS had been admitting graduate students to the 6-year program. As of 2011/2012, by law, the number of available places for the Graduate Entry Process ascended to 15% of *numerus clausus* (N 120) (Decreto-Lei nº40/2007 de 20 de Fevereiro). It was considered that a 4-year track with tight admission procedures would be a program more suitable for adult learners that simultaneously would credit previous accomplishments in higher education. The alternative track was approved by the Portuguese Agency for Assessment and Accreditation of Higher Education (A3ES) and credits student's previous academic accomplishments with 120 ECTS corresponding to the initial 2 years of the 6 year program.

Table 1: Study plan: alternative track

	SCIENTIFIC AREA	CURRICULAR UNITS	ECTS
1st year	CBB / SC-CSH / P / C	Various	60
			TOTAL 60
2nd year	CBB / SC-CSH / P / C	Various	60
			TOTAL 60
3rd year	C	Introduction to Clinical Medicine	10,5
	CBB / P	Foundations of Medicine	45
	SC-CSH	Community Health, Human and Social Science	4,5
		TOTAL	60
		Degree in Medical Basic Sciences	180
4th year		The same as the original track	60
		TOTAL	60
5th year		The same as the original track	60
		TOTAL	60
6th year		The same as the original track	60
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Original track

This was the second edition of the original curricular plan implemented in the academic year 2010/2011. One innovation was applied as decided by the School's pedagogical council: approval in the units "Introduction to Clinical Medicine" and "Biopathology and Introduction to Therapeutics" became a mandatory requirement to enroll in any of the 4th and 5th year residencies. As a result 12 students who failed either of the curricular units in the original track could not enroll in any residency during 2012/2013. The rule also applies to the students in the alternative track in which 9 students were retained due to failure in ICM.

Table 2- Study plan: original track

	SCIENTIFIC AREA	CURRICULAR UNITS	ECTS
1 st year	CBB	Introduction to the Medical Degree Course	4
	CBB	Molecules and Cells	24
	CBB	Functional and Organic Systems I	25
	SC-CSH	Training in a Health Centre	1
	SC-CSH	First Aid	1
	CBB/SC-CSH/P/C	Option Project I	4
	SC-CSH	Vertical Domains I	1
		TOTAL	60
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	CBB	Functional and Organic Systems III	23
	SC-CSH	Family, Society and Health I	4
	CBB/SC-CSH/P/C	Option Project II	6
	SC-CSH	Vertical Domains II	1
		TOTAL	60
3 rd year	P	Biopathology and Introduction to Therapeutics	43
	SC-CSH	Introduction to Community Health	4
	C	Introduction to Clinical Medicine	10,5
	SC-CSH	Follow-up of a Family II	1,5
	SC-CSH	Vertical Domains III	1
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4 th year	SC-CSH	Health Centre Residency I	8
	C	Medicine I Residency	17
	C	Maternal and Child Health Residency	17
	C	Clinical Neurosciences	10
	C/P/CBB	From the Clinic to Molecular Biology I	3
	CBB/SC-CSH/P/C	Option Projects III	4
	SC-CSH	Vertical Domains IV	1
		TOTAL	60
5 th year	SC-CSH	Health Centre Residency II	13
	C	Surgery Residency	18,5
	C	Medicine II Residency	16
	C	Optional Residencies	8,5
	C/P/CBB	From the Clinic to Molecular Biology II	3
	SC-CSH	Vertical Domains V	1
		TOTAL	60
6 th year	SC-CSH	Health Centre Residency III - Final Training	10,5
	C	Hospital Residencies – Final Training	39,5
	C/P/CBB	From the Clinic to Molecular Biology III	3
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2. THE NEW EXPERIENCE OF THE ALTERNATIVE TRACK STUDY PLAN

Selection Process

There were 18 places available for the Graduate Entry Process in the academic year 2011-12. Applicant selection was a 3-step process, as illustrated in Figure 2. (1) compliance with administrative criteria defined by the admissions process regulations (see attachment) which included holding a previous degree with a final mark equal or above 14/20 points; (2) written examination of knowledge which consisted of 100 multiple choice questions on biology, mathematics, chemistry and physics; (3) a Multiple Mini-interview.

The Multiple Mini-Interview (MMI) is a component of many admission procedures worldwide and was pioneered in Portugal by The University of Algarve. The MMI was developed in the McMaster Medical School in Canada (Eva, K et al. An admission OSCE: the multiple mini-interviews. *Medical Education*.vol.38;314-326.2004) and consists of an observational examination in which candidates rotate through a number of short stations (typically 8-12), each with a different situation to handle and a different examiner. The MMI is an OSCE-style examination consisting of multiple, focused encounters, in which the situations are testing non-scientific characteristics including the cognitive and noncognitive skills and avoid requirements of clinical knowledge. The examiner might be an interviewer or an observer. For example, a station on ethical decision making can consist of an interview by the examiner whereas a station on communication skills might ask the examiner to assess the candidate performances as they interact with an actor within a given situation. . The MMI produces much more subjective ratings than the OSCE that have been shown to be reliable and valid estimates of an individual's abilities.

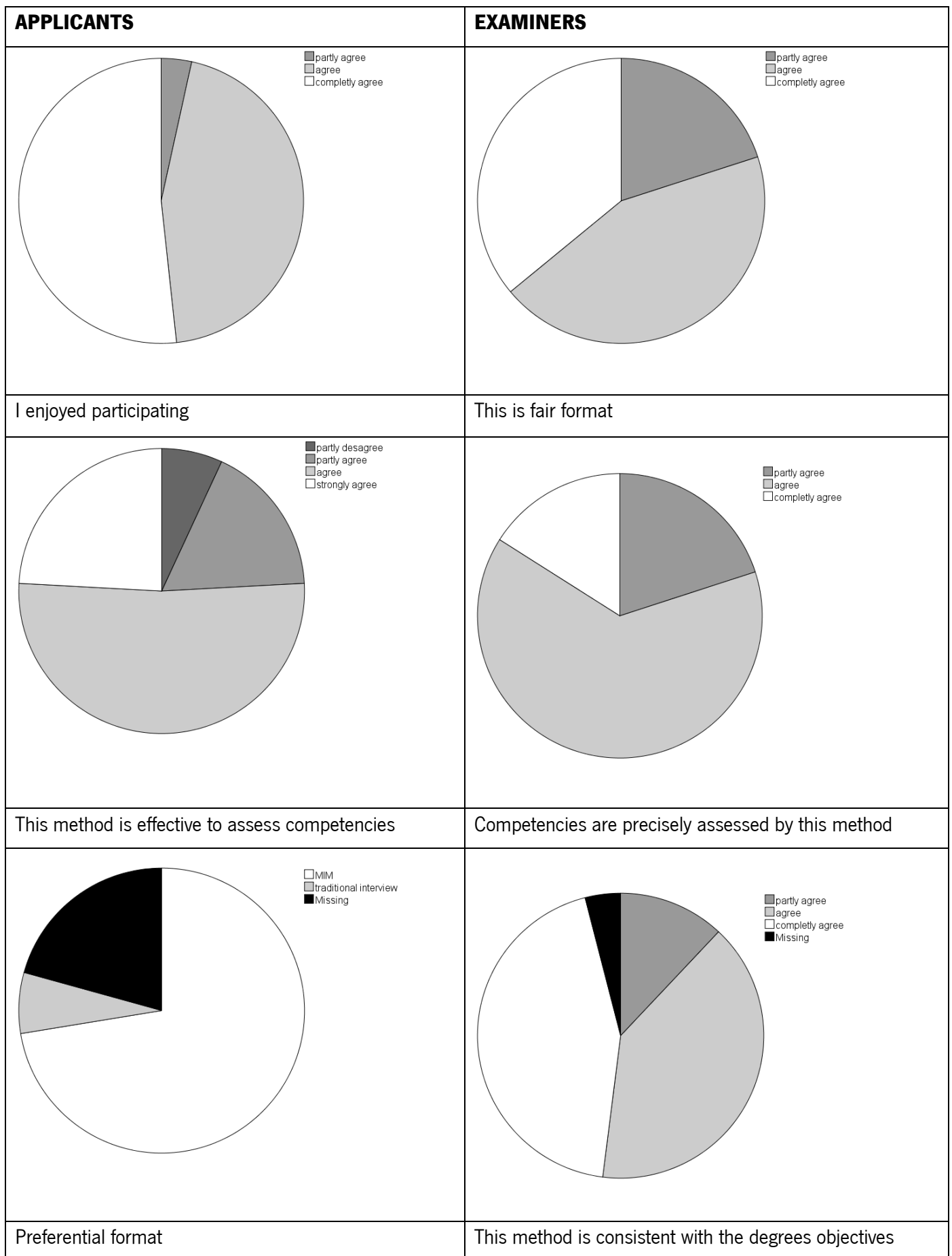
The MMI's applied in Minho were developed by a team of faculty with expertise in preparing and administering Objective Structured Clinical Examinations. The Blueprint is presented in Table 3. The examination was set up on the 2nd floor of the ECSaude, in three rounds, within one day.

Table 3: Blueprint for the 2011-2012 MMI examination

TOPIC	Disussion	Breaking bad news	Scientific vs. alternative medicine	Social care Management	Plagiarism & cheating	Moral dilemma	Self-appraisal	Previous studies	Puzzle	Puzzle
critical thinking			x	x						
ethical/moral decision making			x		x	x				
communication	x	x		x						
empathy	x	x								
integrity (INT)					x	x				
self-evaluation							x	x		
Team-work									x	x

In the first edition of the MMIs in Minho, all 18 examiners were ECS staff and there were 4 invited observers. The reliability (Cronbach's alpha) of the MMI was .689. At the end of each round all candidates and all participants were asked to respond to a questionnaire (see attachment). Figure 2 presents the results who clearly indicate high acceptability by all intervenient.

Figure 1: Acceptability of the MMI by candidates and examiners.



Evidence collected to demonstrate the validity of the method includes:

- 1- The faculty who developed the stations, trained the actors and the scoring instructions were 4 MDs, 1 PsyD, one expert in medical education, all with previous experience in developing or administering OSCE examinations, and all had been observers in an MMI done elsewhere;
- 2- Reliability of the MMI was close to .70;
- 3- Positive informal verbal feed-back collected from the observers
- 4- The high acceptability from the candidates and the examiners, as assessed by the answers to a questionnaire delivered in print after each shift (see above).

Applicants and entrants

In 2011/2021, there were 222 applicants to the graduate entry process (12 applicants/place). The top-scoring 30 students were admitted to the MMIs. 21 new students were selected (2 extra due to equal scores and 1 due to administrative error). Table 4 shows the exam end MMI scores for the applicants and the selected students.

Figure 2: Summary of the selection process (numbers refer to the 2011-2012 edition)

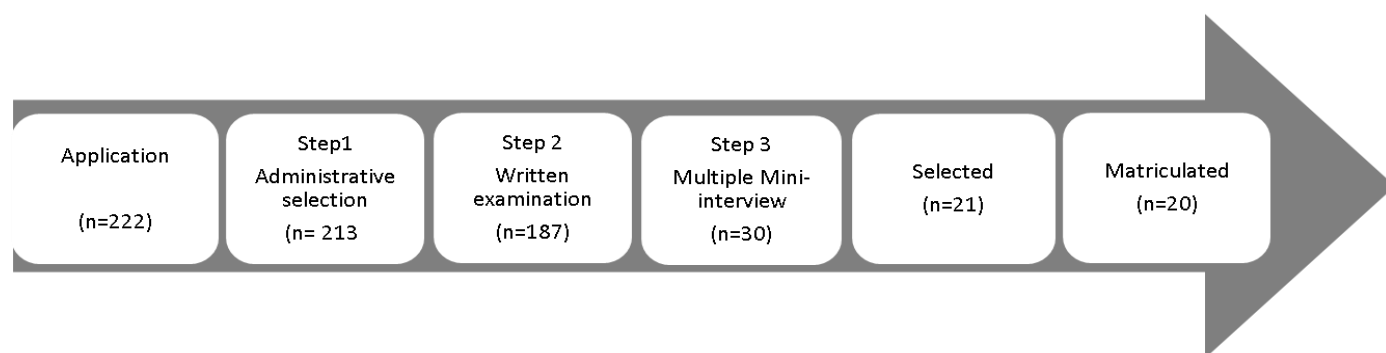


Table 4: Exam and MMI scores

	Written exam		Multiple mini interviews	
	Min - Max	Average ± Standard Deviation	Min - Max	Average ± Standard Deviation
Applicants	0 - 13,0	4,8±2,6	–	–
Top 30 applicants	7,9 – 13,0	8,8±1,0	15,8 – 8,0	11,9±1,7
Selected students	8,6 – 13,0	9,7±1,0	10,0 – 15,8	12,5±1,3

Twenty new students matriculated in the alternative track. 63% of these students chose the University of Minho as their first option. 50% also submitted their applications to other medical students. Nevertheless, 95% intend to matriculate in Minho in the following curricular year. Student's age varied from 23 to 37 (mean 28.2; SD 4.8) and 65% of the students were female. The main reasons pointed by the students for choosing the medical degree were: educational, vocational and professional interest (90%), aspiring to a more stable professional future (90%) and dissatisfaction with their previous professional occupation (75%). Amongst the reasons that influenced students to choose ECS-UM were: quality on the teaching/learning process (70%), teaching/learning methodologies (70%) and geographical proximity (60%). The majority of students came from Braga (45%) and Porto (20%). For 35% of the students, getting into the ECS-UM medical degree meant moving away from home. The major difficulties anticipated were: time management (75%), financial problems (40%) and relationship problems with family and significant others (30%).

Student's background was diverse: 15% have a previous master degree and 20% hold a PhD.

Table 5 presents the previous degrees of the new students. For 40% their previous degree had been their first choice when they first got in to higher education. Medicine had been the first choice for another 40%. At start of the medical degree, 40% had no professional activity, 20% were working part-time and 30% were working full time. 35% of the students applied for a special class attendance statute for working students.

More detailed information can be found in the appendix.

Table 5: student's previous degrees

	N	%
Clinical analysis	1	5
Pathological, cytological and thanatological anatomy	1	5
Biology	1	5
Genetics and microbial biology	1	5
Biochemistry	1	5
Cardiopneumology	1	5
Nursing	5	25
Biological engineering	2	10
Pharmacy	1	5
Physics and chemistry	1	5
Dentistry	1	5
Electronica and industrial engineering	1	5
Chemistry	1	5
Radiology	2	10

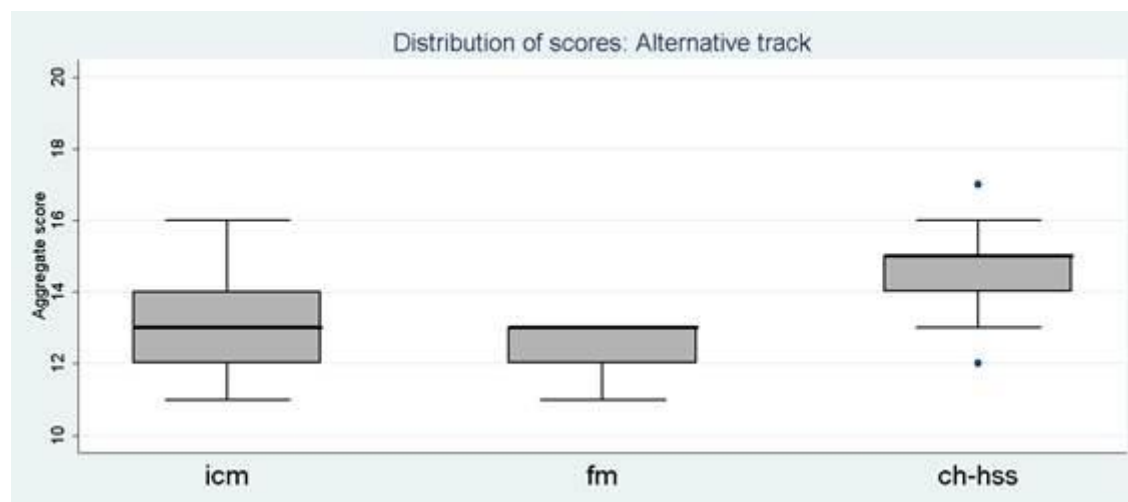
Academic Performance

At the end of the academic year, 55% of the students had a positive outcome in all the curricular units. These students will join the 4th curricular year of the original track in 2012/2013.

A significant percentage of failure (45%) was registered for the curricular unit Foundations of medicine which corresponds to 45 ECTS. The administrative records show that all matriculates took the final written exams for modules 1 and 2, but only 16 did so for modules 5 and 6. Therefore, 4 students voluntarily stopped attending the examinations. The 5 students who failed and completed all the examinations performed clearly under the pass/fail score. These students also failed the competences examination. In terms of the course “Introduction to clinical Medicine”, the administrative records show that there were 12 students who completed the assessment process, of whom only one failed (this student had also failed the previous course). Also of importance, 100% of students who performed above the passing score in “Fundamentals of Medicine” were also successful in “Introduction to Clinical Medicine”. Therefore, the “alternative track” course “Fundamentals of Medicine” prepared the students adequately to succeed in the subsequent clinical course.

In summary, there was a significant failure rate in the alternative track program. The underlying reasons are certainly multifactorial, and further information is necessary to draw conclusions. Nevertheless, the first experience suggests that the alternative track prepares students well enough to succeed in the clinical phase of the Program.

Figure 3: students' academic success



Failure 9 (45%)

9 (45%)

1 (5%)

Legend:

icm: Introduction to clinical medicine

fm: foundations of medicine

ch-hss: community health, human and social sciences

Students assessment of faculty and curricular units

Overall, student's assessment of faculty and curricular units of the alternative track was very positive. "Community Health, Human and Social Sciences" was considered excellent by 83% of the students and its faculty by 89%. The percentage of students that found the curricular unit and the faculty excellent was 77% and 85% respectively.

3. ORIGINAL TRACK: THE ANNUAL EXPERIENCE WITH THE UNDERGRADUATE

MEDICAL PROGRAM

This year's experience – student performance and ratings - was identical to the previous year. The first curricular year continues to exhibit the courses with the highest student failure rates (imd, mcs and ofs1, with 20%, 23% and 21% respectively). The tendency for students who fail in first year courses to persist failing in following years persists, thus attesting the reliability of most pass/fail decisions.

Student evaluations suggest that this year's experience with the curricular units is clearly positive. There were 28 units in a total of 35 considered globally "excellent" by over 75% of the students, including all the electives and the vertical domains. The second edition of the units "Clinical Neurosciences" and "Family, Society and Health I" continued receiving positive ratings (they were considered "excellent" by 87 and 90% of the students respectively). The five curricular units that considered excellent by less than half of the respective classes - Introduction to the Medical Degree, Introduction to Community Health and From clinical to Molecular Biology (I,II, II) - in the previous year, maintained relatively poorer performances in 2011/2012.. In contrast, the courses First Aid, Biopathology and Introduction to therapeutics, Vertical Domains III and V), Medicine I Residency and Clinical Neurosciences received appreciations superior in at least ten perceptual points relatively to the previous year.

4. OBJECTIVE STRUCTURED LABORATORY EXAMINATIONS AND THE CENTER FOR SIMULATION OF LABORATORY SKILLS

An important evolution on assessment in the current academic year was the introduction of "Objective Laboratory Skills Examination (OLSE)", an adaptation of the OSCEs to the assessment of laboratory skills. Station examinations run in previous editions, in which students had one minute to complete specific short tasks, have been replaced by stations which are more authentic, in that they require students to complete a laboratory procedure in a specific time period. Scoring is made with checklists developed by faculty and there is training of assessors. The educational impact of the OSLEs has been positive as judged by unstructured observations in laboratory classes, in which it is visible that there is a generally higher commitment of students to actually perform and develop the experimental activities.

Another related important aspect is the training of the laboratory skills. Laboratory course components are essential in undergraduate medical education. Recent studies recommend that “tried and tested laboratory practical classes” are replaced with interdisciplinary inquiry- or project-based laboratory activities, which are more effective for the development of the scientific skills of students. It is also clear that expertise results from deliberate practice and that deliberate practice requires opportunities. This is in contrast with the tight and demanding medical curricula. A Center for Simulation of Laboratory Skills (CSCL in Portuguese) was created with the intention of supporting curricular activities and also of creating extra-curricular opportunities for the training of laboratory skills.

Financial support to equip the infrastructure came through a competitive grant on innovation in higher education by the Gulbenkian Foundation. The CSCL uses available laboratory infrastructure. In the current academic year, 112 extra-curricular sessions took place. The topics of the sessions were Laboratory safety, Glassware and essential laboratory equipment, chemicals and preparation of solutions, microscopy, spectroscopy, electrophoresis, restriction analysis, ELISA. The sessions were delivered by Medical School Faculty associated with the CSCL. The scheduling of sessions is made through Google calendar. For evaluation purposes, students who attend sessions fill in a questionnaire at start and at the conclusion of the sessions, which requires a self-assessment of confidence on a “1-10” SCALE”. Mean gains in confidence with the session are 1.50 points with a standard deviation of 1.20 (range is -1 to 6). The percentage of students who “recommend the session to colleagues” was 99%.

5. ORIGINAL TRACK: STUDENT SOCIO-DEMOGRAPHY: RETROSPECTIVE

DESCRIPTIVE ANALYSIS

Applicants

In 2011/2012, there were 1324 applicants to the undergraduate medical degree of ECS-UM for the national admissions process (“Concurso Nacional de Acesso”, 11 applicants/available place). There is no public available information on the remaining special admissions processes (“Regimes Especiais de Acesso”).

New students

121 students were admitted through the National Admissions Process (contingents: general n110, islands n6, handicapped n2; emigrants n2; army n1). 61% of these students chose the University of Minho as their first option (74% in the previous year). Admission grade point averages (GPAs) varied from 156.3 (army contingent) to 194.7 (general contingent) (M 184.91; SD 6.28). The lowest admission grade for the general contingent (M 186.66; SD 2.2) was 184.5 (182.7 in 2010/2011). The admission GPAs show no further significant differences from the

previous years. 4 students were admitted through Special Admissions Processes (Portuguese speaking African country n2; Timorese n1; re-admission n1).

In 2011/2012, overall, the ECS-UM admitted 125 new students who reflect the diversity in matriculates over the past years. 57% of the students came from the public school system and 83% were first time college students. Student's age varied from 16 to 22 (mean 18.02; SD 0.79) the highest age being for graduate students and the lowest being for the general contingent. 66% of the students were female. The retrospective analysis reveals that the factors that have influenced students to choose the choice of ECS-UM have remained quite stable across time. In the present year, 82% of matriculates referred geographical proximity (it was the most influential for 55%). This might explain why only 17% students originate from districts in the country other than Braga (57% of matriculates) and Porto (26%). Nevertheless, 48% of the students left their family homes. Another primary factor taken into consideration by the students (68%) was the quality of the teaching and learning process (it was the most influential for 17% of the students).

More detailed information can be found in the appendix.

6. LONGITUDINAL STUDY AND GRADUATION QUESTIONNAIRE

The Longitudinal Study in medical education of the School of Health Sciences is one means to monitor the quality of the educational process. The current Snapshot includes a short update on the current state of the project and results obtained with the “Questionário de Graduação de Mestrado”, a questionnaire that captures the perceptions of graduates regarding their experience at ECS-UM, their satisfaction with the undergraduate experience and self-perception of preparedness to enter Post-Graduate Year 1, their professional expectations and whether they feel that the principles contained in the school mission statement have been adequately implemented. The questionnaire is delivered in paper at graduation day and mailed for those who do not attend the ceremony.

Answers from 5 cohorts of ECS-UM graduates were manually introduced in an SPSS datasheet and frequencies have been determined. A thorough analysis of the results is belong the scope of the current snapshot and can be found in the appendixes (“Questionário de Graduação de Mestrado – Relatório Sumário de 2010/11). This snapshot offers highlights of interest for quality assessment of the educational process.

The graduate preferences in terms of institution to practice medicine are Public Hospitals located in the seaside of Northern Portugal. There is lower and wide range between cohorts in terms of preferences to work in primary care centers (13 to 33% expects to work there “most of my time”). A majority wishes to work as members of small teams and shows interest in doing clinical research “some of my time” but approximately 75% of each cohort did not

expect to be involved in basic science research at all (except for 2007 in which this is the case for 55% of the graduates).

In what concerns satisfaction with the undergraduate experience, (80% or more are “satisfied” or “very satisfied” with the training in all 6 years of the curricula. The 5th year received the most favorable comments (92% of students are “satisfied” or “very satisfied”). Statistics and History of medicine are by far the aspects that the students report the least preparedness. In terms of perception of competences at the time of graduation (collected for 2 cohorts . n=47), 87% or more agree that they possess adequate clinical skills, knowledge about the fundamental mechanisms of disease and diagnosis, communication skills and social sciences. There is lower self-confidence about skills implied in clinical decision making, in which about approximately 20% of students considers to have acquired the basic skills to do so.

Lastly there are overwhelming positive perceptions about the ways the school materializes the following pillars of the degree: active involvement of students in the learning process, sharing responsibility with students, opportunities for small group work, opportunities to develop research and to contact the ICVS Research Institute, search and critical analysis of information, flexibility in the curriculum, horizontal and vertical integration, the use of laboratory activities to promote learning, the clinical clerkship multicentric model, the diversity of clinical scenarios provided, curriculum orientation to Portuguese health profile, the assessment process, opportunities meet the community, the emphasis on ethics and professionalism and humanism in medicine.

7. FINAL WORD

In summary, the implementation of the graduate entry track selection process and new curricular units was accomplished, although with a significant failure rate. Also of importance, 100% of students who performed above the passing score in “Fundamentals of Medicine”, were also successful in “Introduction to Clinical Medicine”. In addition, the indicators available on the experience of the original track in 2011-2012 demonstrate that the delivery of the program continues to maintain standards of quality in medical education. The conclusion is sustained by information originating from the Longitudinal study.

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APPENDIX

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The Snapshot's *Appendix* presents the corresponding academic year's final scores distributions and results of student evaluations, for the curricular units of the undergraduate medical program of the School of Health Sciences of the University of Minho (ECS-UM). The present *snapshot* retrospective socio-demographical analysis since 2001 is also included.

Typically, courses' final scores are combinations of scores that result from individual assessments at different points in time, such as modular or end-of-year written tests, skill examinations and attitudinal observations. The curricular units assessment methodologies are defined in the first two weeks of the academic year and establish how the different scores are combined to produce the final score for each curricular unit. The boxplots in this *appendix* are computed from the database of the ongoing *Longitudinal Study of the School of Health Sciences of the University of Minho* ⁽¹⁾.

As to the student course evaluations, the appendix presents the instruments, the process and the results for the present and former years. The process was designed in 2006 by the Scientific Council of ECS-UM and is under the responsibility of the Medical Education Unit. The process is systematic and originates results that are an important part of the multidimensional internal quality evaluation mechanisms of the ECS-UM's undergraduate medical program.

In addition, the appendix includes descriptive elements about the socio-demography of the entering class of 2011-2012 and a comparison between groups of students since the opening of the medical degree (2001-2002). The information is collected with a survey that students respond to voluntarily during students' first week in the medical school and stored in a secure database. Informed consent is collected to collate the data to the *Longitudinal Study of the School of Health Sciences of the University of Minho* ⁽¹⁾.

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3rd year	C	Introduction to Clinical Medicine	10,5
	CBB / P	Foundations of Medicine	45
	SC-CSH	Community Health, Human and Social Science	4,5
		TOTAL	60
		Degree in Medical Basic Sciences	180
4th year		The same as the original track	60
		TOTAL	60
5th year		The same as the original track	60
		TOTAL	60
6th year		The same as the original track	60
		TOTAL	60
		Integrated Master Program in Medicine	360

ECTS - European Credit Transfer Units

C - Clinical; CBB –Biological and Biomedical Sciences;

SC-CSH - Community Health, Human and Social Sciences; P - Pathology

Student Evaluations (SE): brief description of the process

Student evaluations are obtained through a systematic process and uses questionnaires adapted to the ECS-UM approved by the School's Scientific Council in 2006 (summarized in table 1). The questionnaires are administered by the Medical Education Unit (MEU) that also manages the Student Evaluations of Teaching (SET) process and helps facilitate appropriate interpretations of SET figures. The questionnaires are typically applied within the 2 weeks following the end of a curricular unit. The responses are collected on paper in an explicit period in student timetable. This year, some questionnaires were collected online (p.e. Molecules and Cells and Functional an Organic systems) The questionnaires are used in Portuguese, therefore translations were developed for the purpose of inclusion in this appendix. There are specific SE forms used for distinct purposes.

“Overall Evaluation”: of the general dimensions that all the curricular units should abide to; each student fills one questionnaire/curricular unit; includes the same 12 items (except for specific courses where some items do not apply);

“Evaluation of the Teaching and Learning Methodology”: in years 1-3 for all courses that are primarily taught by ECS-UM's faculty and make use of the methodology of “learning through modules of objectives” adopted by the medical school, each student fills one form/curricular unit; includes 10 items;

“Evaluation of Academic Faculty”: on individual ECS-UM's faculty of all curricular units; each student fills one form/faculty - the global scores presented in this snapshot are computed for every faculty of the corresponding curricular unit and the individual scores are communicated to each faculty and the corresponding unit coordinator; includes 8 items;

“Evaluation of Clinical Tutors/Services”: on individual clinical tutors in the affiliated Health Care Institutions, applied exclusively to courses with clinical attachments (from the 3rd to the 6th year); each student fills one form/faculty - the global scores presented in this snapshot are computed for every faculty of the corresponding curricular unit and the individual scores are communicated the corresponding unit supervisor; includes 10 items;

“Evaluation of Option Projects”: used on all the elective curricular areas of the medical degree; includes 8 items.

Student Evaluations of Teaching Process	Forms Curricular Unit		Output
	Overall Evaluation of Curricular Unit	36	Global Score
	Evaluation of Academic Faculty	9	Global Score
			Individual Score
	Evaluation of Clinical Tutors/Services	9	Global Score Form
			Global Score Form/Institution
			Global Score Form/Service

Table1: Summary of the instruments and outputs of Student Evaluations of Teaching

Items for the Overall Evaluation

Curricular Unit (nuclear items)

1	I understood the learning objectives
2	The contents were delivered in accordance with the learning objectives
3	I have gained/developed abilities that I consider useful
4	The workload was appropriate to the time available for learning
5	The assessment process was coherent with the objectives
6	I was appropriately supervised in my learning process
7	The activities were well organized
8	The available resources were appropriate
9	My previous training prepared me adequately for this curricular unit
10	Globally, I consider the faculty is excellent
11	Globally, I consider the curricular unit is excellent
12	Globally, the curricular unit promoted my personal development

Items for the Evaluation of Faculty

Faculty

1	The faculty is knowledgeable in the concepts and phenomena implied in the learning objectives
2	The faculty arrives on time
3	The faculty aids in the identification, analysis and understanding of the learning objectives
4	The faculty orients the development of learning
5	The faculty stimulates and fosters critical thinking
6	The faculty motivates towards the fulfillment of learning objectives
7	The faculty helps in the synthesis and integration of knowledge
8	Overall, this faculty is excellent

Items for the Evaluation of Clinical Tutors/Services

Tutors/Services

1	I had access to all the service components (e.g.: meetings, visits, examinations, etc.)
2	I was stimulated to share my ideas, knowledge and doubts
3	The tutor was available to answer questions and to clarify uncertainties
4	The tutors' explanations were clear and organized
5	The tutor promoted contacts with patients with different pathologies
6	The tutor helped me to perform clinical procedures effectively
7	The tutor was knowledgeable the concepts, phenomena and clinical practices
8	I received appropriate supervision at the clinical settings
9	I rate this tutor as excellent
10	What I've learned in this service was useful

Items for the Evaluation of the Teaching and Learning Methodology in years 1-3

Phase 1	1	Contributed to clarify the objectives
	2	Allowed the reactivation of prior knowledge
Phase 2	3	The time provided was sufficient
	4	The activities were important to the learning process
Phase 3	5	I was stimulated to share what I learned
	6	Provided an opportunity for a self-assessment relatively to the learning objectives
Phase 4	7	Contributed to overcome some of my previously identified learning gaps
	8	The faculty were available
Phase 5	9	The time provided to complete the examinations was appropriate
	10	The examinations reflected the learning objectives

Items for the Evaluation of Option Projects




1	I understood the learning objectives
2	The elements of the assessment process reflect the objectives of the curricular unit
3	The assessment process was coherent with the objectives of the curricular unit
4	The evaluation parameters were defined in time
5	The workload was appropriate to the credit units
6	I would have developed this project, even if it was not compulsory
7	Globally, I learned a lot from this curricular unit
8	Globally, I consider this curricular unit excellent

Scale

Completely disagree	①
Strongly disagree	②
Disagree	③
Agree	④
Strongly agree	⑤
Completely agree	⑥
Without an opinion	⑦

Legend

- for tutors, faculty and curricular unit assessment:

	Question with highest % of favorable responses
	Question with lowest % of favorable responses
	Question with less than 50% of favorable responses

RESULTS

Distribution of Student Scores

Student Evaluations

DISTRIBUTION OF STUDENT SCORES: LEGEND

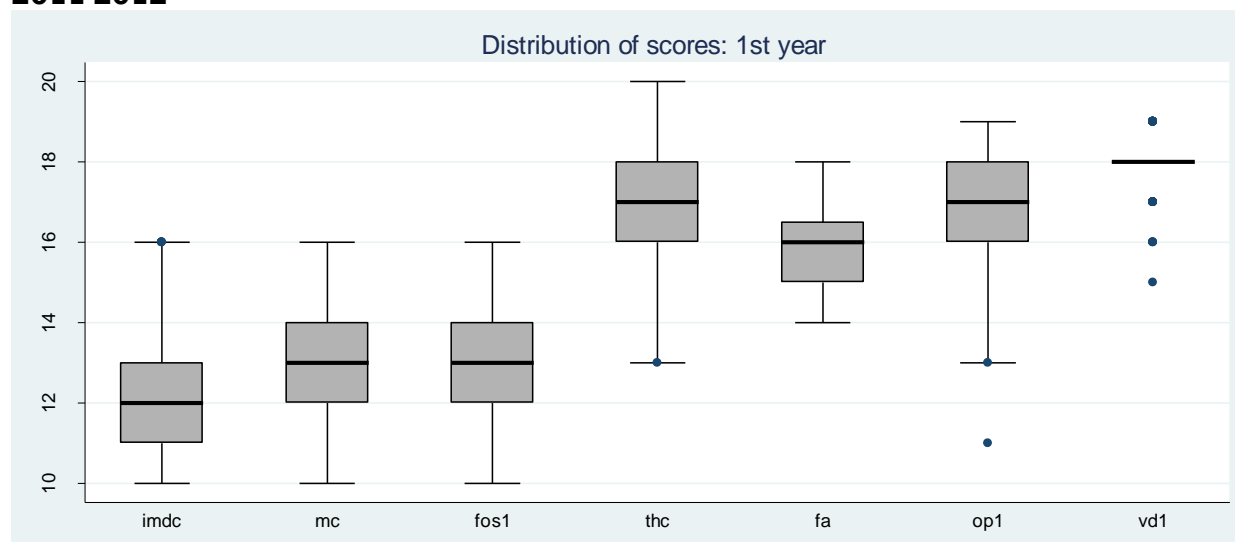
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**Failure: students who attended at least 2/3rds of classes; they fail for academic criteria.

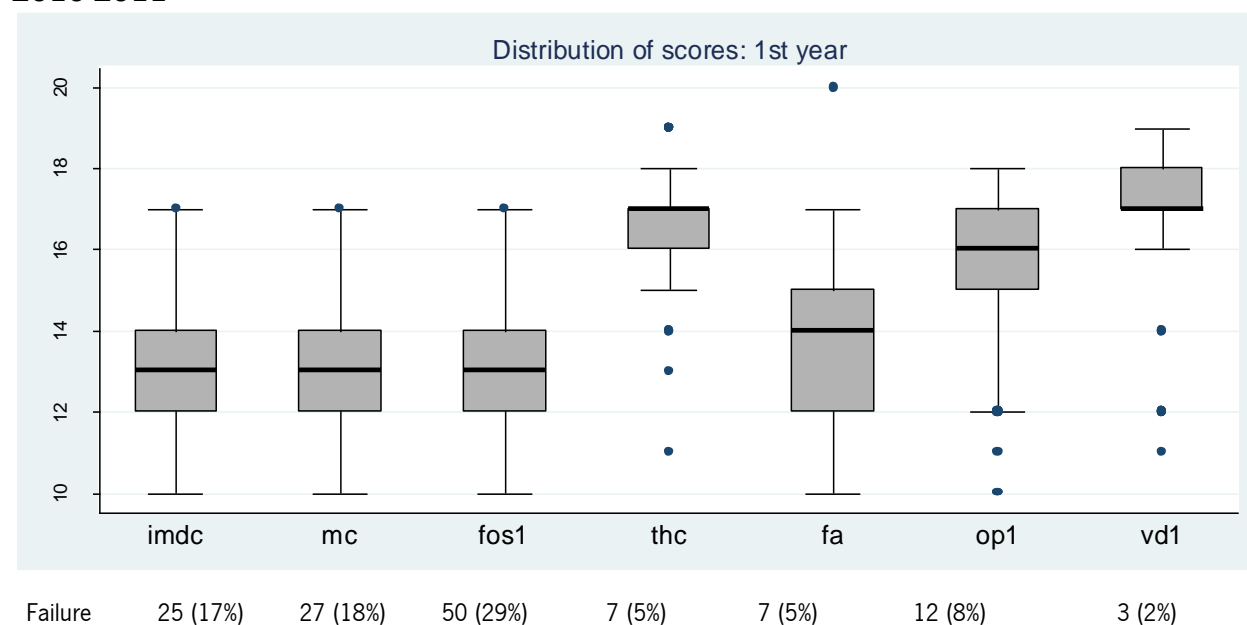
1ST YEAR

Distribution of Student Scores(*)

2011-2012



2010-2011



Legend

IMDC – Introduction to the Medical Degree Course
 MC – Molecules and Cells
 FOS1 – Functional and Organic Systems I
 THC – Training in a Health Centre
 FA – First Aid
 OP1 – Option Project I
 VD1 – Vertical Domains I

(*) Output provided by the database of ECS-UM Longitudinal Study.

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	6	2	2	6	7	3	3	2	9	2	12	6
	Strongly disagree	16	9	7	8	8	16	10	5	13	6	16	9
	Disagree	17	30	17	35	30	24	27	17	30	21	38	25
	Unfavorable responses	40	41	27	49	45	43	40	25	53	29	66	40
	Agree	43	39	50	35	39	37	40	55	29	49	25	49
	Strongly agree	14	14	18	12	10	16	12	14	10	16	8	8
	Completely agree	3	2	4	3	2	3	2	4	2	3	1	2
	Favorable responses	60	55	72	50	52	56	54	73	41	69	34	59
	No opinion	0	3	1	1	3	1	6	2	6	2	1	1
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	16	25	17	35	20	16	28	12	49	21	45	23
	Favorable responses	81	71	83	63	76	83	69	87	47	77	51	74
	No opinion	3	3	1	2	4	1	3	1	4	2	4	3

Evaluation of Academic Faculty

Faculty		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
2011/2012	Completely disagree	1	1	2	2	1	2	2	2
	Strongly disagree	1	1	2	2	1	2	3	2
	Disagree	2	1	8	9	8	8	11	9
	Unfavorable responses	5	2	12	14	10	12	16	12
	Agree	27	20	29	32	34	34	31	32
	Strongly agree	31	31	30	30	30	29	28	29
	Completely agree	34	43	25	21	22	20	20	20
	Favorable responses	92	94	84	82	85	83	80	82
	No opinion	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	6
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	2	5	11	10	9	9	12	7
	Favorable responses	91	88	82	83	83	82	80	85
	No opinion	7	7	7	7	8	8	8	9

Molecules and Cells

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	0	1	2	0	2	2	1	4	1	1	1
	Strongly disagree	2	3	2	2	3	3	1	1	6	4	3	3
	Disagree	6	5	7	23	14	5	17	6	37	10	14	12
	Unfavorable responses	8	8	10	26	17	10	19	8	47	15	18	16
	Agree	42	42	40	41	47	38	45	52	30	43	49	43
	Strongly agree	37	41	37	23	26	33	26	27	14	28	22	26
	Completely agree	13	9	12	10	8	17	7	11	5	12	8	9
	Favorable responses	91	91	89	73	81	89	78	90	50	83	78	78
	No opinion	1	1	2	1	3	2	3	2	3	2	3	6
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	4	7	7	22	12	10	12	8	38	11	16	15
	Favorable responses	96	93	92	78	88	89	87	92	62	87	82	83
	No opinion	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	2	2	2

Area (method items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2011/2012	Completely disagree	2	2	1	3	1	1	2	2	1	1
	Strongly disagree	2	1	7	11	2	3	3	1	3	1
	Disagree	5	11	18	18	7	4	13	4	14	12
	Unfavorable responses	9	14	26	32	10	8	17	7	17	14
	Agree	34	45	39	37	38	38	20	15	30	43
	Strongly agree	31	19	19	21	29	32	14	23	33	27
	Completely agree	24	20	14	8	20	17	8	20	19	15
	Favorable responses	90	84	72	66	87	88	42	58	82	85
	No opinion	2	2	2	2	3	4	41	35	1	1
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	6	15	25	34	11	8	7	5	25	10
	Favorable r4esponses	94	84	73	66	88	91	30	38	75	90
	No opinion	0	1	2	0	2	1	63	58	0	0

Evaluation of Academic Faculty

Faculty		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Strongly disagree	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Disagree	4	1	5	7	6	6	6	7
	Unfavorable responses	5	2	7	9	8	8	8	8
	Agree	27	22	31	31	35	33	29	29
	Strongly agree	33	27	34	33	30	31	32	34
	Completely agree	32	46	26	24	24	25	27	24
	Favorable responses	92	95	91	88	89	89	88	87
	No opinion	3	3	3	3	4	3	4	5
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	7	2	7	8	11	9	8	8
	Favorable responses	86	91	86	84	81	83	84	83
	No opinion	7	7	7	8	8	8	8	9

Functional and Organic Systems I

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	2	1	0	0
	Strongly disagree	0	0	0	5	1	1	2	1	9	1	1	2
	Disagree	3	4	1	16	10	4	7	3	12	3	3	3
	Unfavorable responses	3	4	1	22	13	5	9	3	22	5	4	5
	Agree	35	40	22	38	50	35	42	44	41	40	39	31
	Strongly agree	48	42	47	31	27	40	35	32	25	38	38	36
	Completely agree	13	9	26	6	9	15	9	17	8	15	15	25
	Favorable responses	96	91	96	75	85	91	86	93	74	92	93	91
	No opinion	2	4	3	3	2	4	4	3	4	3	3	3
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	5	8	2	46	10	5	3	3	27	6	7	4
	Favorable responses	93	90	98	54	88	93	95	96	70	93	92	94
	No opinion	2	2	1	1	2	2	2	1	3	1	1	2

Area (method items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2011/2012	Completely disagree	3	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
	Strongly disagree	7	9	3	2	2	3	2	1	0	0
	Disagree	12	12	13	7	8	6	7	5	0	13
	Unfavorable responses	21	26	19	9	9	9	9	6	0	14
	Agree	38	48	44	41	40	32	33	23	19	44
	Strongly agree	26	16	21	32	36	37	20	29	32	28
	Completely agree	11	7	13	15	10	18	9	16	49	12
	Favorable responses	74	71	77	87	86	86	62	68	99	85
	No opinion	4	3	4	4	4	4	29	26	1	2
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	23	30	26	5	16	9	5	6	5	16
	Favorable responses	75	67	71	93	81	89	76	74	94	82
	No opinion	2	2	2	2	3	2	19	20	1	2

Evaluation of Academic Faculty

Faculty		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Strongly disagree	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Disagree	1	1	3	3	3	3	3	3
	Unfavorable responses	2	1	4	4	4	4	4	3
	Agree	18	18	23	26	25	24	24	22
	Strongly agree	34	32	37	37	35	35	36	38
	Completely agree	36	39	26	24	27	27	27	26
	Favorable responses	89	90	87	87	87	86	87	86
	No opinion	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	11
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	4	3	5	6	6	6	5	5
	Favorable responses	84	84	82	81	81	81	82	82
	No opinion	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13

Training in a Health Centre

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	1	2	-	3	3	2	4	1	-	-	1	1
	Strongly disagree	0	3	-	3	2	1	1	2	-	-	1	0
	Disagree	0	4	-	16	9	3	6	7	-	-	3	1
	Unfavorable responses	1	9	-	22	13	6	11	9	-	-	5	2
	Agree	19	22	-	23	28	25	23	28	-	-	17	14
	Strongly agree	39	37	-	28	31	22	32	30	-	-	31	20
	Completely agree	40	32	-	26	25	47	33	32	-	-	47	65
	Favorable responses	98	91	-	78	84	94	89	91	-	-	95	98
	No opinion	1	1	-	0	3	0	0	0	-	-	0	0
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	3	3	-	8	9	6	16	8	-	-	1	0
	Favorable responses	97	97	-	91	84	92	83	92	-	-	98	100
	No opinion	1	0	-	1	7	2	1	1	-	-	1	0

First Aid

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	1	2	0	1	4	0	0	0	2	-	1	0
	Strongly disagree	0	1	0	0	7	0	1	1	4	-	1	2
	Disagree	1	4	2	3	18	3	4	4	14	-	4	1
	Unfavorable responses	2	6	2	4	29	3	4	4	20	-	6	3
	Agree	18	26	8	17	21	20	17	15	31	-	21	18
	Strongly agree	46	36	33	39	27	39	46	46	27	-	36	36
	Completely agree	35	32	57	41	23	39	33	35	17	-	37	44
	Favorable responses	98	94	98	96	71	97	96	96	74	-	94	97
	No opinion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	-	0	0
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	11	22	5	21	36	16	26	19	30	-	20	8
	Favorable responses	89	77	95	79	64	83	74	79	63	-	80	91
	No opinion	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	7	-	0	1

Option Project I

Overall Evaluation

Area		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0
	Strongly disagree	0	0	1	0	9	0	0	0
	Disagree	2	4	4	4	17	6	0	0
	Unfavorable responses	2	4	5	4	30	6	0	0
	Agree	17	28	30	23	26	26	18	27
	Strongly agree	44	40	46	37	23	27	33	37
	Completely agree	37	26	19	36	18	41	49	36
	Favorable responses	98	94	95	96	68	93	100	100
	No opinion	0	2	0	0	2	1	0	0
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	2	3	3	3	16	6	0	2
	Favorable responses	98	94	94	97	81	93	100	98
	No opinion	0	2	2	0	2	2	0	1

Vertical Domains I

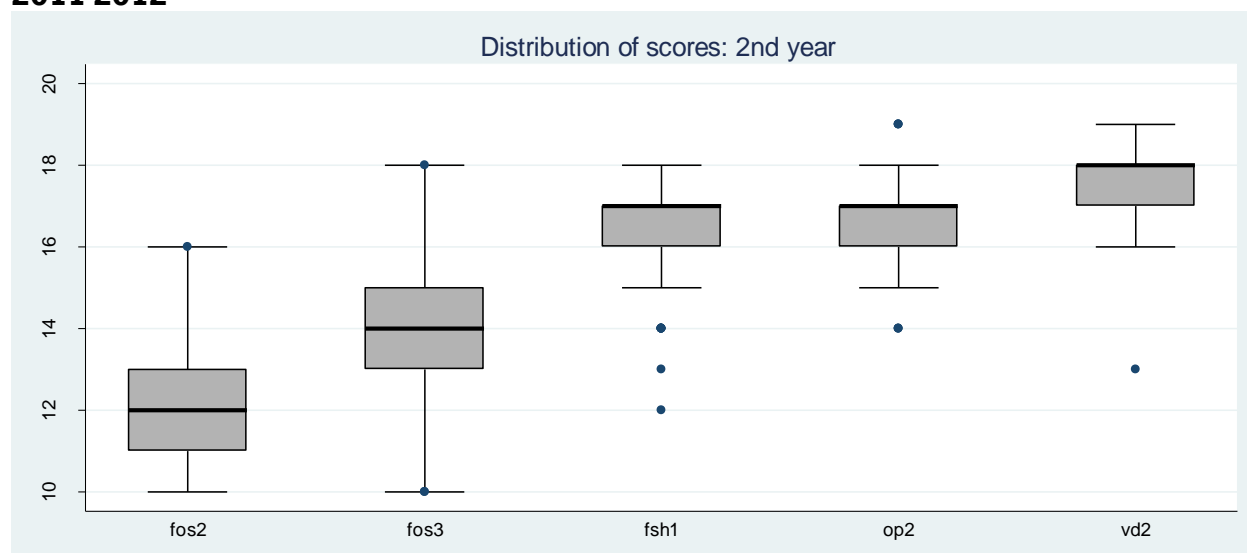
Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	1	0	0	1	2	-	0	0	1	-	1	1
	Strongly disagree	3	2	2	2	3	-	1	1	4	-	3	4
	Disagree	4	5	6	12	3	-	5	7	17	-	3	7
	Unfavorable responses	8	7	8	15	8	-	6	8	22	-	7	12
	Agree	44	42	38	44	40	-	41	32	43	-	36	47
	Strongly agree	32	36	40	28	36	-	40	43	19	-	36	30
	Completely agree	16	14	15	14	12	-	13	17	10	-	21	10
	Favorable responses	92	92	92	85	88	-	94	92	72	-	93	88
	No opinion	0	1	0	0	4	-	0	0	5	-	0	0
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	3	2	7	9	5	-	5	5	13	-	5	13
	Favorable responses	96	96	91	89	90	-	93	93	76	-	93	85
	No opinion	1	3	3	2	5	-	2	2	11	-	2	2

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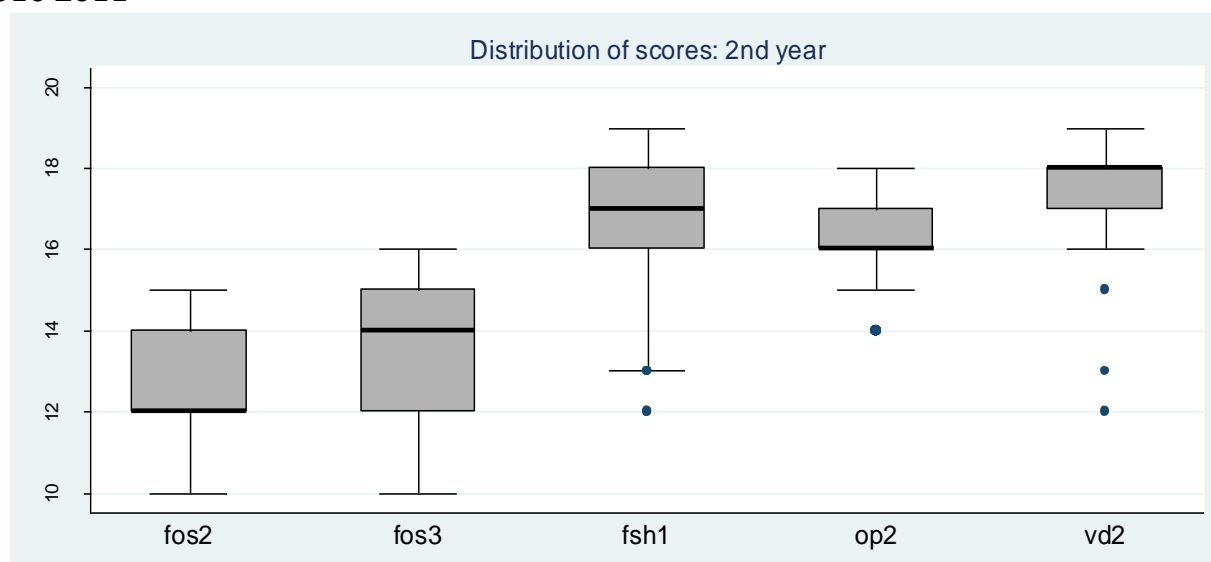
Distribution of Student Scores(*)

2011-2012



Failure 26 (19%) 14 (10%) 10 (9%) 13 (10%) 9 (7%)

2010-2011



Failure 15 (11%) 25 (18%) 12 (10%) 10 (8%) 4 (3%)

Legend

FOS2 – Functional and Organic Systems II
 FOS3 – Functional and Organic Systems III
 FSH1 – Family, Society and Health I
 OP2 – Option Project II
 VD2 – Vertical Domains II

(*) Output provided by the database of ECS-UM Longitudinal Study.

Functional and Organic Systems II

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	2	2	0
	Strongly disagree	0	0	0	4	1	2	2	2	1	0	0	1
	Disagree	2	10	2	29	18	2	4	6	10	7	6	5
	Unfavorable responses	2	11	2	35	20	4	6	8	11	9	8	6
	Agree	44	45	26	43	50	42	47	43	51	43	44	37
	Strongly agree	44	37	44	20	25	33	37	34	25	38	34	38
	Completely agree	10	6	27	1	4	18	9	14	10	8	11	18
	Favorable responses	98	88	97	63	79	94	92	91	87	89	89	93
	No opinion	1	1	1	2	1	2	2	1	2	2	3	2
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	4	7	0	45	13	4	11	6	11	11	7	4
	Favorable responses	96	92	100	55	87	96	88	94	85	88	93	95
	No opinion	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	1	0	1

Area (method items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2011/2012	Completely disagree	5	5	2	0	2	0	0	0	1	2
	Strongly disagree	7	6	8	2	3	2	2	2	7	6
	Disagree	10	28	19	6	10	8	11	8	19	21
	Unfavorable responses	22	38	29	8	15	10	13	10	27	30
	Agree	48	40	44	44	37	26	26	21	37	44
	Strongly agree	21	13	22	40	33	37	29	29	23	21
	Completely agree	6	6	4	6	11	25	7	17	12	4
	Favorable responses	76	60	70	90	82	89	62	67	71	68
	No opinion	2	2	2	2	3	2	25	24	2	2
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	20	31	32	6	14	3	5	2	5	20
	Favorable responses	80	68	68	94	85	96	85	88	95	79
	No opinion	0	1	0	0	2	1	11	10	0	1

Evaluation of Academic Faculty

Faculty		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
2011/2012	Completely disagree	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Strongly disagree	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Disagree	2	1	4	5	5	5	4	4
	Unfavorable responses	4	2	5	6	7	7	5	6
	Agree	21	18	26	28	28	28	27	27
	Strongly agree	34	23	33	32	31	31	32	31
	Completely agree	35	52	30	28	28	28	30	30
	Favorable responses	90	92	89	88	87	87	89	88
	No opinion	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	4	4	5	7	7	6	6	6
	Favorable responses	93	93	91	90	89	90	91	90
	No opinion	3	4	3	3	4	4	4	4

Functional and Organic Systems III

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	3	2	0	0
	Strongly disagree	1	1	1	3	0	1	0	2	2	1	1	1
	Disagree	2	6	2	17	9	4	8	4	8	6	4	3
	Unfavorable responses	3	8	3	21	9	5	9	7	12	9	5	4
	Agree	26	32	22	31	34	30	44	35	36	32	31	27
	Strongly agree	52	47	44	38	43	46	40	41	39	44	45	42
	Completely agree	19	11	30	8	12	16	5	15	10	14	17	22
	Favorable responses	97	91	97	77	90	92	89	91	85	90	93	91
	No opinion	1	2	1	3	1	3	3	2	3	2	2	4
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	2	6	2	28	6	5	16	4	20	8	8	3
	Favorable responses	98	94	98	72	94	95	84	95	80	91	90	95
	No opinion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	2

Area (method items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2011/2012	Completely disagree	7	5	1	1	2	1	2	0	1	1
	Strongly disagree	3	4	2	3	2	2	0	0	1	1
	Disagree	13	20	11	5	11	6	8	6	3	4
	Unfavorable responses	23	29	14	9	15	9	9	6	4	6
	Agree	34	34	34	40	30	26	32	27	28	41
	Strongly agree	35	28	40	37	37	41	26	29	34	40
	Completely agree	5	4	9	11	12	20	12	18	34	13
	Favorable responses	74	67	84	88	79	87	70	74	95	93
	No opinion	3	3	3	3	6	4	21	20	1	1
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	24	27	19	7	7	5	3	2	5	7
	Favorable responses	76	72	81	93	93	95	88	90	95	93
	No opinion	0	1	0	0	0	0	9	8	0	0

Evaluation of Academic Faculty

Faculty		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
2011/2012	Completely disagree	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Strongly disagree	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Disagree	3	2	3	4	4	4	3	4
	Unfavorable responses	4	3	5	6	5	6	5	5
	Agree	20	17	24	25	26	26	26	25
	Strongly agree	33	25	32	31	30	30	30	31
	Completely agree	34	47	30	29	29	29	30	30
	Favorable responses	87	88	86	85	86	85	86	86
	No opinion	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	3	2	5	6	6	6	6	5
	Favorable responses	94	96	93	92	91	92	92	92
	No opinion	2	2	2	2	3	2	2	2

Family, Society and Health I

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	2	1	0	0	3	2	4	2	3	1	3	2
	Strongly disagree	0	2	2	3	1	3	4	3	3	3	2	3
	Disagree	2	1	1	7	11	3	7	2	12	7	7	0
	Unfavorable responses	4	4	3	10	15	7	15	7	18	10	11	5
	Agree	35	37	28	32	36	30	40	34	41	37	43	33
	Strongly agree	41	37	45	40	35	34	34	45	27	34	30	36
	Completely agree	20	22	24	16	9	26	11	14	7	18	14	25
	Favorable responses	96	96	97	88	81	90	85	93	76	89	87	94
	No opinion	0	0	0	2	5	3	0	1	7	1	2	1
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	3	4	1	7	3	1	15	5	19	6	8	2
	Favorable responses	97	96	99	93	87	98	85	95	70	94	92	97
	No opinion	0	0	0	0	10	1	0	0	11	0	0	1

Option Project II

Overall Evaluation

Area		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	1	0	3	1	0	0	0
	Strongly disagree	0	0	2	6	3	1	0	1
	Disagree	3	3	4	10	11	6	1	2
	Unfavorable responses	3	4	6	19	14	7	1	3
	Agree	16	33	30	35	31	14	12	29
	Strongly agree	29	39	38	27	37	35	41	35
	Completely agree	51	21	22	19	17	43	47	34
	Favorable responses	96	93	90	81	85	92	99	97
	No opinion	1	4	4	1	1	1	0	0
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	0	1	3	2	19	4	0	0
	Favorable responses	100	92	94	98	80	95	100	99
	No opinion	0	7	3	0	1	1	0	1

Vertical Domains II

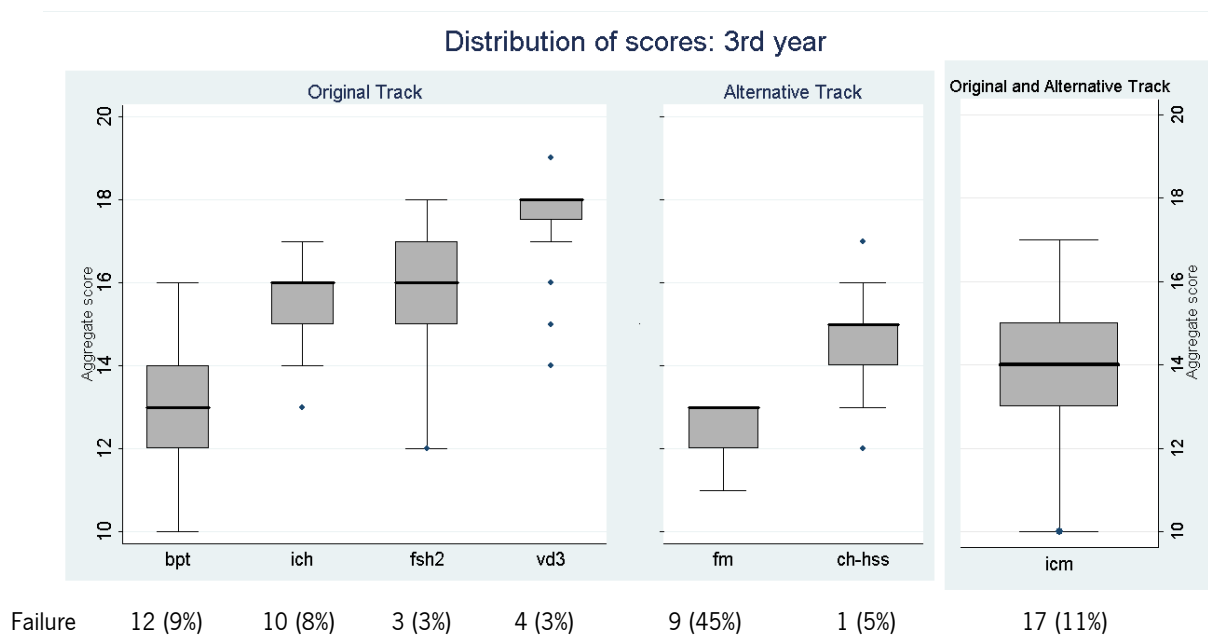
Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	1	1	0	0	1	-	0	0	1	-	0	0
	Strongly disagree	1	0	1	1	1	-	3	1	1	-	1	1
	Disagree	8	5	9	4	5	-	9	4	7	-	6	15
	Unfavorable responses	10	6	10	5	6	-	12	5	9	-	6	16
	Agree	33	39	41	43	38	-	37	43	39	-	38	37
	Strongly agree	38	38	31	28	34	-	38	38	31	-	33	26
	Completely agree	19	15	17	24	15	-	14	14	16	-	23	19
	Favorable responses	90	91	89	95	86	-	88	94	85	-	94	82
	No opinion	0	4	1	0	7	-	0	1	6	-	0	3
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	4	1	5	10	9	-	4	4	7	-	2	11
	Favorable responses	94	97	93	88	80	-	94	93	83	-	96	86
	No opinion	2	2	2	2	11	-	2	3	10	-	2	3

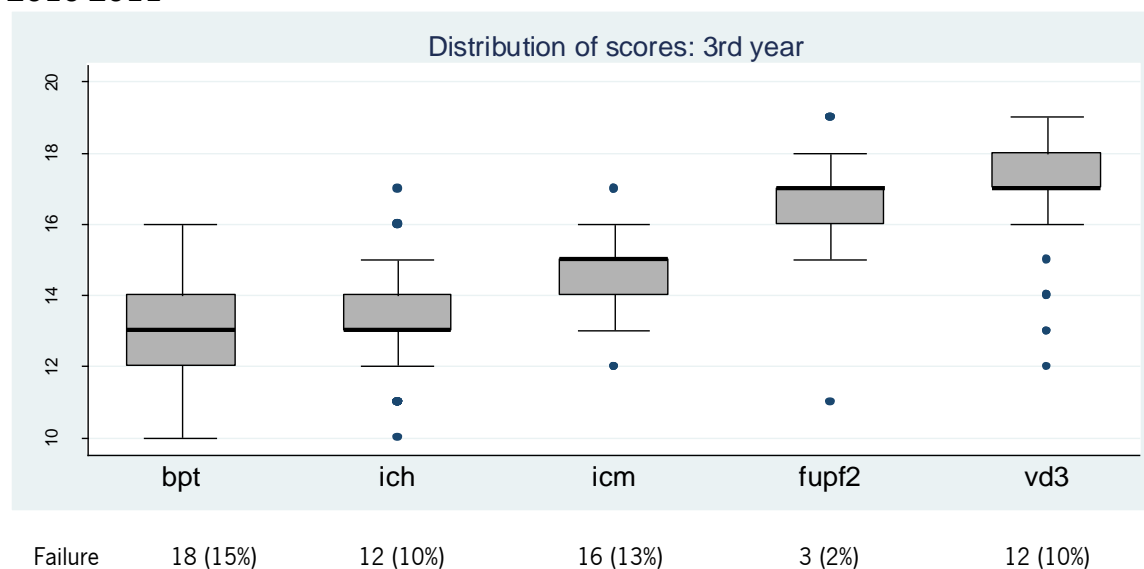
3RD YEAR

Distribution of Student Scores(*)

2011-2012



2010-2011



Legend

BPT – Biopathology and Introduction to Therapeutics
 FSH2 – Family, Society and Health II
 ICH – Introduction to Community Health
 ICM – Introduction to Clinical Medicine
 VD3 – Vertical Domains III
 FM – Foundations of Medicine
 CHHSS - Community Health, Human and Social Sciences

Biopathology and Introduction to Therapeutics

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	1	1	0	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Strongly disagree	0	1	0	6	2	2	3	3	4	2	3	3
	Disagree	2	4	3	28	14	4	14	5	7	5	6	0
	Unfavorable responses	3	6	3	38	17	6	17	8	12	7	9	4
	Agree	38	44	19	43	43	34	50	45	43	35	41	27
	Strongly agree	50	40	40	17	34	37	24	32	31	42	40	39
	Completely agree	10	10	38	3	6	21	6	14	13	16	9	28
	Favorable responses	97	94	97	62	83	92	80	91	87	93	91	93
	No opinion	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	1	1	0	0	4
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	7	15	4	61	27	10	26	13	14	23	28	10
	Favorable responses	92	83	95	39	72	88	71	83	83	74	67	87
	No opinion	1	2	1	1	2	2	3	5	3	3	5	3

Area (method items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2011/2012	Completely disagree	4	4	2	1	2	3	3	1	0	2
	Strongly disagree	5	8	4	1	2	3	4	2	0	5
	Disagree	24	20	24	5	11	6	13	3	6	14
	Unfavorable responses	32	32	29	6	15	11	19	6	6	20
	Agree	39	45	42	36	36	39	24	17	24	39
	Strongly agree	21	18	25	46	37	38	22	36	35	30
	Completely agree	6	3	4	11	11	12	8	19	36	9
	Favorable responses	66	66	71	93	83	88	54	72	94	79
	No opinion	2	2	0	1	2	1	27	22	0	1
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	42	50	48	15	18	12	36	18	54	30
	Favorable responses	54	44	51	84	80	87	50	68	44	69
	No opinion	5	6	1	2	2	1	14	14	2	2

Evaluation of Academic Faculty

Faculty		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Strongly disagree	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Disagree	2	3	5	5	4	5	4	4
	Unfavorable responses	2	3	6	6	5	7	6	5
	Agree	12	14	22	24	23	22	21	20
	Strongly agree	30	29	32	32	32	33	33	36
	Completely agree	49	46	34	31	33	32	34	32
	Favorable responses	92	90	88	87	88	86	88	88
	No opinion	6	7	6	6	7	7	6	6
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	5	5	9	11	10	12	10	10
	Favorable responses	94	92	89	87	87	86	88	87
	No opinion	2	3	2	2	3	2	2	3

Introduction to Community Health

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	2	4	6	1	18	18	2	3	6	9	5
	Strongly disagree	5	6	6	8	6	12	18	14	17	6	14	10
	Disagree	28	28	25	18	17	19	23	26	36	36	35	21
	Unfavorable responses	33	36	35	33	24	49	60	41	56	48	58	36
	Agree	43	45	43	37	46	35	36	44	32	39	31	49
	Strongly agree	19	16	21	23	15	12	3	10	7	8	7	9
	Completely agree	5	3	2	7	3	3	1	3	2	1	1	2
	Favorable responses	67	64	65	67	63	50	39	57	41	48	39	60
	No opinion	0	0	0	0	13	1	1	2	3	5	3	5
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	25	28	25	14	36	36	46	23	43	38	54	26
	Favorable responses	74	69	73	85	63	61	51	76	49	54	40	70
	No opinion	1	3	2	1	1	3	3	1	8	8	5	4

Area (method items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2011/2012	Completely disagree	9	8	2	1	3	4	7	5	0	0
	Strongly disagree	15	14	5	5	6	6	8	5	3	3
	Disagree	13	27	14	33	15	28	25	14	13	14
	Unfavorable responses	37	49	20	38	25	38	41	23	15	17
	Agree	42	35	45	47	45	40	17	25	29	46
	Strongly agree	15	13	22	10	23	18	6	15	37	29
	Completely agree	4	1	14	3	5	3	2	4	18	8
	Favorable responses	61	49	80	60	73	60	25	45	85	83
	No opinion	2	2	0	2	3	2	34	33	0	0
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	39	47	8	32	24	24	40	28	33	42
	Favorable responses	56	46	88	65	71	73	25	33	66	55
	No opinion	5	7	4	3	5	3	35	39	1	2

Evaluation of Academic Faculty

Faculty		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
2011/2012	Completely disagree	1	2	3	3	3	3	3	2
	Strongly disagree	1	1	2	2	1	2	2	1
	Disagree	5	5	8	9	9	9	8	8
	Unfavorable responses	7	8	13	15	13	15	13	11
	Agree	24	22	28	29	32	30	30	29
	Strongly agree	20	18	21	19	16	16	18	20
	Completely agree	20	22	11	11	11	12	11	11
	Favorable responses	64	63	60	59	59	58	59	60
	No opinion	29	29	27	27	28	27	28	29
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	10	15	19	24	24	26	23	24
	Favorable responses	84	78	75	71	70	69	72	69
	No opinion	6	7	5	6	6	5	5	7

Introduction to Clinical Medicine

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	1	1	0	1	6	2	1	1	1	0	0	0
	Strongly disagree	2	4	0	2	8	2	2	1	1	1	1	1
	Disagree	2	16	1	10	18	8	6	1	2	4	5	0
	Unfavorable responses	5	22	1	13	32	12	8	4	4	5	7	1
	Agree	27	37	14	31	32	28	33	30	34	29	29	20
	Strongly agree	51	32	36	34	22	35	39	38	41	40	42	31
	Completely agree	16	7	47	19	7	22	15	25	17	22	20	46
	Favorable responses	94	76	97	84	61	84	88	93	93	91	91	98
	No opinion	2	2	1	2	7	4	4	3	3	4	2	2
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	4	9	1	15	9	7	17	15	13	11	9	3
	Favorable responses	95	91	98	84	85	91	82	84	85	86	89	96
	No opinion	1	1	1	1	6	2	1	1	2	3	3	1

Evaluation of Clinical Tutors/Services

Tutors/Services		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	3	0	0
	Strongly disagree	2	2	2	0	1	2	0	2	2	0
	Disagree	4	2	4	2	5	6	1	6	5	2
	Unfavorable responses	6	3	6	2	8	11	1	11	6	2
	Agree	17	18	15	19	15	17	13	23	13	13
	Strongly agree	27	35	24	24	17	22	24	20	28	22
	Completely agree	50	43	56	55	60	49	62	46	51	63
	Favorable responses	94	97	94	98	92	89	99	89	93	98
	No opinion	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0

Evaluation of Seminars/Speakers

not available

Family, Society and Health II

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	3	2	2	2	3	4	2	2	2	0	1	1
	Strongly disagree	1	2	3	1	3	2	8	4	2	2	4	1
	Disagree	9	8	9	10	12	10	13	7	8	8	13	9
	Unfavorable responses	13	12	14	13	18	16	23	13	12	10	18	11
	Agree	35	36	37	36	39	41	35	35	31	41	43	40
	Strongly agree	30	35	31	35	23	23	24	32	31	33	28	33
	Completely agree	21	15	16	14	13	19	16	19	23	14	9	14
	Favorable responses	85	86	84	85	76	82	75	85	85	88	80	87
	No opinion	2	2	2	2	7	2	2	2	3	2	2	2

Vertical Domains III

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	1	0	0	0	1	-	1	1	1	-	0	0
	Strongly disagree	1	2	2	0	1	-	0	0	1	-	0	1
	Disagree	5	4	6	4	6	-	1	1	3	-	5	6
	Unfavorable responses	6	6	8	4	7	-	2	2	5	-	5	6
	Agree	28	30	32	30	30	-	34	33	31	-	29	35
	Strongly agree	35	35	33	37	29	-	39	35	32	-	36	31
	Completely agree	25	26	22	26	21	-	23	26	25	-	28	25
	Favorable responses	88	91	87	93	80	-	95	95	88	-	93	91
	No opinion	5	4	5	4	13	-	3	4	7	-	3	3
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	13	15	22	17	18	-	16	11	12	-	15	26
	Favorable responses	84	81	77	80	73	-	83	86	77	-	83	70
	No opinion	3	5	1	4	9	-	2	3	11	-	3	4

Foundations of Medicine

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	8	0	31	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0
	Strongly disagree	0	0	0	15	0	0	8	8	15	0	0	0
	Disagree	23	15	8	15	23	0	23	8	8	15	23	8
	Unfavorable responses	23	23	8	62	23	0	38	15	23	15	23	8
	Agree	31	38	31	31	31	23	38	31	31	31	38	23
	Strongly agree	31	23	31	0	31	31	15	38	23	15	23	23
	Completely agree	15	8	31	8	8	38	8	15	15	38	15	46
	Favorable responses	77	69	92	38	69	92	62	85	69	85	77	92
	No opinion	0	8	0	0	8	8	0	0	8	0	0	0

Evaluation of Academic Faculty

Faculty		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	1	1		1	1	1	0
	Strongly disagree	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	1
	Disagree	1	6	5	5	4	5	7	6
	Unfavorable responses	2	7	7	6	5	6	8	7
	Agree	7	14	20	20	18	20	19	19
	Strongly agree	23	21	24	26	23	22	21	22
	Completely agree	66	56	46	44	48	47	47	44
	Favorable responses	96	90	90	90	89	89	87	85
	No opinion	2	3	3	4	6	5	5	8

Community Health, Human and Social Sciences

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	8	0	0	0
	Strongly disagree	0	0	0	0	17	8	0	0	0	0	8	0
	Disagree	0	8	0	25	17	8	42	17	8	8	8	0
	Unfavorable responses	0	8	0	25	33	17	50	17	17	8	17	0
	Agree	58	50	42	42	33	33	25	42	33	33	33	17
	Strongly agree	42	33	25	25	33	50	25	33	17	58	50	50
	Completely agree	0	8	33	8	0	0	0	8	17	0	0	25
	Favorable responses	100	92	100	75	67	83	50	83	67	92	83	92
	No opinion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	0	0	8

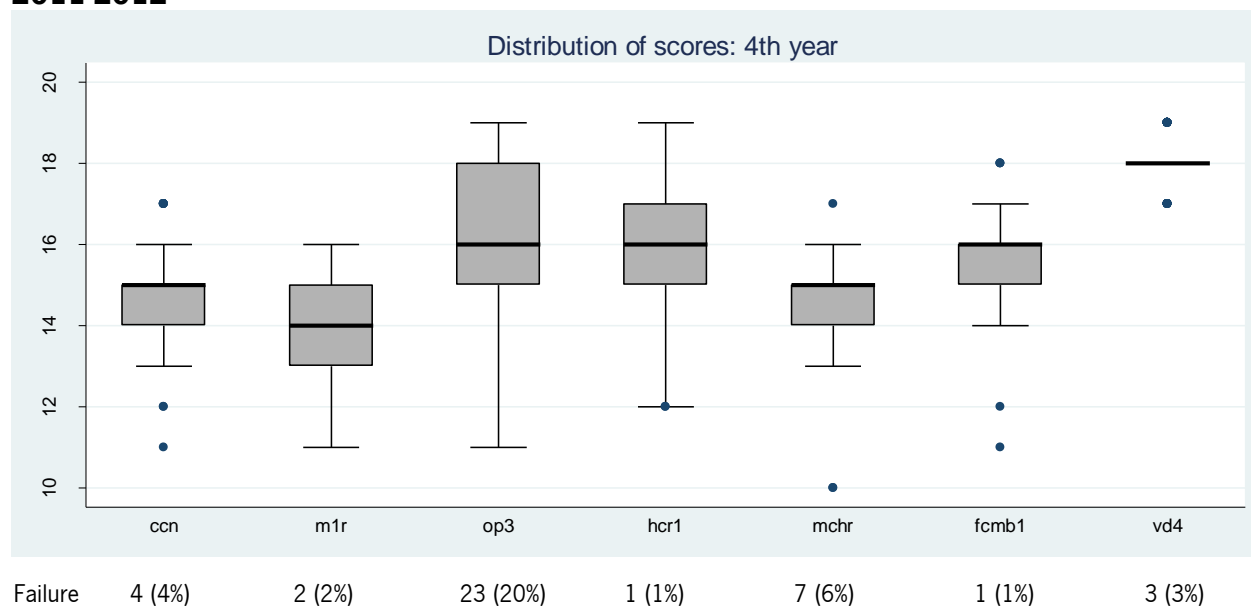
Evaluation of Academic Faculty

Faculty		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Strongly disagree	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Disagree	0	4	2	0	2	2	2	2
	Unfavorable responses	0	4	2	0	2	2	2	2
	Agree	4	13	20	28	13	11	22	19
	Strongly agree	33	33	43	33	37	50	37	35
	Completely agree	61	48	33	35	44	31	35	35
	Favorable responses	98	94	96	96	94	93	94	89
	No opinion	2	2	2	4	4	6	4	9

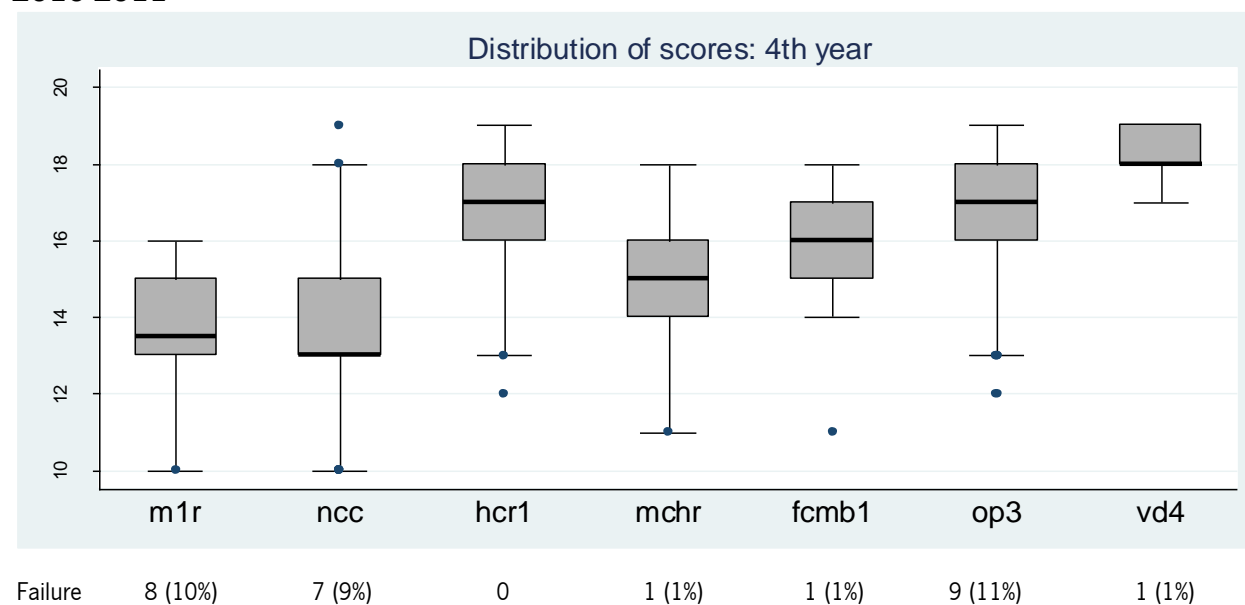
4TH YEAR

Distribution of Student Scores(*)

2011-2012



2010-2011



Legend

CCN – Clinical Neurosciences

M1R – Medicine I Residency

OP3 – Option Project III

HCR1 – Health Centers Residency I

MCHR – Maternal and Child Health Residency

FCMB1 – From Clinical to Molecular Biology I

VD4 – Vertical Domains IV

(*) Output provided by the database of ECS-UM Longitudinal Study.

Medicine I Residency

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	1	0	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Strongly disagree	0	1	0	5	0	0	6	3	0	1	2	1
	Disagree	2	6	2	24	5	9	14	7	2	5	8	1
	Unfavorable responses	2	9	2	32	8	10	20	10	2	7	10	2
	Agree	47	45	28	40	39	58	52	52	43	51	46	34
	Strongly agree	33	35	40	25	26	27	25	33	42	37	34	42
	Completely agree	17	11	30	3	4	3	2	5	11	4	10	22
	Favorable responses	98	91	98	68	69	88	78	90	97	92	89	98
	No opinion	0	0	0	0	24	2	1	0	1	1	1	0
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	7	28	1	53	59	41	42	25	14	40	35	14
	Favorable responses	92	68	97	46	32	58	57	74	80	55	63	86
	No opinion	1	4	1	1	9	1	1	1	5	5	3	0

Evaluation of Clinical Tutors/Services

Tutors/Services		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2011/2012	Completely disagree	2	1	2	1	2	4	0	5	3	0
	Strongly disagree	2	1	3	3	2	3	1	2	3	2
	Disagree	10	4	3	3	8	12	1	8	6	3
	Unfavorable responses	15	7	8	7	12	19	3	14	11	6
	Agree	19	22	19	19	23	22	15	20	20	20
	Strongly agree	26	31	24	26	25	20	24	22	24	29
	Completely agree	38	38	46	44	35	30	52	42	39	44
	Favorable responses	83	91	89	89	83	72	92	83	83	94
	No opinion	2	2	3	4	5	10	6	3	6	1
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	7	6	5	4	9	13	2	11	6	3
	Favorable responses	92	93	93	93	89	82	96	88	86	95
	No opinion	1	1	2	3	2	5	3	1	8	2

Evaluation of Seminars/Speakers

not available

Clinical Neurosciences

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Strongly disagree	0	0	1	2	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
	Disagree	2	8	1	8	13	5	9	8	14	6	7	3
	Unfavorable responses	3	9	3	12	13	7	11	10	15	7	8	4
	Agree	32	31	20	38	48	43	38	39	35	33	36	26
	Strongly agree	41	50	47	36	25	38	40	39	37	47	44	49
	Completely agree	23	8	28	13	8	10	8	9	11	10	11	18
	Favorable responses	96	88	95	87	81	91	87	88	82	89	90	93
	No opinion	1	3	2	2	6	2	3	3	3	4	2	3
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	15	25	6	18	41	24	18	9	16	13	24	10
	Favorable responses	85	75	94	82	55	76	82	89	81	82	72	88
	No opinion	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	2	3	4	4	1

Evaluation of Clinical Tutors/Services

Tutors/Services		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2011/2012	Completely disagree	1	1	1	1	1	2	0	2	1	1
	Strongly disagree	1	3	1	0	1	3	0	4	1	2
	Disagree	11	8	3	3	13	11	2	10	10	2
	Unfavorable responses	13	11	4	4	15	15	2	17	12	5
	Agree	19	18	18	20	18	21	11	16	18	17
	Strongly agree	28	27	21	26	24	22	27	23	24	34
	Completely agree	40	43	54	48	43	34	59	43	43	43
	Favorable responses	87	88	94	94	84	77	96	82	85	95
	No opinion	0	1	2	2	1	8	2	1	3	0
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	15	6	2	8	11	15	4	8	6	6
	Favorable responses	85	94	98	92	89	75	96	92	92	94
	No opinion	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	2	0

Evaluation of Seminars/Speakers

not available

Health Centers Residency I

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	4	6	3	4	4	3	7	4	7	6	13	4
	Strongly disagree	3	4	1	0	6	1	7	3	0	1	4	6
	Disagree	10	10	18	6	10	8	24	15	13	19	25	14
	Unfavorable responses	17	19	22	10	19	13	38	22	19	26	42	24
	Agree	49	49	40	39	32	43	33	47	42	49	39	43
	Strongly agree	25	25	29	33	17	28	25	24	21	17	15	24
	Completely agree	10	6	7	17	7	15	4	4	7	4	3	6
	Favorable responses	83	79	76	89	56	86	63	75	69	69	57	72
	No opinion	0	1	1	1	25	1	0	3	11	4	1	4
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	7	15	12	10	13	19	18	12	12	22	27	14
	Favorable responses	91	84	88	90	74	79	81	87	82	73	68	83
	No opinion	1	1	0	0	13	1	1	1	6	4	5	3

Evaluation of Clinical Tutors/Services

not available

Evaluation of Seminars/Speakers

not available

Maternal and Child Health Residency

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	1	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	3	2	3	1
	Strongly disagree	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	1	2	1	2	2
	Disagree	4	8	6	18	14	5	12	8	19	10	12	8
	Unfavorable responses	6	11	8	22	17	8	16	11	24	13	17	11
	Agree	41	41	31	41	46	41	42	45	40	41	42	37
	Strongly agree	38	39	40	27	24	34	33	32	24	34	30	35
	Completely agree	14	7	20	9	6	15	7	10	8	9	9	13
	Favorable responses	93	88	91	76	76	90	82	87	72	84	81	85
	No opinion	1	1	1	1	7	2	2	2	4	3	3	4
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	1	8	3	16	14	17	15	8	14	14	12	7
	Favorable responses	97	92	96	82	78	83	84	89	84	81	84	89
	No opinion	1	0	1	1	8	0	1	3	3	5	4	4

Evaluation of Clinical Tutors/Services

Tutors/Services		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2011/2012	Completely disagree	4	3	3	3	4	5	1	6	4	2
	Strongly disagree	2	1	2	1	3	2	1	3	1	1
	Disagree	9	6	5	4	9	10	2	6	6	3
	Unfavorable responses	16	10	10	8	16	17	4	15	11	6
	Agree	27	20	16	17	19	19	13	17	18	18
	Strongly agree	25	26	19	23	22	20	25	22	23	26
	Completely agree	29	40	51	47	37	37	52	43	42	47
	Favorable responses	81	86	86	87	78	76	90	82	82	91
	No opinion	3	4	4	4	6	7	6	3	6	3
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	13	15	13	12	16	18	4	17	13	7
	Favorable responses	87	85	87	88	83	81	93	82	83	92
	No opinion	0	0	0	1	1	1	3	1	5	0

Evaluation of Seminars/Speakers

not available

From Clinical to Molecular Biology I

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	17	17	22	12	22	12	17	13	17	12	28	22
	Strongly disagree	5	5	8	5	7	2	3	2	2	0	12	10
	Disagree	17	10	10	3	15	7	8	7	18	10	18	22
	Unfavorable responses	38	32	40	20	43	20	28	22	37	22	58	53
	Agree	38	47	40	35	25	35	38	42	32	35	27	23
	Strongly agree	8	10	12	18	13	23	25	18	8	23	7	10
	Completely agree	8	3	3	22	0	2	5	10	5	7	0	0
	Favorable responses	55	60	55	75	38	60	68	70	45	65	33	33
	No opinion	7	8	5	5	18	20	3	8	18	13	8	13
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	36	33	43	21	29	40	21	30	44	27	51	41
	Favorable responses	62	61	56	78	65	49	76	66	53	67	45	54
	No opinion	1	5	1	1	5	11	3	4	3	7	4	5

Option Projects III

Overall Evaluation

Area		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
2011/2012	Completely disagree	2	2	2	2	10	0	0	0
	Strongly disagree	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Disagree	0	4	4	0	20	0	0	0
	Unfavorable responses	4	6	6	2	29	0	0	0
	Agree	23	25	25	23	27	18	16	25
	Strongly agree	28	30	28	34	16	25	35	27
	Completely agree	36	19	19	30	16	47	39	35
	Favorable responses	87	74	72	87	59	90	90	88
	No opinion	9	21	23	11	12	10	10	12
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	1	5	4	1	28	14	0	6
	Favorable responses	97	77	84	96	69	81	98	91
	No opinion	1	18	12	3	3	5	2	3

Vertical Domains IV

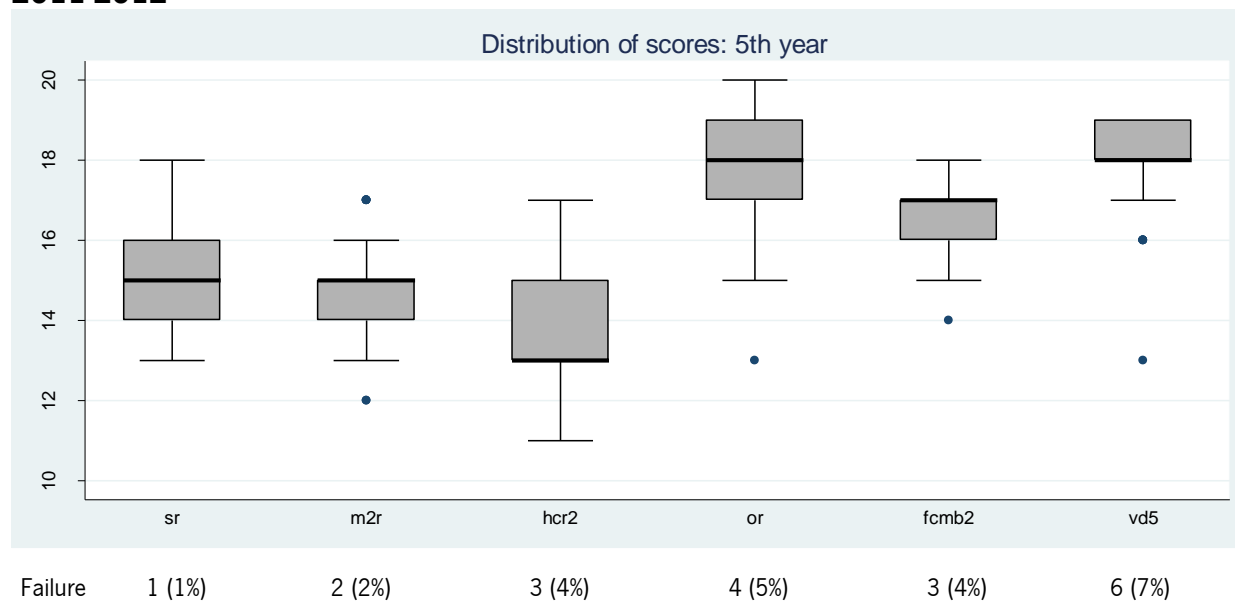
Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	6	2	4	2	2	-	2	2	4	-	6	6
	Strongly disagree	0	4	2	0	2	-	2	0	0	-	0	6
	Disagree	9	9	15	2	8	-	0	0	11	-	6	17
	Unfavorable responses	15	15	21	4	11	-	4	2	15	-	11	28
	Agree	43	40	40	47	53	-	47	45	43	-	42	43
	Strongly agree	15	21	17	25	9	-	23	28	17	-	26	13
	Completely agree	13	4	8	13	6	-	13	11	4	-	8	2
	Favorable responses	72	64	64	85	68	-	83	85	64	-	75	58
	No opinion	13	21	15	11	21	-	13	13	21	-	13	13
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	26	24	25	22	29	-	24	28	21	-	21	36
	Favorable responses	73	73	74	77	61	-	74	68	71	-	77	59
	No opinion	1	3	1	1	9	-	1	4	8	-	1	5

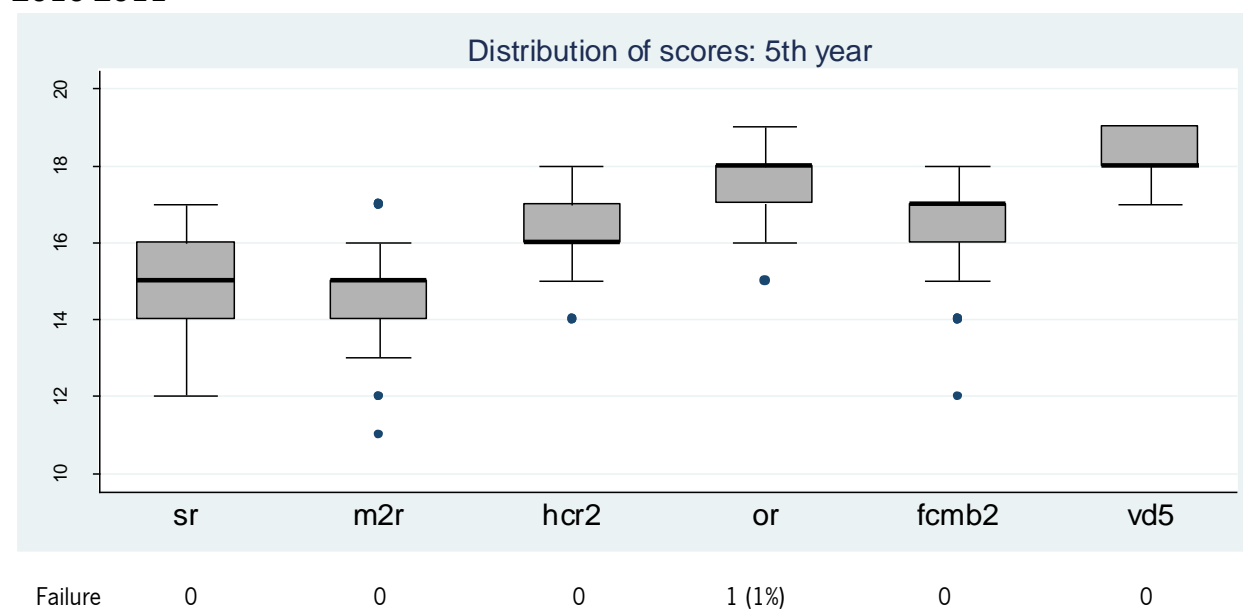
5TH YEAR

Distribution of Student Scores(*)

2011-2012



2010-2011



Legend

SR – Surgery Residency
 M2R – Medicine II Residency
 HCR2 – Health Centers Residency II
 OR – Optional Residencies
 FCMB2 – From Clinical to Molecular Biology II
 VD5 – Vertical Domains V

(*) Output provided by the database of ECS-UM Longitudinal Study.

Surgery Residency

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0
	Strongly disagree	0	0	0	0	5	6	2	2	5	0	0	0
	Disagree	0	5	3	19	9	5	14	8	8	16	8	2
	Unfavorable responses	0	5	3	19	14	11	16	9	13	17	9	2
	Agree	29	33	26	27	35	40	36	37	33	31	31	32
	Strongly agree	48	44	38	25	32	34	31	37	38	30	34	42
	Completely agree	20	14	29	25	11	11	14	14	14	14	17	19
	Favorable responses	97	91	94	78	78	85	81	88	84	75	83	94
	No opinion	3	5	3	3	8	5	3	3	3	8	8	5
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	2	6	2	4	19	8	19	8	8	6	10	6
	Favorable responses	98	94	98	96	72	91	79	81	81	88	87	92
	No opinion	0	0	0	0	9	2	2	11	11	6	4	2

Evaluation of Clinical Tutors/Services

Tutors/Services		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2011/2012	Completely disagree	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
	Strongly disagree	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	2	1	1
	Disagree	5	3	3	3	5	5	3	6	5	4
	Unfavorable responses	9	6	6	5	7	8	6	9	8	7
	Agree	16	15	15	15	15	16	13	13	11	12
	Strongly agree	30	31	27	30	30	30	29	28	29	34
	Completely agree	44	46	48	46	44	42	50	46	45	44
	Favorable responses	89	92	91	91	89	88	91	87	85	90
	No opinion	2	2	4	3	3	3	3	3	6	4
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	7	4	4	3	9	8	1	6	4	3
	Favorable responses	93	96	96	97	91	91	99	94	95	97
	No opinion	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	0

Evaluation of Seminars/Speakers

not available

Medicine II Residency

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
	Strongly disagree	0	0	0	3	4	6	9	0	1	4	0	1
	Disagree	3	10	3	25	15	12	15	12	9	15	18	3
	Unfavorable responses	3	10	3	28	19	19	25	12	12	19	18	4
	Agree	28	38	25	35	44	41	37	38	32	37	43	38
	Strongly agree	43	37	50	21	21	26	28	35	41	26	24	38
	Completely agree	25	13	21	15	9	9	9	12	13	7	9	15
	Favorable responses	96	88	96	71	74	76	74	85	87	71	75	91
	No opinion	1	1	1	1	7	4	1	3	1	10	7	4
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	2	2	2	20	10	12	8	4	10	10	4	0
	Favorable responses	98	98	98	78	76	78	88	92	82	82	92	100
	No opinion	0	0	0	2	14	10	4	4	8	8	4	0

Evaluation of Clinical Tutors/Services

Tutors/Services		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2011/2012	Completely disagree	3	1	2	1	1	2	1	2	1	3
	Strongly disagree	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3
	Disagree	5	4	2	3	5	8	1	7	4	4
	Unfavorable responses	10	7	5	6	8	12	4	11	8	10
	Agree	18	22	19	23	20	21	17	19	20	21
	Strongly agree	32	31	31	31	32	28	32	28	28	31
	Completely agree	39	39	43	39	39	36	45	39	38	37
	Favorable responses	89	92	94	93	91	85	94	87	86	88
	No opinion	2	1	1	1	1	3	2	2	6	2
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	15	6	7	8	13	17	4	12	10	10
	Favorable responses	83	93	92	90	83	77	93	87	87	89
	No opinion	1	1	1	1	3	7	3	1	3	1

Evaluation of Seminars/Speakers

not available

Health Centers Residency II

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	10	10	5	10	27	13	16	13	8	16	21	10
	Strongly disagree	6	16	10	3	22	8	13	13	10	13	8	6
	Disagree	13	38	6	11	32	22	32	22	8	19	25	14
	Unfavorable responses	29	63	21	24	81	43	60	48	25	48	54	30
	Agree	41	21	35	41	8	37	22	29	38	32	24	41
	Strongly agree	22	10	29	25	5	11	11	13	21	8	10	10
	Completely agree	8	6	14	10	5	10	6	8	13	8	8	16
	Favorable responses	71	37	78	76	17	57	40	49	71	48	41	67
	No opinion	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	3	3	5	5	3
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	14	27	9	4	22	20	35	14	12	18	22	12
	Favorable responses	82	67	85	90	55	71	61	76	80	71	69	84
	No opinion	4	6	6	6	22	8	4	10	8	10	8	4

Evaluation of Clinical Tutors/Services

Tutors/Services		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	2	0	2	2	4	0	0	0	2
	Strongly disagree	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
	Disagree	2	4	2	0	4	2	0	2	4	2
	Unfavorable responses	4	6	2	2	6	6	0	2	4	6
	Agree	8	20	14	22	12	20	24	16	20	12
	Strongly agree	20	22	26	22	24	14	20	20	18	20
	Completely agree	66	50	56	51	55	57	53	60	52	57
	Favorable responses	94	92	96	96	92	92	98	96	90	90
	No opinion	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	6	4
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	13	16	16	17	12	16	8	16	14	13
	Favorable responses	86	84	84	81	70	73	86	84	83	85
	No opinion	1	0	0	2	18	11	7	0	2	1

Evaluation of Seminars/Speakers

not available

Optional Residencies

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Strongly disagree	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Disagree	2	2	4	2	4	2
	Unfavorable responses	2	2	4	2	4	2
	Agree	17	15	15	28	15	18
	Strongly agree	36	38	35	30	26	24
	Completely agree	43	43	39	38	50	53
	Favorable responses	96	96	89	96	91	96
	No opinion	2	2	7	2	4	2

From Clinical to Molecular Biology II

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	3	5	6	5	6	2	3	3	3	2	6	6
	Strongly disagree	5	8	8	3	11	11	8	5	8	6	13	8
	Disagree	16	18	19	15	16	16	15	16	16	23	31	24
	Unfavorable responses	24	31	34	23	34	29	26	24	27	31	50	39
	Agree	47	44	40	37	39	44	48	45	44	44	34	37
	Strongly agree	18	18	18	24	15	18	21	19	18	11	8	13
	Completely agree	11	8	8	16	6	8	5	8	8	6	3	5
	Favorable responses	76	69	66	77	60	69	74	73	69	61	45	55
	No opinion	0	0	0	0	6	2	0	3	3	8	5	6
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	47	51	58	29	52	44	52	29	33	46	73	63
	Favorable responses	51	43	35	65	27	38	42	56	52	40	25	33
	No opinion	2	6	6	6	21	19	6	15	15	15	2	4

Vertical Domains V

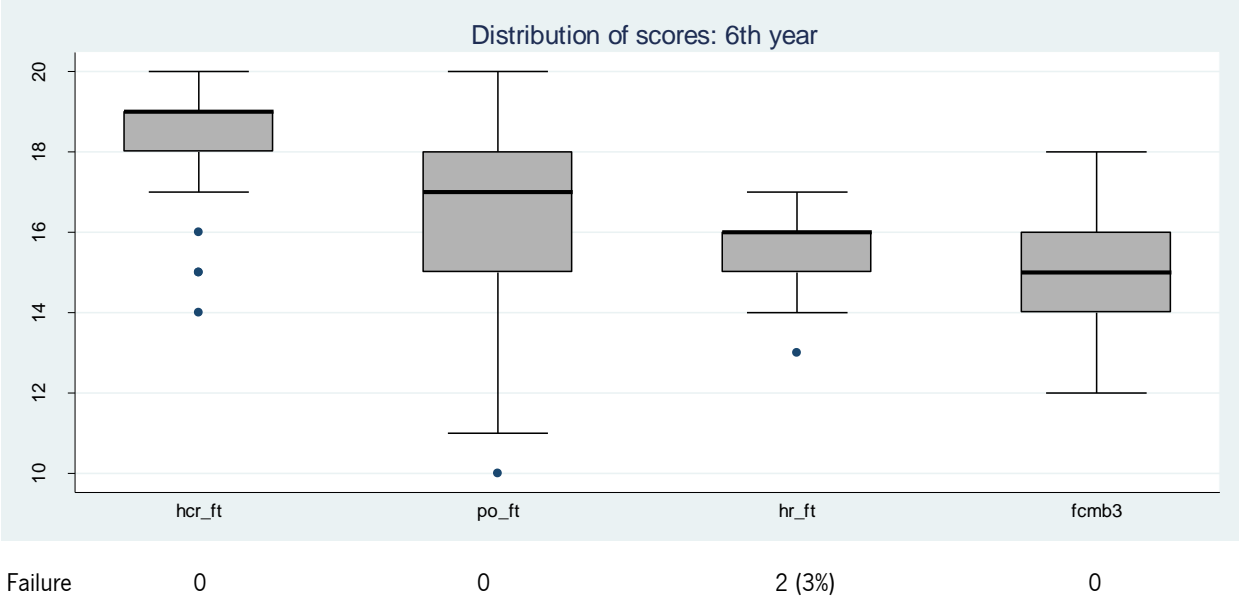
Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	0	2	5	2	-	5	2	2	-	2	7
	Strongly disagree	5	7	5	2	7	-	5	7	0	-	2	2
	Disagree	0	7	2	2	2	-	5	2	5	-	2	9
	Unfavorable responses	5	14	9	10	12	-	14	12	7	-	7	19
	Agree	35	26	37	24	28	-	35	31	32	-	30	26
	Strongly agree	40	40	33	37	30	-	35	33	29	-	33	37
	Completely agree	19	17	19	27	23	-	14	19	24	-	28	14
	Favorable responses	93	83	88	88	81	-	84	83	85	-	91	77
	No opinion	2	2	2	2	7	-	2	5	7	-	2	5
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	24	24	24	20	33	-	24	14	18	-	20	27
	Favorable responses	75	73	70	76	43	-	73	82	63	-	76	67
	No opinion	2	4	6	4	24	-	4	4	20	-	4	6

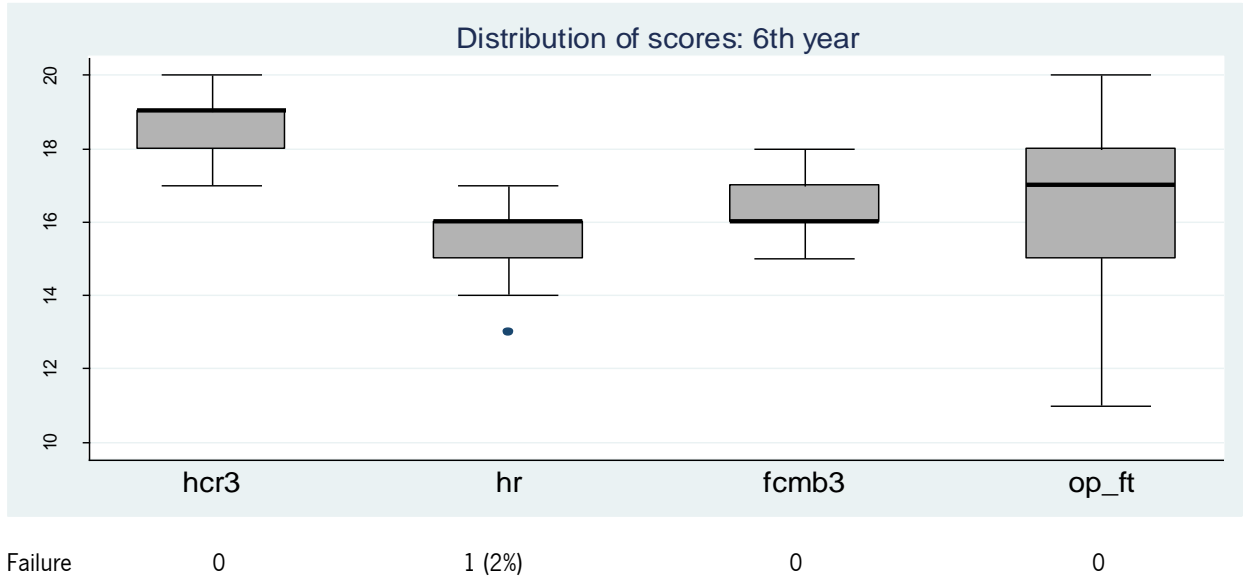
6TH YEAR

Distribution of Student Scores(*)

2011-2012



2010-2011



Legend
HCR_FT – Health Centers Residency - Final Training
PO_FT – Option Projects - Final Training
HR_FT – Hospital Residencies - Final Training
FCMB3 – From Clinical to Molecular Biology III

(*) Output provided by the database of ECS-UM Longitudinal Study.

Health Centers Residency – Final Training

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
	Strongly disagree	0	5	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	2	2	2
	Disagree	2	2	2	2	14	7	5	5	0	0	5	5
	Unfavorable responses	2	7	2	2	18	7	7	5	0	5	7	7
	Agree	18	20	9	11	14	25	23	25	20	23	11	11
	Strongly agree	32	41	43	41	39	30	43	34	41	39	45	41
	Completely agree	45	27	43	39	27	34	20	27	36	20	34	39
	Favorable responses	95	89	95	91	80	89	86	86	98	82	91	91
	No opinion	2	5	2	7	2	5	7	9	2	14	2	2
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	6	10	4	4	9	6	8	8	4	8	6	4
	Favorable responses	94	90	96	96	85	92	88	88	94	88	90	91
	No opinion	0	0	0	0	6	2	4	4	2	4	4	4

Evaluation of Clinical Tutors/Services

Tutors/Services		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2011/2012	Completely disagree	5	2	2	0	5	2	0	2	2	2
	Strongly disagree	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Disagree	2	2	2	5	0	0	2	7	5	2
	Unfavorable responses	7	5	5	7	5	2	2	9	7	5
	Agree	7	5	2	5	5	9	2	5	7	0
	Strongly agree	26	30	28	28	28	28	28	23	21	23
	Completely agree	60	60	65	60	63	60	63	63	65	72
	Favorable responses	93	95	95	93	95	98	93	91	93	95
	No opinion	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Favorable responses	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	98	100
	No opinion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0

Hospital Residencies - Final Training

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Strongly disagree	0	0	0	3	3	0	3	3	0	0	0	0
	Disagree	3	13	0	0	9	6	19	3	0	0	6	0
	Unfavorable responses	3	13	0	3	16	9	22	6	0	0	6	0
	Agree	19	25	16	28	34	41	47	31	22	38	19	19
	Strongly agree	34	41	41	25	25	22	16	25	31	16	38	25
	Completely agree	44	22	44	44	19	25	13	31	47	22	31	53
	Favorable responses	97	88	100	97	78	88	75	88	100	75	88	97
	No opinion	0	0	0	0	6	3	3	6	0	25	6	3
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	5	11	0	5	11	8	8	0	0	11	3	3
	Favorable responses	95	89	100	95	82	89	89	97	100	82	97	97
	No opinion	0	0	0	0	8	3	3	3	0	8	0	0

Evaluation of Clinical Tutors/Services

Tutors/Services		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	2	1	0	2	2	0	3	0	1
	Strongly disagree	2	3	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	1
	Disagree	6	5	4	5	6	10	4	9	6	4
	Unfavorable responses	9	10	5	5	8	12	4	15	6	7
	Agree	18	20	17	15	19	18	13	17	20	18
	Strongly agree	23	27	23	27	24	25	25	23	24	28
	Completely agree	50	44	51	47	44	39	51	45	44	46
	Favorable responses	91	90	91	89	87	82	89	84	88	93
	No opinion	0	0	4	5	5	6	6	1	6	0
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	18	6	3	3	9	12	3	9	3	3
	Favorable responses	82	94	94	97	91	85	97	91	94	97
	No opinion	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	0	3	0

Evaluation of Seminars/Speakers

not available

From Clinical to Molecular Biology III

Overall Evaluation

Area (nuclear items)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2011/2012	Completely disagree	19	13	27	13	29	10	13	13	13	8	44	33
	Strongly disagree	13	21	19	8	13	6	6	6	13	6	10	21
	Disagree	15	31	17	21	27	15	19	2	15	8	29	21
	Unfavorable responses	46	65	63	42	69	31	38	21	40	23	83	75
	Agree	25	23	27	35	19	40	44	35	29	44	17	19
	Strongly disagree	15	4	10	8	6	4	6	15	10	21	0	4
	Completely agree	15	4	0	13	0	10	6	23	6	4	0	0
	Favorable responses	54	31	38	56	25	54	56	73	46	69	17	23
	No opinion	0	4	0	2	6	15	6	6	15	8	0	2
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	41	41	54	51	41	41	31	38	34	33	54	49
	Favorable responses	59	59	46	49	59	56	69	54	61	67	46	51
	No opinion	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	8	5	0	0	0

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Overall Evaluation

Area		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
2011/2012	Completely disagree	0	2	5	0	40	5	0	0
	Strongly disagree	2	0	0	0	21	5	0	5
	Disagree	2	10	10	2	2	24	0	7
	Unfavorable responses	5	12	14	2	64	34	0	12
	Agree	10	12	17	24	10	17	20	24
	Strongly agree	43	37	36	24	12	20	43	32
	Completely agree	43	29	26	50	14	24	38	29
	Favorable responses	95	78	79	98	36	61	100	85
	No opinion	0	10	7	0	0	5	0	2
2010/2011	Unfavorable responses	0	0	2	9	48	31	4	9
	Favorable responses	100	92	92	89	50	65	94	89
	No opinion	0	8	6	2	2	4	2	2

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PURPOSE

This document presents a socio-demographic descriptive analysis of the students registered in the Medical degree of the School of Health Sciences of University of Minho. The document compares the new class of 2011/2012 incoming students with all students from previous years, offering a perspective on the evolution of the sociodemography of Minho's students. The data were collected by Medical Education Unit at the moment of students' admission, as part of the Longitudinal Study of the School of Health Sciences.

ORGANIZATION

The document presents tables with descriptive statistics (number and percentage) for individual socio-demographic variables. The tables also present the numbers and sampling rates for individual classes, and for the total sample, in the columns shaded in gray (Sampling). Rates below 100% reflect the existence of "missing values" in the longitudinal study data.

Table 1 shows the total numbers to consider (for students with valid license plate) in the calculation of the percentage of collection of variables (excluding Table 2 and Table 3).

In order to compare students who entered medical school in the academic year 2011/2012 with all students who entered the school years earlier, and since no significant differences were found between the various classes¹, students a single group was formed with students who entered medical school between the academic years 2001/2002 and 2010/2011.

This document presents descriptive statistics for the original track and the alternative track².

Used abbreviations:

SHS/UM – School of Health Sciences of University of Minho

NAP – National Admission Process

SAR – Special Admission Regimes

SAP – Special Admission Process

GPA – Grade Point Average

¹ See document "MASTER in Medicine: STUDENTS ADMITTED/REGISTERED: DESCRIPTION: JUNE\2011

² Starting 2011/2012 years 1, 2 and 3 of the Medical degree of the School of Health Sciences (corresponding to the degree in Basic Sciences of the Medicine) are organized in 2 distinct Study Plans: (1) Original Track: for students who had not been admitted to the track of Medicine through the Graduate Entry Process to the track of Medicine for graduates; (2) Alternative Track: for the students who had been admitted to the track of Medicine the Special Admission Process to the track of Medicine for graduates (Decreto-Lei n.º 40/2007 de 20 de Fevereiro).

Table 1: Reference numbers for sampling

TRACK	Forms of Admission	Admission academic years		
		2001/2011	2011/2012	Total
Original	NAP: general contingent	702	110	812
	NAP: islands contingent	49	6	55
	NAP: handicapped contingent	16	2	18
	NAP: emigrants contingent	17	2	19
	NAP: military contingent	3	1	4
	Total National admission process	787	121	908
	SAR: athletes	14	0	14
	SAR: diplomats	2	0	2
	SAR: Portuguese Speaking African Countries	1	2	3
	SAR: Timor	0	1	1
	SAP: graduates	26	0	26
	Transfers	5	1*	5
	Extraordinary Legislation	2	0	2
	Total of other processes of admission	50	4	54
	Total	837	124	961
Alternative	SAP: graduates	**	20	20

* Contingent "Readmission", is included in the group of students 2001/2010; ** Non-existent track until 2011/2012.

RESULTS

A. ORIGINAL AND ALTERNATIVE

A.1. ADMITTED STUDENTS

Table 2: Admitted students: registrations

	Academic Year of Admission					
	2001/2011		2011/2012		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Did not register	4	0,5%	1	0,7%	5	0,5%
Registered but applied for transfer during the 1st year	5	0,5%	0	0%	5	0,5%
Registered but changed degrees in another phase of the NAP	7	0,8%	0	0%	7	0,7%
Registered but canceled registration	2	0,2%	0	0%	2	0,3%
Total of invalid registrations	18	2%	1	0,7%	19	2%
Total of valid registrations	837	98%	145*	99,3%	982	98%
Sampling	855	100%	146	100%	1001	100%

* Includes Readmission 2011/2012

A.2. REGISTERED STUDENTS

Table 3: Admission Process

	Academic Year of Admission					
	2001/2011		2011/2012		Total	
	N	%	N	%	%	N
NAP: general contingent	702	84%	110	76%	812	83%
NAP: islands contingent	49	6%	6	4%	55	6%
NAP: handicapped contingent	16	2%	2	1%	18	2%
NAP: emigrants contingent	17	2%	2	1%	19	2%
NAP: military contingent	3	0%	1	1%	4	0%
Total National Admission Process	787	94%	121	84%	908	93%
SAR: athletes	14	2%	0	0%	14	1%
SAR: diplomats	2	0%	0	0%	2	0%
SAR: Portuguese Speaking African Countries	1	0%	2	1%	3	0%
SAR: Timor	0	0%	1	1%	1	0%
SAP: graduates	26	3%	20	14%	46	5%
Transfers	5	1%	1*	0%	6*	1%
Extraordinary legislation	2	0%	0	0%	2	0%
Total of other processes of admission	50	6%	24	16%	74	7%
Sampling	837	100%	145*	100%	982*	100%

* Includes Readmission 2011/2012

B. ORIGINAL TRACK

B.1. NATIONAL ADMISSION PROCESS

Table 4: Students' option for SHS/UM: all contingents (The SHS/UM was my # option)

Academic Year of Admission	1st option		2nd option		3rd option		Other option		Sampling	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
2001/2011	560	71%	88	11%	121	15%	18	2%	787	100%
2011/2012	74	61%	12	10%	33	27%	2	2%	121	100%
Total	634	70%	100	11%	154	17%	20	2%	908	100%

Table 5: Students' option for SHS/UM: general contingent (The SHS/UM was my # option)

Academic Year of Admission	1st option		2nd option		3rd option		Other option		Sampling	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
2001/2011	518	74%	65	9%	115	16%	4	1%	702	100%
2011/2012	69	63%	8	7%	33	30%	0	0%	110	100%
Total	587	72%	73	9%	148	18%	4	0%	812	100%

Figure 1: Students' option for SHS/UM: all contingents: 2001 to 2011

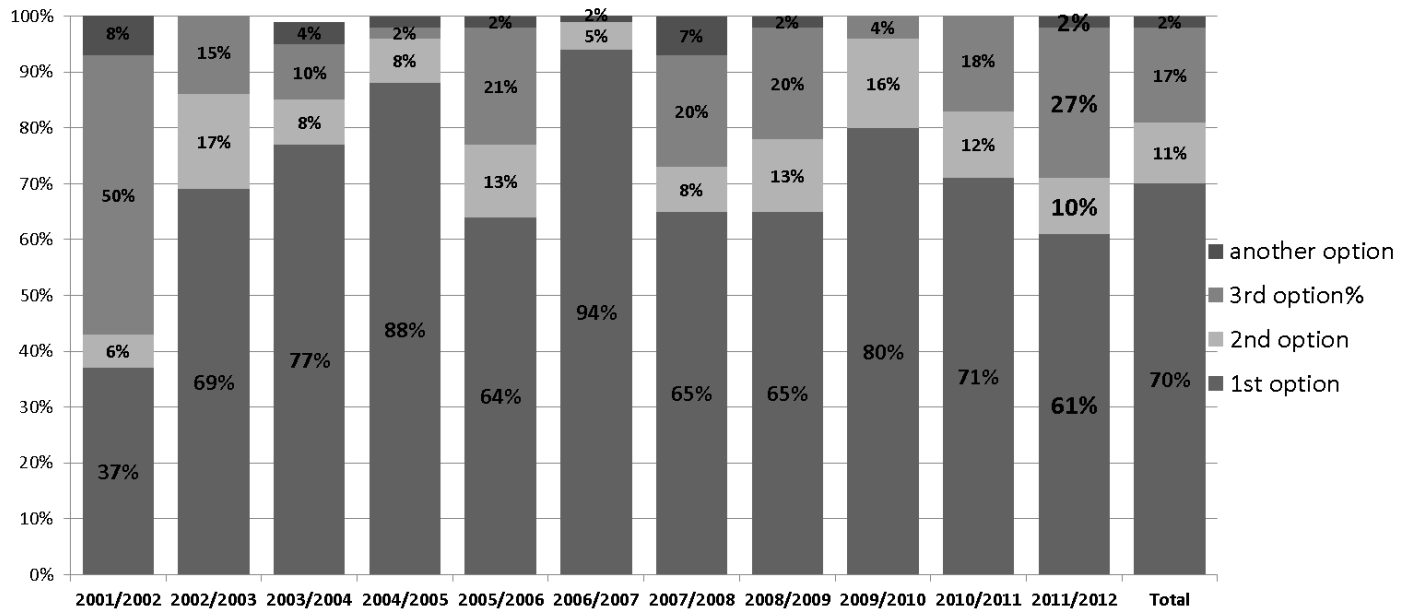


Figure 2: Students' option for SHS/UM: general contingent: 2001 to 2011

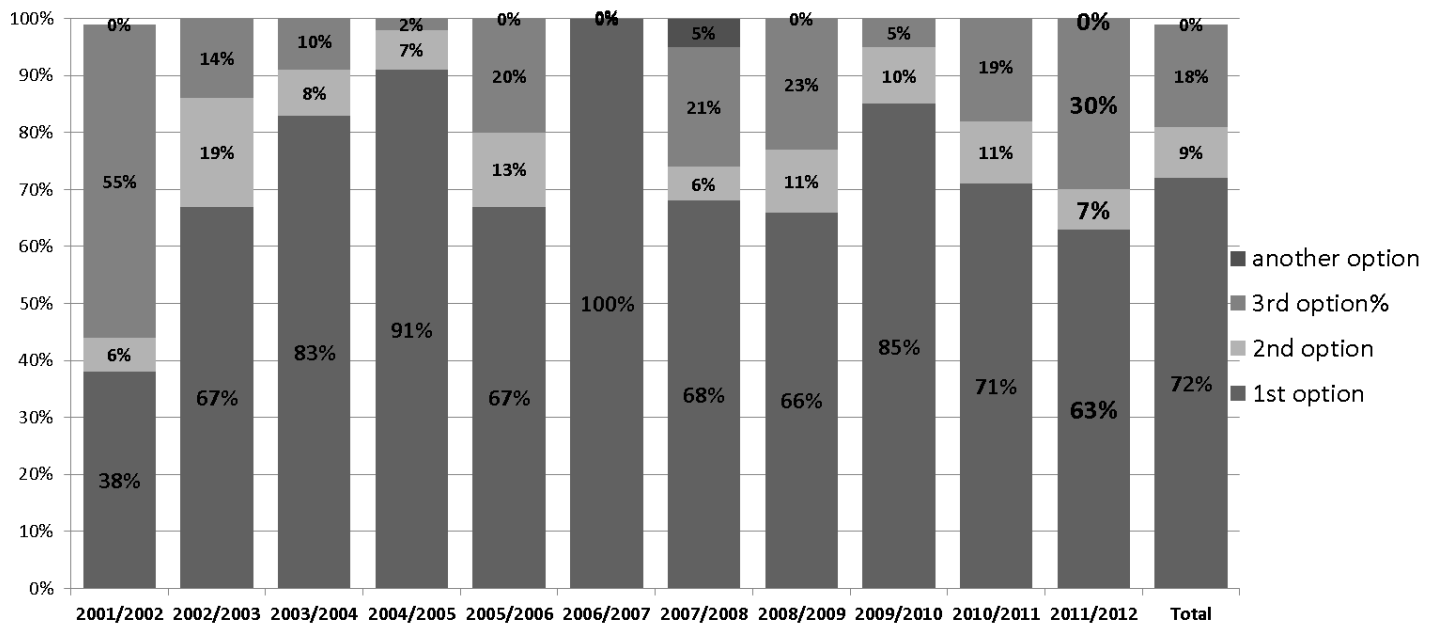


Table 6: Grade point average: all contingents

Academic Year of Admission	Mean	Standard deviation	Minimum	Maximum	Sampling	
					N	%
2001/2011	183,73	8,59	140,20	197,30	787	100%
2011/2012	184,91	6,28	156,30	194,70	121	100%
Total	183,88	8,32	140,20	197,30	908	100%

Table 7: Grade point average: general contingent

Academic Year of Admission	Mean	Standard deviation	Minimum	Maximum	Sampling	
					N	%
2001/2011	186,20	3,30	181,00	197,30	702	100%
2011/2012	186,66	2,20	184,50	194,70	110	100%
Total	186,27	3,18	181,00	197,30	812	100%

Figure 3: Grade point average: general contingent vs other contingents

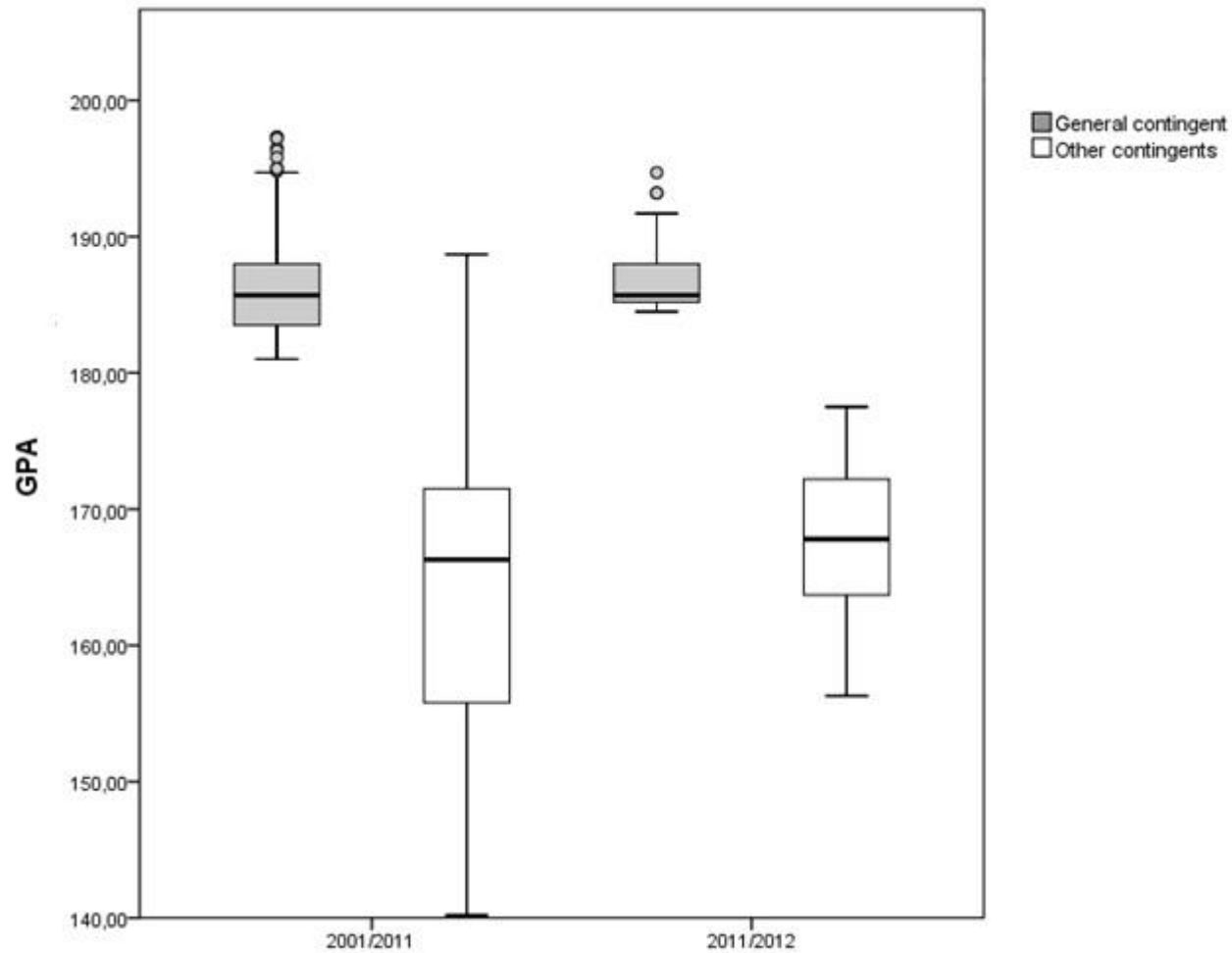


Table 8: Type of secondary school where the student completed the 12th year: all contingents

Academic Year of Admission	public		private		Sampling	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
2001/2011	331	73%	120	27%	451	57%
2011/2012	67	57%	50	43%	117	97%
Total	398	70%	170	30%	568	63%

Table 9: Type of secondary school where the student completed the 12th year: general contingent

Academic Year of Admission	public		private		Sampling	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
2001/2011	300	74%	106	26%	406	58%
2011/2012	60	56%	47	44%	107	97%
Total	360	70%	153	30%	513	63%

B.2. ALL ADMISSION PROCESSES: REGISTERED STUDENTS

Table 10: Students' Gender

Academic Year of Admission	female		male		Sampling	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
2001/2011	547	65%	290	35%	837	100%
2011/2012	82	66%	42	34%	124	100%
Total	629	65%	332	35%	961	100%

Table 11: Students' age

	Academic Year of Admission																	
	2001/2011						2011/2012						Total					
	N	%	M	DP	Min	Max	N	%	M	DP	Min	Max	N	%	M	DP	Min	Max
NAP	782	94%	18,28	1,22	16,00	35,00	118	98%	18,01	,79	16,00	22,00	900	94%	18,28	1,22	16,00	35,00
SAR	17	2%	18,00	,87	17,00	21,00	3	2%	18,67	,58	18,00	19,00	20	2%	18,00	,87	17,00	21,00
SAP: graduated	24	3%	28,08	3,23	24,00	40,00	0	-	-	-	-	-	24	3%	28,08	3,23	24,00	40,00
Transfers	5	1%	25,00	4,18	20,00	29,00	0	-	-	-	-	-	5	1%	25,00	4,18	20,00	29,00
Extraordinary legislation	2	0%	18,00	,00	18,00	18,00	0	-	-	-	-	-	2	0%	18,00	,00	18,00	18,00
Sampling	830	99%	18,60	2,18	16,00	40,00	121	98%	18,02	,79	16,00	22,00	951	99%	18,60	2,18	16,00	40,00

Table 12: Students' nationality

	Academic Year of Admission					
	2001/2011		2011/2012		Total	
	N	%	N	%	%	N
Canadian	4	1%	0	0%	4	0%
French	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Brazilian	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
American	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Russian	1	0%	0	0%	1	0%
Cape Verdean	1	0%	1	1%	2	0%
Timorese	0	0%	1	1%	1	0%
Santomean	0	0%	1	1%	1	0%
Venezuelan	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
All other Nationalities	6	1%	3	2%	9	1%
Portuguese	683	99%	119	98%	802	99%
Sampling	689	82%	122	98%	811	84%

Table 13: District of origin

Academic Year of Admission	Braga		Porto		Others		Sampling	
	N	%	N	%		N	%	N
2001/2011	506	61%	155	19%	174	21%	835	99%
2011/2012	70	57%	32	26%	20	17%	122	98%
Total	576	60%	187	20%	194	20%	956	99%

Table 14: Students' admission: moving away from the family home (Coming to the SHS/UM meant I had to leave the family home)

Academic Year of Admission	no		yes		Sampling	
	N	%	N		N	%
2001/2011	406	51%	384	49%	790	94%
2011/2012	60	52%	56	48%	116	94%
Total	466	51%	440	49%	906	94%

Table 15: Students' registration in higher education: 1st time

Academic Year of Admission	no		yes		Sampling	
	N	%	N		N	%
2001/2011	251	31%	567	69%	818	98%
2011/2012	21	17%	100	83%	121	98%
Total	272	29%	667	71%	939	98%

Table 16: Factors that influenced students' decision to choose the medical degree (1st factor to 4th factor)

		Academic Year of Admission					
		2001/2011		2011/2012		Total	
		N	%	N	%	%	N
To have the required classifications	1st factor	48	6%	7	6%	55	6%
	Total	437	52%	95	77%	532	55%
The track match my educational/ professional/vocational interests	1st factor	674	81%	102	82%	776	81%
	Total	777	93%	118	95%	895	93%
Family tradition	1st factor	14	2%	1	1%	15	2%
	Total	67	8%	11	9%	78	8%
Friends influence	1st factor	17	2%	1	1%	18	2%
	Total	230	27%	28	23%	258	27%
Parents and/or relatives influence	1st factor	14	2%	6	5%	20	2%
	Total	452	54%	92	74%	544	57%
Former or actual students information	1st factor	10	1%	1	1%	11	1%
	Total	273	33%	65	52%	338	35%
Dissatisfaction with the previous/current professional activity	1st factor	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
	Total	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Aspiration for a stable professional future	1st factor	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
	Total	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Other	1st factor	48	6%	7	6%	55	6%
	Total	437	52%	95	77%	532	55%
Sampling		817	98%	122	99%	939	98%

Total: total of students who check this option as 1st, 2nd, 3rd or 4th factor

Table 17: Factors that influenced students' decision to choose SHS/UM (1st factor to 4th factor)

		Academic Year of Admission					
		2001/2011		2011/2012		Total	
		N	%	N	%	%	N
Geographical proximity	1st factor	338	40%	68	55%	406	42%
	Total	656	78%	102	82%	758	79%
Geographical proximity of relatives	1st factor	19	2%	2	2%	21	2%
	Total	65	8%	11	9%	76	8%
Economic resources owned	1st factor	30	4%	1	1%	31	3%
	Total	140	17%	17	14%	157	16%
Grade point average in the previous year	1st factor	38	5%	6	5%	44	5%
	Total	163	19%	25	20%	188	20%
Extracurricular academic life	1st factor	28	3%	0	0%	28	3%
	Total	134	16%	9	7%	143	15%
Quality of learning/teaching process	1st factor	208	25%	21	17%	229	24%
	Total	576	69%	84	68%	660	69%
Prestige of the degree	1st factor	72	9%	11	9%	83	9%
	Total	380	45%	83	67%	463	48%
I liked the curriculum of the degree	1st factor	68	8%	2	2%	70	7%
	Total	295	35%	26	21%	321	33%
I liked the learning/teaching methods	1st factor	80	10%	8	6%	88	9%
	Total	326	39%	41	33%	367	38%
Friends influence	1st factor	16	2%	0	0%	16	2%
	Total	114	14%	13	10%	127	13%
Parents and/or relatives influence	1st factor	29	3%	0	0%	29	3%
	Total	197	24%	27	22%	224	23%
Former or actual students information	1st factor	14	2%	0	0%	14	1%
	Total	121	14%	17	14%	138	14%
Method of selection	1st factor	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
	Total	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Track duration	1st factor	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
	Total	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Other	1st factor	15	2%	2	2%	17	2%
	Total	30	4%	2	2%	32	3%
Sampling		817	98%	122	99%	939	98%

Total: total of students who check this option as 1st, 2nd, 3rd or 4th factor

Table 18: The student says he is familiar with the SHS/UM medical curriculum

Academic Year of Admission	no		yes		Sampling	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
2001/2011	299	38%	491	62%	790	94%
2011/2012	48	40%	73	60%	121	98%
Total	347	38%	564	62%	911	95%

Table 19: Next academic year: the student intends to stay in the medical degree

Academic Year of Admission	no		yes		Sampling	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
2001/2011	7	1%	777	99%	784	94%
2011/2012	1	1%	120	99%	121	98%
Total	8	1%	897	99%	905	94%

Table 20: Next academic year: the student intends to stay in the same university

Academic Year of Admission	no		yes		Sampling	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
2001/2011	21	3%	750	97%	771	92%
2011/2012	10	8%	108	92%	118	95%
Total	31	3%	858	97%	889	93%

Table 21: Difficulties/problems anticipated by students

	Academic Year of Admission					
	2001/2011		2011/2012		Total	
	N	%	N	%	%	N
Difficulties/problems: economic	148	18%	23	19%	171	18%
Difficulties/problems: learning / performance	246	29%	37	30%	283	29%
Difficulties/problems: time management	636	76%	92	74%	728	76%
Difficulties/problems: money management	115	14%	17	14%	132	14%
Difficulties/problems: relationship with colleagues	59	7%	11	9%	70	7%
Difficulties/problems: relationship with teachers	17	2%	2	2%	19	2%
Difficulties/problems: relationship with family/boyfriend/girlfriend	103	12%	20	16%	123	13%
Difficulties/problems: of health (headaches, tiredness, nourishment...)	141	17%	22	18%	163	17%
Difficulties/problems: psychological (isolation, anxiety, depression...)	175	21%	29	23%	204	21%
Difficulties/problems: daily routine organization (nourishment, hygiene...)	127	15%	29	23%	156	16%
Difficulties/problems: other	14	2%	1	1%	15	2%

Table 22: Students' educational background on admission

	Academic Year of Admission					
	2001/2011		2011/2012		Total	
	N	%	N	%	%	N
Secondary school	786	96%	121	100%	907	96%
higher education - bachelor	3	0%	0	0%	3	0%
higher education – “licenciatura”	22	3%	0	0%	22	2%
Postgraduate - Master	4	0%	0	0%	4	0%
Postgraduate - PhD	4	0%	0	0%	4	0%
Sampling	819	98%	121	98%	940	98%

Table 23: Students' employment status on admission

I intend to maintain that professional situation,		Without professional activity		Part-time worker		Full-time worker		Sampling	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
2001/2011	In the first 3 years	499	94%	18	86%	9	64%	526	63%
	In the last 3 years	465	88%	8	50%	4	31%	477	57%
2011/2012	In the first 3 years	84	93%	4	100%	0	0%	88	71%
	In the last 3 years	75	84%	4	100%	0	0%	79	64%
Total	In the first 3 years	583	94%	22	88%	9	64%	614	64%
	In the last 3 years	540	88%	12	60%	4	31%	556	58%

Table 24: Student's father educational background

	Academic Year of Admission					
	2001/2011		2011/2012		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
No qualifications	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
1st cycle of basic education	124	15%	5	4%	129	14%
2nd cycle of basic education	62	8%	14	12%	76	8%
3rd cycle of basic education	125	15%	15	12%	140	15%
High school	175	22%	35	29%	210	23%
higher education - bachelor	54	7%	4	3%	58	6%
higher education – “licenciatura”	221	27%	37	31%	258	28%
Postgraduate - Master	40	5%	8	7%	48	5%
Postgraduate - PhD	11	1%	3	2%	14	2%
Sampling	812	97%	121	98%	933	97%

Table 25: Student's father professional category

	Academic Year of Admission					
	2001/2011		2011/2012		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Senior public administration, etc.	107	14%	15	13%	122	14%
Experts in intellectual and scientific professions	252	32%	44	38%	296	33%
Technicians	74	9%	7	6%	81	9%
Administrative staff and similar	58	7%	10	9%	68	8%
Service workers and salesmen	117	15%	15	13%	132	15%
Farmers and skilled workers in agriculture and fishing	7	1%	1	1%	8	1%
Workers, craftsmen and related workers	75	10%	12	10%	87	10%
Plant and machine operators and assembly workers	20	3%	5	4%	25	3%
Military	24	3%	2	2%	26	3%
Undifferentiated workers	50	6%	5	4%	55	6%
Sampling	784	93%	116	94%	900	94%

Table 26: Student's mother educational background

	Academic Year of Admission					
	2001/2011		2011/2012		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
No qualifications	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
1st cycle of basic education	110	13%	5	4%	115	12%
2nd cycle of basic education	65	8%	7	6%	72	8%
3rd cycle of basic education	102	12%	12	10%	114	12%
High school	139	17%	26	21%	165	18%
Higher education - bachelor	88	11%	5	4%	93	10%
Higher education – “licenciatura”	261	32%	60	49%	321	34%
Postgraduate - Master	42	5%	4	3%	46	5%
Postgraduate - PhD	10	1%	3	2%	13	1%
Sampling	817	98%	122	98%	939	98%

Table 27: Student's mother professional category

	Academic Year of Admission					
	2001/2011		2011/2012		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Senior public administration, etc.	52	7%	6	5%	58	7%
Experts in intellectual and scientific professions	337	45%	62	56%	399	47%
Technicians	47	6%	6	5%	53	6%
Administrative staff and similar	108	15%	10	9%	118	14%
Service workers and salesmen	70	9%	13	12%	83	10%
Farmers and skilled workers in agriculture and fishing	10	1%	0	0%	10	1%
Workers, craftsmen and related workers	49	7%	9	8%	58	7%
Plant and machine operators and assembly workers	3	0%	2	2%	5	1%
Military	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Undifferentiated workers	67	9%	3	3%	70	8%
Sampling	743	89%	111	90%	854	89%

C. ALTERNATIVE TRACK

3.1. REGISTERED STUDENTS:

Table 28: Admission Process

	Academic Year of Admission			
	2011/2012		Sampling	
	N	%	%	N
SAP: graduates	20	100%	20	100%

Table 29: Information about previous degrees

Academic Year of Admission	Number of curricular years of previous degree					Number of years it took to complete the previous degree					Note of previous track final grade				
	N	%	Min.	Max.	Mean	N	%	Min.	Max.	Mean	N	%	Min.	Max.	Mean
2011/2012	20	100%	4	6	4.4	20	100%	4	6	4.5	20	100%	14	17	15.0
Sampling	20	100%	4	6	4.4	20	100%	4	6	4.5	20	100%	14	17	15.0

Table 30: My previous degree was my # option

Academic Year of Admission	1st Option		2nd Option		3rd Option		Another Option		Sampling	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
2011/2012	8	40%	9	45%	0	0%	3	15%	20	100%

Table 31: Medical Degree: When admitted to the previous degree, Medicine was my # option

Academic Year of Admission	No		Yes		Sampling	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
2011/2012	12	60%	8	40%	20	100%

Table 32: Students' option for SHS/UM: The SHS/UM was my # option

Academic Year of Admission	1st Option		2nd Option		3rd Option		Another Option		Sampling	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
2011/2012	12	63%	0	0%	1	5%	6	32%	19	95%

Table 33: Present year: The student applied to other medical degrees

Academic Year of Admission	No		Yes		Sampling	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
2011/2012	10	50%	10	50%	20	100%

Table 34: Factors that influenced students' decision to choose the medical degree (1st factor to 4th factor)

		Academic Year of Admission	
		2011/2012	
		N	%
To have the required classifications	1st factor	0	0%
	Total	0	0%
The track match my educational/ professional/vocational interests	1st factor	18	90%
	Total	20	100%
Family tradition	1st factor	0	0%
	Total	1	5%
Friends influence	1st factor	1	5%
	Total	2	10%
Parents and/or relatives influence	1st factor	0	0%
	Total	8	40%
Former or actual students information	1st factor	0	0%
	Total	12	60%
Dissatisfaction with the previous/current professional activity	1st factor	0	0%
	Total	15	75%
Aspiration for a stable professional future	1st factor	1	5%
	Total	18	90%
Other	1st factor	0	0%
	Total	3	15%
Sampling		20	100%

Table 35: Factors that influenced students' decision to choose SHS/UM (1st factor to 4th factor)

		Academic Year of Admission	
		2011/2012	
		N	%
Geographical proximity	1st factor	4	20%
	Total	12	60%
Geographical proximity of relatives	1st factor	0	0%
	Total	2	10%
Economic resources owned	1st factor	0	0%
	Total	2	10%
Grade point average in the previous year	1st factor	0	0%
	Total	0	0%
Extracurricular academic life	1st factor	0	0%
	Total	0	0%
Quality of learning/teaching process	1st factor	5	25%
	Total	14	70%
Prestige of the degree	1st factor	1	5%
	Total	10	50%
I liked the curriculum of the degree	1st factor	1	5%
	Total	7	35%
I liked the learning/teaching methods	1st factor	3	15%
	Total	13	65%
Friends influence	1st factor	0	0%
	Total	2	10%
Parents and/or relatives influence	1st factor	0	0%
	Total	0	0%
Former or actual students information	1st factor	0	0%
	Total	3	15%
Method of selection	1st factor	6	30%
	Total	12	60%
Track duration	1st factor	0	0%
	Total	1	5%
Other	1st factor	0	0%
	Total	0	0%
Sampling		20	100%

Total: total of students who check this option as 1st, 2nd, 3rd or 4th factor

Table 36: The student says he is familiar with the SHS/UM medical curriculum

Academic Year of Admission	No		Yes		Sampling	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
2011/2012	7	35%	13	65%	20	100%

Table 37: Next academic year: the student intends to stay in the medical degree

Academic Year of Admission	No		Yes		Sampling	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
2011/2012	0	0%	20	100%	20	100%

Table 38: Next academic year: the student intends to stay in the same university

Academic Year of Admission	No		Yes		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
2011/2012	0	0%	19	100%	19	95%

Table 39: Students' admission: moving away from the family home (Coming to the SHS/UM meant I had to leave the family home)

Academic Year of Admission	No		Yes		Sampling	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
2011/2012	13	65%	7	35%	20	100%

Table 40: Difficulties/problems anticipated by students

	Academic Year of Admission	
	2011/2012	
	N	%
Difficulties/problems: economic	8	40%
Difficulties/problems: learning / performance	4	20%
Difficulties/problems: time management	15	75%
Difficulties/problems: money management	4	20%
Difficulties/problems: relationship with colleagues	0	0%
Difficulties/problems: relationship with teachers	0	0%
Difficulties/problems: relationship with family/boyfriend/girlfriend	6	30%
Difficulties/problems: of health (headaches, tiredness, nourishment...)	2	10%
Difficulties/problems: psychological (isolation, anxiety, depression...)	2	10%
Difficulties/problems: daily routine organization (nourishment, hygiene...)	3	15%
Difficulties/problems: other	1	5%
Sampling	20	100%

Table 41: Students' Gender

Academic Year of Admission	female		male		Sampling	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
2011/2012	13	65%	7	35%	20	100%

Table 42: Students' nationality

	Academic year of Admission	
	2011/2012	
	nationality	
	N	%
Canadian	0	0%
French	0	0%
Brazilian	0	0%
American	0	0%
Russian	0	0%
Cape Verdean	0	0%
Timorese	0	0%
Santomean	0	0%
Venezuelan	1	5%
All other Nationalities	1	5%
Portuguese	19	95%
Sampling	20	100%

Table 43: Students' age

	Academic year of Admission					
	2011/2012					
	N	%	M	DP	Min	Máx
SAP: graduates	20	100%	28,20	4,81	23,00	37,00
Sampling	20	100%	28,20	4,81	23,00	37,00

Table 44: District of origin

Academic year of Admission	Braga		Porto		Bragança		Viana do Castelo		Vila Real		Castelo Branco		Madeira		Sampling	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
2011/2012	9	45%	4	20%	1	5%	2	10%	2	10%	1	5%	1	5%	20	100%

Table 45: Type of secondary school where the student completed the 12th year: all contingents

Academic year of Admission	Public		Private		Sampling	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
2011/2012	19	95%	1	5%	20	100%

Table 46: Students' educational background on admission

	Academic year of Admission	
	2011/2012	
	N	%
higher education – “licenciatura”	13	65%
Postgraduate - Master	3	15%
Postgraduate - PhD	4	20%
Sampling	20	100%

Table 47: Previous Track

	Academic year of Admission	
	2011/2012	
	N	%
Clinical analysis	1	5
Pathology, cytology and tanatological Anatomy graduated	1	5
Biology	1	5
Microbial Biology and genetics	1	5
Biochemistry	1	5
CardioPulmonology	1	5
Nursing	5	25
Biological Engineering	2	10
Pharmacy	1	5
Physics and chemistry	1	5
Dental Medicine	1	5
Integrated Master in Industrial Electronics Engineering	1	5
Chemistry	1	5
Radiology	2	10
Sampling	20	100

Table 48: Students' employment status on admission

Academic year of Admission	without occupation		part-time worker		full-time worker		Sampling	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
2011/2012	7	100%	4	20%	6	30%	17	85%



The Longitudinal Study of the School of Health Sciences

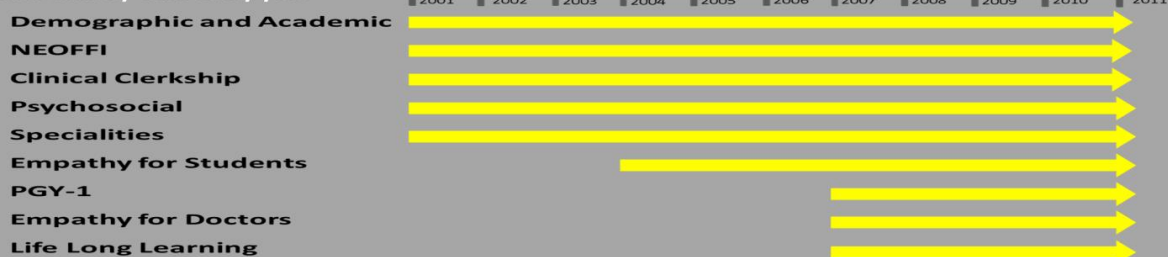
ELECSUM Last Page: The Longitudinal Study of the School of Health Sciences

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Available data by class entry year



ELECSUM data

(per participant)

Before Medical School

- Demographics
- GPA science

During Medical School

- Admission surveys
- Socio-demographic Survey
- Non-cognitive survey
- Jefferson scale of physician empathy - student version
- NEOFFI Survey
- Course grades
- GPA

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- Graduation Master Survey
- Jefferson scale of physician empathy - student version

After Medical School

- Residency specialty
- Residency Institution
- Geographic Location
- Proficiency rating scale

- Residency Institution
- Geographic Location
- Non-cognitive survey
- LLL Survey
- Jefferson scale of physician empathy - physician version

Reason for initiating the study: The Longitudinal Study of School of Health Sciences (ECS) of University of Minho (ELECSUM) was initiated in 2001, based on the premise that medical schools accountability, is a right/duty of Institutions that graduate healthcare professionals.

History: ELECSUM was implemented with the purpose of tracking every medical students of ECS throughout their academic life and entire professional careers. ELECSUM data of each participant are constantly updated from publicly available information and from other information gathered by direct contact with the students of ECS since beginning of the school (2001). ELECSUM allowed the design of one of the most complete and extensive database of medical education in Portugal.

Goals

Service to

- Faculty (e.g., answering to inquiries)
- Academic and Scientific committees (e.g., providing data to analyze admissions trends, to evaluate programs, or to examine success/failure factors in students' performance)
- Administration of school (e.g., providing data for the annual report, or accreditation)
- Students (e.g., guiding academic and career development)

Research

- Address medical education related questions for publication and presentation at professional meetings

ELECSUM in Numbers

(Last update: November, 2011)

- Contained approximately 43800 pieces of data
- Tracked 1017 students of which 316 graduates
- Corresponding to 923 variables
- Garnered data from 165 postgraduate training hospitals
- Inspired 14 peer-reviewed publications in international journals and conference proceedings

Adaptation of Instruments

The ELECSUM has adapted the following instruments for measuring educational outcomes:

- Jefferson scale of physician empathy - student version¹
- Jefferson scale of physician empathy - physician version²
- Non-cognitive scale³
- NEOFFI – 60 item⁴
- Jefferson Scale of Physician Lifelong Learning⁵

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Master's Graduation Survey Summary Report 2010/2011

SEPTEMBRE 2012

Summary report: Graduation Questionnaire

Medical Education Unit, School of Health Sciences

The summary report of Graduation Questionnaire summarizes information on the perceptions of the medical graduates of the school of Health Sciences of the University of Minho on the quality of their training..

Background

The Graduation Questionnaire (GQ) is an institutional survey administered by the School of Health Sciences (SHS) of the University of Minho (UM). The questionnaire was created in 2006/2007 by the SHS Medical Education Unit (MEU) of the as a tool to capture retrospectively the perceptions of the graduates on their training. It is useful for program evaluation and to identify aspects of the undergraduate medical 6 year training program that might be altered to enhance the experience of medical students.

This report displays five years of comparable GQ data (2006/2007 to 2010/2011). There were two GQ versions in tis period. The first version was administered to the initial 2 graduate cohorts included questions related with the satisfaction with the study plan, teaching and non-academic staff, and the infrastructure at SHS. The revised version was administered to the graduation classes of 2009, 201, 2011 and is currently in use, includes additional questions related to the specialty preference and career expectations. For the purpose of producing the current report, the responses to the two GQ versions were combined.

Methodology

The 2010/2011 data were obtained from a total 173 graduates and represent 70% of 246 graduates up to date by the SHS.. According to the MEU records, these individuals include: 47 graduates of 2006/2007, 31 of 2007/2008, 48 of 2008/2009, 24 of 2009/2010 and 22 of 2010/2011.

The QGM is administered to all sixth year students of the Masters in Medicine of SHS/UM on paper, in the exam day of the final course, along with an envelope addressed to the person in charge of MEU to allow return by post.

Thanks

Abbreviations

FM –Family medicine

PH – Public Health

IM – Internal Medicine

PSY – Psychiatry

PED – Pediatrics

OB&GY – Obstetrics and Gynecology

GS – General Surgery

OPT - Ophthalmology

GS – Graduation Score

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Total responses:

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	Total
N	46	31	47	24	23	171
%	92	79.5	90.4	40.7	37.1	65.3

Gender:

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
	%	%	%	%	%
Female	71.7	58.1	59.6	75	69.6
Male	28.3	41.9	40.4	25	30.4
	100	100	100	100	100
Number of responses	46	31	47	24	23

How old were you, approximately, when you decided that you wanted to be a doctor?

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
	%	%	%	%	%
< 6	6.5	9.7	-	8.3	9.1
6 – 10	23.9	9.7	24.4	4.2	-
11 – 15	19.6	45.2	35.5	33.3	50
16 - 19	47.8	35.5	37.8	50	40.9
> 19	2.2	-	2.2	4.2	-
	100	100	100	100	100
Number of responses	46	31	47	24	23

Before your decision to become a doctor was final, your level of certainty in relation to this option was:

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
	%	%	%	%	%
Low	41.3	51.6	54.4	37.5	43.5
Moderate	52.2	35.5	45.6	50	34.8
High	6.5	12.9	-	12.5	21.7
	100	100	100	100	100
Number of responses	46	31	47	24	23

When you graduate, what would be your preferred type of community for practice?

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
	%	%	%	%	%
Large city	17.4	16.1	17	8.33	26.1
City of moderate size	69.6	77.4	74.5	75	52.2
Small town	8.7	3.2	8.5	12.5	17.4
Village or rural area	4.3	3.2	-	4.1	4.3
	100	100	100	100	100
Number of responses	46	31	45	24	22

When you graduate, what would be your preferred geographic area for practice in Portugal?

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
	%	%	%	%	%
North Coast	80.4	87.1	80.8	75	91.3
Center Coast	8.7	-	4.3	4.2	-
South Coast	2.2	-	-	4.2	-
Interior, North	6.5	6.5	8.5	4.2	-
Interior, Center	-	-	-	4.2	-
Interior, South	-	-	-	4.2	-
Autonomous Regions	-	6.5	6.4	4.2	4.4
No, I intend to go to another country	2.2	-	-	-	4.4
	100	100	100	100	100
Number of responses	46	31	46	24	22

Please indicate the amount of professional time (relative) you intend to devote to the following activities, when you become a specialist.

	None of my time	Some of my time	Most of my time	Average	Number of responses
Medical research laboratory in nature					
2007	55.6	44.4		1.4	45
2008	74.2	25.8	-	1.3	31
2009	73.9	23.9	2.2	1.3	46
2010	75	25	-	1.2	24
2011	73.9	21.7	4.4	1.3	23
Nature clinical medical research					
2007	6.7	86.7	6.7	2	45
2008	3.2	93.6	3.2	2	31
2009	2.2	95.6	2.2	2	46
2010	8.3	79.2	12.5	2	24
2011	8.7	91.3	-	1.9	23

	None of my time	Some of my time	Most of my time	Average	Number of responses
Clinical practice					
2007	10.9	-	89.1	2.9	46
2008	3.2	-	96.8	3	31
2009	2.2	-	97.8	3	46
2010	4.2	-	95.8	2.9	24
2011	17.4	-	82.6	2.8	23
Teaching					
2007	26.1	71.7	2.2	1.8	46
2008	16.1	83.9	-	1.8	31
2009	41.3	58.7	-	1.6	46
2010	37.5	62.5	-	1.6	24
2011	26.1	69.6	4.3	1.8	23
Administration of an organization					
2007	75.6	24.4	-	1.2	45
2008	67.7	32.3	-	1.3	31
2009	65.2	32.6	2.2	1.4	46
2010	70.8	29.2	-	1.3	24
2011	43.5	56.5	-	1.6	23

When you become a specialist, in which of the following types of activity would you like to work?

	None of my time	Some of my time	Most of my time	Average	Number of responses	None of my time
Social care: Preferably alone						
2007	33.3	42.8	21.4	2.4	0.9	42
2008	16.7	63.3	16.7	3.3	1.1	30
2009	19.6	43.5	32.6	4.3	1.2	46
2010	12.5	37.5	41.7	8.3	1.5	24
2011	18.2	40.9	40.9	-	1.2	22
Social care: housed in a small team						
2007	-	2.2	19.6	78.3	2.8	46
2008	3.3	-	53.3	43.3	2.4	30
2009	2.2	4.3	41.3	52.2	2.4	46
2010	-	-	29.2	70.8	2.7	24
2011	4.4	4.4	30.4	60.8	2.5	23
Social care: housed in a great team						
2007	-	18.6	53.5	27.9	2.1	43
2008	-	14.1	58.1	27.8	2.1	31
2009	8.9	17.8	57.8	15.6	1.8	45
2010	8.7	34.8	47.8	8.7	1.6	23
2011	8.7	8.7	43.5	39.1	2.1	23

	None of my time	Some of my time	Most of my time	Average	Number of responses	None of my time
Population-public health						
2007	29.6	36.4	29.5	4.5	1.1	44
2008	23.3	36.7	36.7	3.3	1.2	30
2009	41.3	43.5	13	2.2	0.8	46
2010	37.5	27.2	25	8.3	1	24
2011	39.1	34.8	21.7	4.3	0.9	23
Armed Forces						
2007	65.9	27.3	6.8	-	0.4	44
2008	60	33.3	6.7	-	0.4	30
2009	65.2	19.6	10.9	4.3	0.5	46
2010	70.8	25	4.2	-	0.3	24
2011	52.2	26.1	17.4	4.3	0.7	23
Forensic Medicine						
2007	47.7	40.9	11.4	-	0.6	44
2008	63.3	23.3	13.3	-	0.5	30
2009	51.1	26.7	22.2	-	0.7	45
2010	62.5	8.3	25	4.2	0.7	24
2011	52.2	26.1	21.7	-	0.7	23
Volunteering/non-governmental organizations						
2007	6.7	15.6	62.2	16.5	1.9	45
2008	3.3	23.3	50	23.3	1.9	30
2009	9.1	11.4	61.4	18.2	1.9	44
2010	4.2	8.3	58.3	29.2	2.1	24
2011	4.5	18.2	50	27.3	2	22
Outro						
2007	100	-	-	-	0	2
2008	100	-	-	-	0	3
2009	72.7	-	9.1	18.2	0.7	11
2010	-	-	-	-	-	0
2011	66.7	16.7	-	16.7	0.7	6

Please indicate the amount of time you expect to spend caring for patients in the following contexts:

	I have not decided yet	No, or almost no time (less than 1 day a week)	Some time (1 to 3 days per week)	Most of the time (4 or more days a week)	Average	Number of responses
Public Hospital						
2007	6.5	-	21.7	71.7	2.6	46
2008	29	3.2	6.5	61.3	2	31
2009	10.9	4.3	23.9	60.9	2.3	46
2010	29.2	-	20.8	50	1.9	24
2011	30.4	-	8.7	60.9	2	23

	I have not decided yet	No, or almost no time (less than 1 day a week)	Some time (1 to 3 days per week)	Most of the time (4 or more days a week)	Average	Number of responses
Health Center						
2007	31.1	37.8	17.8	13.3	1.1	45
2008	48.4	19.4	3.2	29	1.1	31
2009	28.9	26.7	15.6	28.9	1.4	45
2010	33.3	25	8.3	33.3	1.4	24
2011	47.8	34.8	4.4	13	0.8	23

Large Private Hospital or Clinic						
2007	26.7	17.8	53.3	2.2	1.3	45
2008	56.6	19.4	29	-	0.8	31
2009	19.6	19.6	52.2	8.7	1.5	46
2010	41.7	16.7	37.5	4.2	1	24
2011	21.7	26.1	52.2	-	1.3	23

Small Private Clinic						
2007	33.3	17.8	46.7	2.2	1.2	45
2008	35.5	32.3	32.3	-	1	31
2009	23.9	32.6	41.3	2.2	1.2	46
2010	33.3	33.3	25	8.3	1.1	24
2011	39.1	17.4	39.1	4.4	1.1	23

The decision to pursue a speciality is complex. We understand that at this stage most students have not yet made a final decision. Even so, we would like to know what kind of career you would imagine for yourself 10 years from now. Please base your choices in the descriptions. The examples given serve as general guidance, but may vary from doctor to doctor.

1. Perform Diagnostics or specialized technical procedures. Preferential contact with peers and colleagues. Main practice in hospitals. Example: Radiology, Pathology.
2. Perform specialized techniques or therapeutic procedures that require motor ability. Main practice in hospitals, with some practice in consultation. Examples: Orthopedic Surgery, Neurosurgery, Ophthalmology.
3. Provide episodic care or long term, to a specific set of medical problems, which can include instrumentation and technical interventions. Mixture of ambulatory practice in hospitals. Example: Cardiology, Gastroenterology, Psychiatry, Dermatology, Internal Medicine.
4. Provide initial assessments of health or disease, education and preventive intervention and global care to a variety of medical problems. Main practice in outpatient context. Example: General and Family Medicine, Pediatrics.

	1st Choice	2nd Choice	3rd Choice	4th Choice	Average	Number of responses
1 (Example: Radiology, Pathology)						
2007	-	9.1	20.74	70.5	3.6	44
2008	-	-	35.5	64.5	3.6	31
2009	4.3	6.5	4.4	84.8	3.7	46
2010	-	-	16.7	83.3	3.8	24
2011	4.3	-	8.7	87	3.8	23
2 (Example: Orthopedic Surgery, Neurosurgery)						
2007	22.7	18.2	47.7	11.4	2.5	44
2008	29	16.1	32.3	22.6	2.5	31
2009	32.6	19.6	41.3	6.5	2.2	46
2010	29.2	4.2	50	16.7	2.5	24
2011	13	21.7	56.5	8.7	2.6	23
3 (Example: Cardiology, Psychiatry, Internal Medicine)						
2007	60.9	32.6	4.3	2.2	1.5	46
2008	38.7	54.8	6.5	-	1.7	31
2009	34.8	50	13	2.2	1.8	46
2010	33.3	54.2	12.5	-	1.8	24
2011	39.2	47.8	13	-	1.7	23
4 (Example: General and Family Medicine, Pediatrics)						
2007	17.8	40	28.9	13.3	2.4	45
2008	32.3	29	25.8	12.9	2.2	31
2009	26.1	23.9	41.3	6.5	2.3	46
2010	37.5	41.7	20.8	-	1.8	24
2011	43.5	30.4	21.7	4.3	1.9	23

What specialty do you consider to choose in the future?**1st Choice**

	Total	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Pathological Anatomy	-	-	-	-	-	-
Anesthesiology	3.5	2.2	-	2.2	-	13
Angiology and Vascular Surgery	0.9	2.2	-	2.2	-	-
Cardiology	4.4	6.7	6.5	8.7	-	-
Pediatric Cardiology	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cardiothoracic Surgery	-	-	-	-	-	-
General Surgery	6.3	6.7	9.7	6.5	-	8.7
Maxillofacial Surgery	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pediatric Surgery	-	-	-	-	-	-
Plastic and Reconstructive and aesthetic surgery	2.6	-	6.5	6.5	-	-
Dermato-Venereology	3.5	2.2	-	2.2	4.2	8.7
Infectious Diseases	-	-	-	-	-	-
Endocrinology and Nutrition	2.3	-	3.2	4.3	4.2	-

	Total	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Stomatology	0.8	-	-	-	4.2	-
Gastro-Enterology	1.7	2.2	-	2.2	4.2	-
Medical Genetics	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gynaecology/Obstetrics	9.1	8.9	6.5	8.7	12.5	8.7
Imunoalergologia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Imunohemoterapia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clinical Pharmacology	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clinical Hematology	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sports Medicine	-	-	-	-	-	-
Occupational medicine	-	-	-	-	-	-
Physical medicine and rehabilitation	0.4	2.2	-	-	-	-
General and family medicine	22.1	8.9	29	17.4	33.3	21.7
Internal Medicine	4.1	4.4	9.7	2.2	4.2	-
Forensic Medicine	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nuclear Medicine	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tropical Medicine	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nephrology	-	-	-	-	-	-
Neurosurgery	0.4	-	-	2.2	-	-
Neurology	1.1	-	3.2	2.2	-	-
Neuroradiology	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ophthalmology	2.6	6.7	-	2.2	-	4.3
Medical Oncology	0.4	2.2	-	-	-	-
Orthopedics	3.4	2.2	-	6.5	8.3	-
Otolaryngology	0.4	2.2	-	-	-	-
Clinical Pathology	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pediatrics	5.2	6.7	-	2.2	4.2	13
Pulmonology	0.4	2.2	-	-	-	-
Psychiatry	1.8	6.7	-	2.2	-	-
Childhood and adolescence Psychiatry	0.4	-	-	2.2	-	-
Diagnostic Radiology	-	-	-	-	-	-
Radiotherapy	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rheumatology	-	-	-	-	-	-
Public Health	-	-	-	-	-	-
Urology	3.8	-	-	2.2	12.5	4.3
Other specialty	-	-	-	-	-	-
I haven't decided	17.3	24.4	25.8	15.2	8.3	13
Number of responses		45	31	46	24	23

Please select up to 4 of the factors that most influenced the choice of the specialties mentioned previously: data only available for 2010/2011)

	1st Factor	2nd Factor	3rd Factor	4 Factor	Average	Number of responses
Specialty fitness to my individual characteristics	61.9	9.5	19.1	9.5	1.8	21
Type of specialty training institution (Hospital/Health Centre/National Institute of Legal Medicine/public health Delegation)	-	-	-	100	4	1
Prestige of specialty training institution	-	-	100	-	3	1
Perspective of availability of time for my personal life	-	40	40	20	2.8	10
Perspective of emergency do not	-	50	-	50	3	2
Perspective of future income	-	25	25	50	3.2	4
Duration of specialty	-	-	-	100	4	1
Specialty focused on contact with patients	12.5	62.5	12.5	12.5	2.3	8
Specialty focused on technology	-	-	-	-	-	-
Better ranking and performance in curricular areas/modules	-	-	-	-	-	-
Awareness of own competence in a specific clinical area	25	37.5	-	37.5	2.5	8
Positive experience of working in clinical residencies and training	10	10	60	20	2.9	10
Previous experience of a project option in that area/specialty	-	25	25	50	3.2	4
Professional prestige associated with specialty	-	-	-	-	-	-
Possibility to work with a wide variety of clinical situations/patients	15.4	38.5	30.8	15.4	2.5	13
National medical need in a particular specialty	-	-	50	50	3.5	2
Positive interaction with professors, tutors and supervisors	-	-	-	-	-	-
Specialty content	57.1	-	-	42.9	2.3	7

Please indicate your overall satisfaction level for each of the years the curriculum Course of Medicine of the University of Minho:

	Very Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied	Average	Number of responses
1st Year						
Total	2.3	15.8	57.1	24	3	170
2007	2.2	8.7	60.9	28.3	3.1	46
2008	3.2	6.4	51.6	38.7	3.2	31
2009	2.1	21.3	55.3	21.3	3	47
2010	4.2	33.3	54.2	8.3	2.7	24
2011	-	9.1	63.6	23.3	3.2	22
2nd year						
Total	1.3	14.1	56	28.6	3.1	170
2007	2.2	4.3	50	43.5	3.3	46
2008	-	9.7	58.1	32.3	3.2	31
2009	-	12.8	63.8	23.4	3.1	47
2010	4.2	20.8	58.3	16.7	2.9	24
2011	-	22.7	50	27.3	3	22
3rd year						
Total	3.2	11	42.9	43	3.3	170
2007	2.2	10.9	39.1	47.8	3.3	46
2008	-	6.4	48.4	45.2	3.4	31
2009	-	10.6	44.7	44.7	3.3	47
2010	-	4.2	45.8	50	3.5	24
2011	13.6	22.7	36.4	27.3	2.8	22
4th year						
Total	1.3	9.9	58.5	30.3	3.2	170
2007	2.2	6.5	41.3	50	3.4	46
2008	-	6.7	70	23.3	3.2	30
2009	-	19.2	57.4	23.4	3	47
2010	4.2	8.3	54.2	33.3	3.2	24
2011	-	8.7	69.6	21.7	3.1	23
5th year						
Total	0.9	6.4	58.1	34.6	3.2	171
2007	2.2	4.4	30.4	63	3.5	46
2008	-	12.9	71	16.1	3	31
2009	2.1	10.6	74.5	12.8	3	47
2010	-	4.2	58.3	37.5	3.3	24
2011	-	-	56.5	43.5	3.4	23
6th year						
Total	3	17.3	42.8	36.9	3.1	171
2007	2.2	13	23.9	60.9	3.4	46
2008	-	41.9	45.2	12.9	2.7	31
2009	12.8	23.4	51.1	12.8	2.6	47
2010	-	8.3	45.8	45.8	3.4	24
2011	-	-	47.8	52.2	3.5	23

Please indicate your level of preparation on the following fundamental scientific disciplines:

	Poor	Reasonable	Good	Excellent	Does not apply	Average	Number of responses
Anatomy							
Total	4.3	27.4	55.5	12.7	-	2.8	47
2010	-	37.5	45.8	16.7	-	2.8	24
2011	8.7	17.4	65.2	8.7	-	2.7	23
Physiology							
Total	2.1	16.7	53.4	12.7	-	2.9	47
2010	4.2	29.2	24.2	12.5	-	2.7	24
2011	-	4.3	82.6	13	-	3.1	23
Histology							
Total	10.8	42.4	38.2	8.5	-	2.5	47
2010	4.2	45.8	41.7	8.3	-	2.5	24
2011	17.4	39.1	34.8	8.7	-	2.4	23
Biochemistry							
Total	10.6	53	32.1	4.3	-	2.3	47
2010	12.5	62.5	20.8	4.2	-	2.2	24
2011	8.7	43.5	43.5	4.3	-	2.4	23
Genetics							
Total	19.1	53.1	23.5	4.3	-	2.1	47
2010	20.8	58.3	16.7	4.2	-	2	24
2011	17.4	47.8	30.4	4.3	-	2.2	23
Embryology							
Total	32.6	47.9	19.6	-	-	1.9	46
2010	21.7	60.9	17.4	-	-	2	23
2011	43.5	34.8	21.7	-	-	1.8	23
Pathology							
Total	2.1	30.2	46.4	21.3	-	2.9	47
2010	-	12.5	66.7	20.8	-	3.1	24
2011	4.3	47.9	26.1	21.7	-	2.6	23
Pharmacology							
Total	25.6	36.1	25.6	12.7	-	2.3	47
2010	20.8	41.7	25	12.5	-	2.3	24
2011	30.4	30.4	26.1	13	-	2.2	23
Statistics							
Total	48.9	36.2	12.9	2.1	-	1.7	47
2010	50	37.5	8.3	4.2	-	1.7	24
2011	47.8	34.8	17.4	-	-	1.7	23
Public Health							
Total	2.1	31.7	57.6	8.6	-	2.7	47
2010	-	41.7	54.2	4.2	-	2.6	24
2011	4.3	21.7	60.9	13	-	2.8	23

	Poor	Reasonable	Good	Excellent	Does not apply	Average	Number of responses
Neoplasms							
Total	-	28.3	56.5	15.2	-	2.9	46
2010	-	26.1	56.5	17.4	-	2.9	23
2011	-	30.4	56.5	13	-	2.8	23
Cellular and Molecular Biology							
Total	10.5	36.4	42.6	10.6	-	2.6	47
2010	16.7	29.2	41.7	12.5	-	2.5	24
2011	4.3	43.5	43.5	8.7	-	2.6	23
Immunology							
Total	8.5	36.4	44.5	21.2	-	2.6	47
2010	8.3	29.2	50	12.5	-	2.7	24
2011	8.7	43.5	39.1	8.7	-	2.5	23
Microbiology							
Total	12.9	35.8	38.2	13	-	2.4	47
2010	4.2	50	41.7	4.2	-	2.5	24
2011	21.7	21.7	34.8	21.7	-	2.3	23
Psychology							
Total	23.4	29.6	32	12.9	2.1	2.4	47
2010	25	37.5	29.2	4.2	4.2	2.2	24
2011	21.7	21.7	34.8	21.7	-	2.6	23
Community Health							
Total	2.1	25.3	55.4	17.1	-	2.9	47
2010	4.2	33.3	50	12.5	-	2.7	24
2011	-	17.4	60.9	21.7	-	3	23
History of medicine							
Total	52.9	32	15.1	-	-	1.7	47
2010	66.7	29.2	4.2	-	-	1.4	24
2011	39.1	34.8	26.1	-	-	1.9	23
Epidemiology							
Total							
2010	33.3	37.5	29.2	-	-	2	24
2011	13	34.8	43.5	8.7	-	2.5	23
Bioethics and Medical Ethics							
Total	25.2	29.7	42.7	2.2	-	2.2	47
2010	41.7	33.3	25	-	-	1.8	24
2011	8.7	26.1	60.4	4.4	-	2.6	23
Family medicine							
Total	-	4.1	42.4	53.5	-	3.5	47
2010	-	8.3	50	41.7	-	3.3	24
2011	-	-	34.8	65.2	-	3.6	23

Please indicate your level of preparation to start residency training considering the following aspects:

	Disagree Strongly	Disagree	Neutral	I Agree	Strongly Agree	Average	Number of responses
I have the clinical skills necessary to start the residency training							
Total	-	-	8.6	66.3	25.2	4.2	47
2010	-	-	4.2	54.2	41.7	4.4	24
2011	-	-	13	78.3	8.7	4	23
I master the fundamental mechanisms of disease, clinical indicators and the principles of diagnosis and monitoring for common pathologies							
Total	-	-	2.1	74.7	23.3	4.2	47
2010	-	-	4.2	66.7	29.2	4.2	24
2011	-	-	-	82.6	17.4	4.2	23
I have the necessary communication skills to interact with patients and health professionals.							
Total	-	-	2.1	46.5	51.3	4.5	47
2010	-	-	-	62.5	37.5	4.4	24
2011	-	-	4.3	30.4	65.2	4.6	23
I have basic skills in clinical decision making							
Total	-	4.1	21.4	59.5	15	3.9	47
2010	-	8.3	12.5	66.7	12.5	3.8	24
2011	-	-	30.4	52.2	17.4	3.9	23
I have the understanding of the fundamental issues of social sciences in medicine (e.g., ethics, humanism, professionalism)							
Total	-	-	8.5	55.1	36.4	4.3	47
2010	-	-	8.3	66.7	25	4.2	24
2011	-	-	8.7	43.5	47.8	4.4	23

Please indicate your level of satisfaction regarding the following aspects:

	Very Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied	Average	Number of responses
Support in the integration in SHS						
Total	4.2	17.6	65.3	12.7	2.8	168
2007	-	13.9	65.1	20.9	3	43
2008	-	19.3	67.7	12.9	2.9	31
2009	17	34	48.9	-	2.3	47
2010	4.2	16.7	66.7	12.5	2.9	24
2011	-	4.3	78.3	17.4	3.1	23
Support in the adaptation to teaching/learning methodologies						
Total	3.8	24.5	59.6	14.4	2.8	168
2007	-	16.3	53.5	30.2	3.1	43
2008	-	25.8	58.1	16.1	2.9	31
2009	10.6	38.3	58.3	4.2	2.4	24
2010	4.2	33.3	58.3	4.2	2.6	24
2011	4.3	8.7	69.6	17.4	3	23
Active involvement of students in learning						
Total	-	3.2	65.2	31.6	3.3	171
2007	-	-	45.6	54.4	3.5	46
2008	-	3.2	61.3	35.5	3.3	31
2009	-	8.5	70.2	21.3	3.1	47
2010	-	-	75	25	3.2	24
2011	-	4.3	73.9	21.7	3.2	23
Responsibilization of students / self-directed learning						
Total	-	11.4	58.9	30	3.2	168
2007	-	4.6	53.5	41.9	3.4	43
2008	-	12.9	58.1	29	3.2	31
2009	-	17	63.8	19.2	3	47
2010	-	12.5	66.7	20.8	3.1	24
2011	-	8.7	52.2	39.1	3.3	23
Opportunities to work individually and in small groups						
Total	-	4.3	66.2	30.4	3.2	171
2007	-	4.3	56.5	39.1	3.3	46
2008	-	-	71	29	3.3	31
2009	-	8.5	62.5	33.3	3.1	47
2010	-	4.2	62.5	33.3	3.3	24
2011	-	4.3	78.3	17.4	3.1	23
Motivation for research and/or for involvement in research						
Total	4	19	49.3	27.6	3	170
2007	-	15.2	34.8	50	3.3	46
2008	3.3	13.3	53.3	30	3.1	30
2009	4.3	28.3	43.5	23.9	2.9	46
2010	12.5	16.7	54.2	16.7	2.7	24

2011	-	21.7	60.9	17.4	3	23
	Very Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied	Average	Number of responses
Opportunities to perform research						
Total	0.8	7.6	56.4	35.1	3.3	167
2007	-	9.3	39.5	51.2	3.4	43
2008	-	3.3	63.3	33.3	3.3	30
2009	-	-	63.8	36.2	3.4	47
2010	4.2	12.5	50	33.3	3.1	24
2011	-	13	65.2	21.7	3.1	23
Opportunities to contact the ICVS						
Total	1.9	9.5	56.7	31.8	3.2	168
2007	-	6.5	43.5	50	3.4	46
2008	3.4	-	62.1	34.5	3.3	29
2009	2.1	6.4	59.6	31.9	3.2	47
2010	4.2	20.8	45.8	29.2	3	24
2011	-	13.6	72.7	13.6	3	22

Please indicate your level of satisfaction with the quality of the curriculum for:

	Very Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied	Average	Number of responses
Research and critical use of biomedical and clinical information						
Total	-	6.4	59.1	34.5	3.3	171
2007	-	4.3	45.5	50	3.4	46
2008	-	6.4	61.3	32.3	3.3	31
2009	-	12.8	70.2	17	3	47
2010	-	8.3	70.8	20.8	3.1	24
2011	-	-	47.8	52.2	3.5	23
Diverse and flexible curriculum, with options						
Total	1.3	14.3	52.6	31.8	3.1	171
2007	-	2.2	43.5	54.33	3.5	46
2008	-	9.7	64.5	25.8	3.2	31
2009	6.4	21.3	53.2	19.1	2.8	47
2010	-	16.7	58.3	25	3.1	24
2011	-	21.7	43.5	34.8	3.1	23
Integration of various scientific disciplines in curricular areas						
Total	-	0.4	61.6	38	3.4	171
2007	-	-	37	63	3.6	46
2008	-	-	58	42	3.4	31
2009	-	2.1	68.1	29.8	3.3	47
2010	-	-	66.7	33.3	3.3	24
2011	-	-	78.3	21.7	3.2	23

	Very Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied	Average	Number of responses
Articulation of Biomedical and Clinical Sciences across the curriculum						
Total	0.4	4.5	63.7	31.3	3.2	171
2007	-	-	54.3	45.7	3.4	46
2008	-	3.2	71	25.8	3.2	31
2009	2.1	6.4	70.2	21.2	3.1	47
2010	-	4.2	66.7	29.2	3.2	24
2011	-	8.7	56.5	34.8	3.3	23
Contribution of laboratory activities for learning						
Total	-	19.6	62.9	17.4	3	171
2007	-	4.3	54.3	41.3	3.4	46
2008	-	12.9	71	16.1	3	31
2009	-	21.3	70.2	8.5	2.9	47
2010	-	33.3	58.3	8.3	2.7	24
2011	-	26.1	60.9	13	2.9	23
Model of Clinical Clerkships						
Total	1.1	14.8	62.6	19.9	3	167
2007	-	4.6	70	25.6	3.2	43
2008	3.2	22.6	61.3	12.9	2.8	31
2009	2.2	13	65.2	19.6	3	46
2010	-	20.8	58.3	20.8	3	24
2011	-	13	58.3	20.8	3.1	23
Orientation of the curriculum to the country's public health profile						
Total	0.4	13.2	71.2	15.1	3	171
2007	-	4.3	78.3	17.4	3.1	46
2008	-	6.4	67.7	25.8	3.2	31
2009	2.1	25.5	61.7	10.6	2.8	47
2010	-	12.5	83.3	4.2	2.9	24
2011	-	17.4	65.2	17.4	3	23
Curriculum guidance for the central role of health						
Total	-	3.7	68.4	28	3.2	171
2007	-	-	52.2	47.8	3.5	46
2008	-	3.2	71	25.8	3.2	31
2009	-	2.1	74.5	23.4	3.2	47
2010	-	-	87.5	12.5	3.1	24
2011	-	13	56.5	30.4	3.2	23

	Very Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied	Average	Number of responses
Multidimensional assessment of knowledge/skills (understanding, application, implementation, communication and behavior)						
Total	-	5.1	70.4	24.6	3.2	170
2007	-	2.2	55.6	42.2	3.4	45
2008	-	6.4	71	22.6	3.2	31
2009	-	12.8	72.3	14.9	3	47
2010	-	4.2	83.3	12.5	3.1	24
2011	-	-	69.6	30.4	3.3	23
Opportunity to contact the patients and the community						
Total	-	1.9	41.7	56.4	3.4	171
2007	-	-	32.6	67.4	3.7	46
2008	-	3.2	48.4	48.4	3.4	31
2009	-	2.1	42.5	55.3	3.5	47
2010	-	-	45.8	54.2	3	24
2011	-	4.3	39.1	56.5	3.5	23
Promotion of interprofessional relationships (e.g. nurse/doctor)						
Total	2.4	18.6	58.4	20.6	3	171
2007	-	6.5	60.9	32.6	3.3	46
2008	3.2	29	54.8	12.9	2.8	31
2009	4.3	19.1	61.7	14.8	2.9	47
2010	-	20.8	62.5	16.7	2.9	24
2011	4.3	17.4	52.2	26.1	3	23
Emphasis on ethical and professional behaviour						
Total	2.8	6.6	54.7	31.4	3.2	171
2007	-	-	37	63	3.6	46
2008	3.2	16.1	51.6	29	3.1	31
2009	2.1	4.3	70.2	23.4	3.1	47
2010	4.2	12.5	62.5	20.8	3	24
2011	4.3	-	52.2	20.8	3.3	23
Medical practice in different scenarios						
Total	-	6.8	44.6	48.6	3.4	171
2007	-	-	23.9	76.1	3.8	46
2008	-	-	54.9	45.2	3.4	31
2009	-	4.3	55.3	40.4	3.4	47
2010	-	12.5	54.2	33.3	3.2	24
2011	-	17.4	34.8	47.8	3.3	23

	Very Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied	Average	Number of responses
Emphasis on psychosocial factors in health and disease						
Total	0.8	4.3	63.7	31.2	3.3	171
2007	-	4.3	54.3	41.3	3.4	46
2008	-	6.4	64.5	29	3.2	31
2009	-	2.1	76.6	21.3	3.2	47
2010	4.2	4.2	70.8	20.8	3.1	24
2011	-	4.3	52.2	43.5	3.4	23
Health promotion and disease prevention						
Total	-	1.3	55.9	42.7	3.4	171
2007	-	2.2	45.6	52.2	3.5	46
2008	-	-	58.1	41.9	3.4	31
2009	-	-	70.2	29.8	3.3	47
2010	-	-	66.7	33.3	3.3	24
2011	-	4.3	39.1	56.5	3.5	23
Humanistic aspects of medicine						
Total	1.7	7	52.8	38.6	3.3	171
2007	-	-	37	63	3.6	46
2008	-	9.7	67.7	22.6	3.1	31
2009	-	8.5	57.5	34	3.2	47
2010	4.2	16.7	62.5	16.7	2.9	24
2011	4.3	-	39.1	56.5	3.5	23
Economics of health care						
Total	6	20.3	63.6	10	2.8	171
2007	-	8.7	76.1	15.2	3.1	46
2008	3.2	22.6	61.3	12.9	2.8	31
2009	4.3	23.4	63.8	8.5	2.8	47
2010	4.2	33.3	62.5	-	2.6	24
2011	18.2	13.6	54.5	13.6	2.6	2
Research methods/statistics						
Total	23.7	39.6	32.1	3.9	2.2	171
2007	8.7	45.6	39.1	6.5	2.4	46
2008	41.9	35.5	19.3	3.2	1.8	31
2009	34	49	17	-	1.8	47
2010	25	33.3	41.7	-	2.2	24
2011	8.7	34.8	43.5	13	2.6	23
Technology and Informatics						
Total	5.6	29.9	56.8	9.5	2.7	171
2007	2.2	23.9	58.7	15.2	2.9	46
2008	-	29	64.5	6.4	2.8	31
2009	17.4	37.5	50	4.2	2.5	46
2010	8.3	37.5	50	4.2	2.5	24
2011	-	21.7	60.9	17.4	3	23

	Very Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied	Average	Number of responses
Geriatric Medicine						
Total	7.3	36.7	48.8	7.1	2.5	171
2007	2.2	39.1	52.1	6.5	2.6	46
2008	6.4	41.9	48.4	3.2	2.5	31
2009	6.5	30.4	58.7	4.3	2.6	46
2010	12.5	37.5	45.8	4.2	2.4	24
2011	8.7	34.8	39.1	17.4	2.6	23
Nutrition						
Total	9.2	34.2	49.2	7.5	2.6	171
2007	4.3	65.2	28.3	2.2	2.3	46
2006	9.7	35.5	51.6	3.2	2.5	31
2009	23.4	36.2	38.3	2.1	2.2	47
2010	4.2	16.7	66.7	12.5	2.9	24
2011	4.3	17.4	60.9	17.4	2.9	23
HIV/AIDS						
Total	-	6.4	63.7	29.9	3.2	171
2007	-	6.5	54.3	39.1	3.3	46
2008	-	-	83.9	16.1	3.2	31
2009	-	4.3	69.6	26.1	3.2	46
2010	-	12.5	58.3	29.2	3.2	24
2011	-	8.7	52.2	39.1	3.3	23
Public Health						
Total	0.8	4.5	68.5	26.3	3.2	171
2007	-	2.2	69.6	28.3	3.3	46
2008	-	3.2	64.5	32.3	3.3	31
2009	-	17	68.1	14.9	3	47
2010	4.2	-	79.2	16.7	3.1	24
2011	-	-	60.9	39.1	3.4	23
Care of the chronically ill						
Total	0.9	10.8	67.7	20.6	3.1	171
2007	4.3	21.7	54.3	19.6	2.9	46
2008	-	19.4	74.2	6.4	2.9	31
2009	-	8.5	74.5	17	3.1	47
2010	-	4.2	79.2	16.7	3.1	24
2011	-	-	56.5	43.5	3.4	23

In General, it is my perception that the first 3 years of training at the SHS prepared me for later training:

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
1 (Very Badly)	-	-	-	-	-
2	-	-	-	-	-
3	-	-	-	-	-
4	2.3	-	8.5	-	13.6
5	9.1	9.7	2.1	8.3	-
6	6.8	12.9	8.5	25	9.1
7	29.6	22.6	34	33.3	36.4
8	25	35.5	34	20.8	22.7
9	18.2	6.5	10.6	12.5	13.6
10 (Extremely Well)	9.1	12.9	2.1	-	4.5
Average	7.6	7.5	7.2	7	7.1

Number of responses	44	31	47	24	22
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In General, it is my perception that the training at the SHS prepared me to medical practice:

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
1 (Very Badly)	-	-	-	-	-
2	-	-	-	-	-
3	-	-	-	-	-
4	-	-	-	-	-
5	-	3.2	2.1	4.2	8.7
6	2.2	3.2	10.6	8.3	4.3
7	15.2	22.6	19.1	20.8	8.7
8	32.6	51.6	36.2	45.8	39.1
9	34.8	19.3	23.4	12.5	26.1
10 (Extremely Well)	15.22	-	8.5	8.3	13
Average	8.4	7.8	7.9	7.8	8

Number of responses	46	31	47	24	13
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MASTER'S GRADUATION QUESTIONNAIRE
6th Year – 2011/2012
Version 3

Dear student,

We appreciate your continuous collaboration with the Longitudinal study of School of Health Sciences of the University of Minho. We hope that this collaboration will continue for a long time and lead to the development of new projects.

At graduation as a medical doctor, please fill in the following questionnaire with information relating to your experience in the school of health sciences.

Thanks and see you soon.

Please identify your questionnaire. The identification is important to relate your responses along the Longitudinal study. All information collected is confidential and WILL NOT BE part of your academic record.

Please read each of the questions carefully before answering and respond according to the instructions.

All data collected are the responsibility of the Medical education unit that ensures its confidentiality.

Identification

Name: _____

Means Number: _____ Id number: _____

CONSENT

I authorize the MEU TO use the data collected with Graduation Questionnaire within the Longitudinal study of School of Health Sciences of the University of Minho (description of the Longitudinal study on the last page of the questionnaire)

Date: ____/____/____ Signature: _____

Once again, thank you for collaborating with the Longitudinal study. If you have any questions regarding this survey, or suggestions for improvement, please contact the responsible (Manuel João Costa, Prof. SHS auxiliary/ Email: mmcosta@ecsau.de.uminho.pt) or the researcher associated with the Project (Ana Paula Salgueira, Superior technical SHS/ Email: meded@ecsau.de.uminho.pt) Tel.: +351 253604805. Fax: +351 253604889.

5. How old were you, approximately, when you decided that you wanted to be a doctor?

Fill the space with human-readable letter

_____ years old.

6. Before your decision to become a doctor was final, your level of certainty in relation to this option was:

Please tick only one option; check the option chosen for each item with a ☒ ; in case of mistake, fill in the square ■ and mark with a ☒ the correct option.

Low ☐₁Moderate ☐₂High ☐₃**When you graduate, what would be your preferred type of community for practice?**

Please tick only one option; check the option chosen for each item with a ☒ ; in case of mistake, fill in the square ■ and mark with a ☒ the correct option.

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| 7. Large city (ex.: Lisboa, Porto) | ☐ ₁ |
| 8. City of moderate size (ex.: Braga, Aveiro) | ☐ ₂ |
| 9. Small town (ex.: Penafiel, Torres Novas) | ☐ ₃ |
| 10. Village or rural area (Ex.: Prado, Aljezur) | ☐ ₄ |

When you graduate, what would be your preferred geographic area for practice in Portugal?

Please tick only one option; check the option chosen for each item with a ☒ ; in case of mistake, fill in the square ■ and mark with a ☒ the correct option.

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| 11. North Coast | ☐ ₁ |
| 12. Center Coast | ☐ ₂ |
| 13. South Coast | ☐ ₃ |
| 14. Interior, North | ☐ ₄ |
| 15. Inside, Center | ☐ ₅ |
| 16. Interior, South | ☐ ₆ |
| 17. Autonomous Regions | ☐ ₇ |
| 18. No, I intend to go to another country | ☐ ₈ |

Please indicate the amount of professional time (relative) you intend to devote to the following activities, when you become a specialist.

Please tick only one option; check the option chosen for each item with a ☒ ; in case of mistake, fill in the square ■ and mark with a ☒ the correct option.

	None of my time	Some of my time	Most of my time
19. Medical research laboratory in nature	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃
20. Nature clinical medical research	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃
21. Clinical practice	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃
22. Teaching	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃
23. Administration of an organization	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃

When you become a specialist, in which of the following types of activity would you like to work?

Please tick only one option; check the option chosen for each item with a ☒ ; in case of mistake, fill in the square ■ and mark with a ☒ the correct option.

	No interest	Little interest	Some interest	Much interest
Social care				
24. Preferably alone	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃
25. Housed in a small team	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃
26. Housed in a great team	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃
27. Population/public health	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃
28. Armed Forces	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃
29. Forensic Medicine	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃
30. Volunteering/non-governmental organizations	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃
31. Another	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃

Please indicate the amount of time you expect to spend caring for patients in the following contexts:

Please tick only one option; check the option chosen for each item with a ☒ ; in case of mistake, fill in the square ☐ and mark with a ☒ the correct option.

	I haven't decided	No, or almost no time (less than 1 day a week)	Some time (1 to 3 days per week)	Most of the time (4 or more days a week)
32. Public Hospital	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃
33. Health Center	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃
34. Large Private Hospital or Clinic	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃
35. Small Private Clinic	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃

The following questions are related to income. When replying, assume that the Euro keeps its current value. Even if they do not meet current income, please make your best estimate. Our interest is not in your level of information about income, but in its awareness about the different specialty.

Please sort the following specialty according to the monthly income (before taxes) that you estimate for each of them:

Number your choices from 1 = lowest income; You can repeat numbers; fill the space with human-readable letter

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36. General Surgery	_____
37. General and family medicine	_____
38. Internal Medicine	_____
39. Obstetrics/Gynecology	_____
40. Ophthalmology	_____
41. Pediatrics	_____
42. Psychiatry	_____
43. Public Health	_____

The decision to pursue a speciality is complex. We understand that at this stage most students have not yet made a final decision. Even so, we would like to know what kind of career you would imagine for yourself 10 years from now. Please base your choices in the descriptions. The examples given serve as general guidance, but may vary from doctor to doctor

Number your choices of 1 = 1st choice 4 = 4th choice; do not repeat numbers; fill the space with human-readable letter

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| 44. | ____ choice | Perform Diagnostics or specialized technical procedures. Preferential contact with peers and colleagues. Main practice in hospitals. Example: Radiology, Pathology. |
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| 45. | ____ choice | Perform specialized techniques or therapeutic procedures that require motor ability. Main practice in hospitals, with some practice in consultation. Examples: Orthopedic Surgery, Neurosurgery, Ophthalmology. |
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| 46. | ____ choice | Provide episodic care or long term, to a specific set of medical problems, which can include instrumentation and technical interventions. Mixture of ambulatory practice in hospitals. Example: Cardiology, Gastroenterology, Psychiatry, Dermatology, Internal Medicine. |
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| 47. | ____ choice | Provide initial assessments of health or disease, education and preventive intervention and global care to a variety of medical problems. Main practice in outpatient context. Example: Family Medicine, Pediatrics. |

What specialty do you consider to choose in the future?

In the list of specialty that lies below, each one is associated with a number. Write legibly, the numbers that correspond to your choices. If the field you want is not discriminated against, write 99 and the specialty name then. If you have not yet decided, write 999. The specialty list is on the following page.

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| 48. | 1st choice | _____ |
| 49. | 2nd choice | _____ |
| 50. | 3rd choice | _____ |

Specialty list:

1. Pathological Anatomy
2. Anesthesiology
3. Angiology and Vascular Surgery
4. Cardiology
5. Pediatric Cardiology
6. Cardiothoracic Surgery
7. General Surgery
8. Maxillofacial Surgery
9. Pediatric Surgery
10. Plastic and Reconstructive and aesthetic surgery
11. Dermato-Venereology
12. Infectious Diseases
13. Endocrinology and Nutrition
14. Stomatology
15. Gastro-Enterology
16. Medical Genetics
17. Gynaecology/Obstetrics
18. Imunoalergology
19. Imunohemoteraphy
20. Clinical Pharmacology
21. Clinical Hematology
22. Sports Medicine
23. Occupational medicine
24. Physical medicine and rehabilitation
25. General and family medicine
26. Internal Medicine
27. Forensic Medicine
28. Nuclear Medicine
29. Tropical Medicine
30. Nephrology
31. Neurosurgery
32. Neurology
33. Interventional Neuroradiology
34. Ophthalmology
35. Medical Oncology
36. Orthopedics
37. Otolaryngology
38. Clinical Pathology
39. Pediatrics
40. Pulmonology
41. Psychiatry
42. Childhood and adolescence Psychiatry
43. Diagnostic Radiology
44. Radiotherapy
45. Rheumatology
46. Public Health
47. Urology
99. another specialty
999. I haven't decided

Please select up to 4 of the factors that most influenced the specialty choice mentioned previously:

NUMBER YOUR CHOICES OF 1 = 1 FACTOR, 4 = FOURTH FACTOR; DO NOT REPEAT NUMBERS; FILL THE SPACE WITH HUMAN-READABLE LETTER

- ____º factor Specialty fitness to my individual characteristics
- ____º factor Type of specialty training institution (Hospital/Health Centre/National Institute of Legal Medicine/public health
Delegation)
- ____º factor Prestige of specialty training institution
- ____º factor Perspective of availability of time for my personal life
- ____º factor Perspective of emergency do not
- ____º factor Perspective of future income
- ____º factor Duration of specialty
- ____º factor Specialty focused on contact with patients
- ____º factor Specialty focused on technology
- ____º factor Better ranking and performance in curricular areas/modules
- ____º factor Awareness of own competence in a specific clinical area
- ____º factor Positive experience of working in clinical residencies and training
- ____º factor Previous experience of a project option in that area/specialty
- ____º factor Professional prestige associated with specialty
- ____º factor Possibility to work with a wide variety of clinical situations/patients
- ____º factor National medical need in a particular specialty
- ____º factor Positive interaction with professors, tutors and supervisors
- ____º factor Specialty content
- ____º factor Other (specify) _____

Please indicate your overall satisfaction level for each of the years the curriculum Course of Medicine of the University of Minho:

Please tick only one option; check the option chosen for each item with a ☒ ; in case of mistake, fill in the square ■ and mark with a ☒ the correct option.

		Very Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
66.	1st Year	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
67.	2nd year	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
68.	3rd year	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
69.	4th year	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
70.	5th year	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
71.	6th year	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄

Please indicate your level of preparation on the following fundamental scientific disciplines:

Please tick only one option; check the option chosen for each item with a ☒ ; in case of mistake, fill in the square ■ and mark with a ☒ the correct option.

		Poor	Reasonable	Good	Excellent	Does not apply
72.	Anatomy	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅
73.	Physiology	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅
74.	Histology	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅
75.	Biochemistry	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅
76.	Genetics	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅
77.	Embryology	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅
78.	Pathology	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅
79.	Pharmacology	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅
80.	Statistics	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅
81.	Public Health	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅
82.	Neoplasms	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅
83.	Cellular and Molecular Biology	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅
84.	Immunology	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅
85.	Microbiology	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅
86.	Psychology	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅
87.	Community Health	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅

88.	History of medicine	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅
89.	Epidemiology	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅
90.	Bioethics and Medical Ethics	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅
91.	General and family medicine	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅

Please indicate your level of preparation to start clinical residences considering the following aspects:

Please tick only one option; check the option chosen for each item with a ☒ ; in case of mistake, fill in the square ☐ and mark with a ☒ the correct option.

		Disagree Strongly	Disagree	Neutral	I Agree	Strongly Agree
92.	I have the clinical skills necessary to start the clinical residencies	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅
93.	I master fundamental mechanisms of disease, clinical indicators and the principles of diagnosis and monitoring for common pathologies	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅
94.	I have the necessary communication skills to interact with patients and health professionals.	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅
95.	Have basic skills in clinical decision making	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅
96.	I have the understanding of the fundamental issues of social sciences in medicine (e.g., ethics, humanism, professionalism)	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> ₅

Please indicate your level of satisfaction with regard to the following aspects:

Please tick only one option; check the option chosen for each item with a ☒ ; in case of mistake, fill in the square ☐ and mark with a ☒ the correct option.

		Very Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
97.	Support in integrating in ECS	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
98.	On adaptation to teaching methodologies/learning course	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
99.	Students ' active involvement in learning	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
100.	Accountability of the students through the process of self-learning	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
101.	Opportunities to work individually and in small groups	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄

102.	Motivation for interest and/or research practice	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
103.	Opportunities to perform research	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
104.	Opportunities for contact with the ICVS	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄

Please indicate your level of satisfaction with the quality of the curriculum for:

Please tick only one option; check the option chosen for each item with a ☒ ; in case of mistake, fill in the square ☐ and mark with a ☒ the correct option.

		Very Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
105.	Research and critical use of biomedical and clinical information	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
106.	Diverse and flexible curriculum, with options	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
107.	Integration of various scientific disciplines in curricular areas	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
108.	Biomedical Sciences articulation with the clinic throughout the course	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
109.	Contribution of laboratory activities for learning	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
110.	Model of Clinical Residencies	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
111.	Curriculum guidance for the country's health profile	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
112.	Curriculum guidance for the central role of health	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
113.	Multidimensional assessment of knowledge/skills (understanding, application, implementation, communication and behavior)	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
114.	Opportunity to contact with the patients and the community	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
115.	Promotion of interbranch relations (e.g. doctor-nurse)	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
116.	An emphasis on ethical and professional behaviour	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
117.	Medical practice in different scenarios	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
118.	Emphasis on psychosocial factors in health and disease	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
119.	Health promotion and disease prevention	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
120.	Humanistic aspects of medicine	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
121.	Economics of health care	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
122.	Research methods/statistics	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
123.	Technology and Informatics	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
124.	Geriatric Medicine	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
125.	Nutrition	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
126.	HIV/AIDS	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄

127.	Public Health	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
128.	Care of the chronically ill	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄

Please indicate your level of satisfaction with the training level of professional skills:

Please tick only one option; check the option chosen for each item with a ☒ ; in case of mistake, fill in the square ■ and mark with a ☒ the correct option.

Very Dissatisfied <input type="checkbox"/> _1		Dissatisfied <input type="checkbox"/> _2		Satisfied <input type="checkbox"/> _3		Very Satisfied <input type="checkbox"/> _4			
		Simulated Context (Clinical skills lab)				Hospitals/Health center			
129.	Collection of medical history	<input type="checkbox"/> _1	<input type="checkbox"/> _2	<input type="checkbox"/> _3	<input type="checkbox"/> _4	<input type="checkbox"/> _1	<input type="checkbox"/> _2	<input type="checkbox"/> _3	<input type="checkbox"/> _4
130.	Physical Examination	<input type="checkbox"/> _1	<input type="checkbox"/> _2	<input type="checkbox"/> _3	<input type="checkbox"/> _4	<input type="checkbox"/> _1	<input type="checkbox"/> _2	<input type="checkbox"/> _3	<input type="checkbox"/> _4
131.	Request for information/diagnostic Tests	<input type="checkbox"/> _1	<input type="checkbox"/> _2	<input type="checkbox"/> _3	<input type="checkbox"/> _4	<input type="checkbox"/> _1	<input type="checkbox"/> _2	<input type="checkbox"/> _3	<input type="checkbox"/> _4
132.	Development of differential diagnosis	<input type="checkbox"/> _1	<input type="checkbox"/> _2	<input type="checkbox"/> _3	<input type="checkbox"/> _4	<input type="checkbox"/> _1	<input type="checkbox"/> _2	<input type="checkbox"/> _3	<input type="checkbox"/> _4
133.	Return of patient Feedback	<input type="checkbox"/> _1	<input type="checkbox"/> _2	<input type="checkbox"/> _3	<input type="checkbox"/> _4	<input type="checkbox"/> _1	<input type="checkbox"/> _2	<input type="checkbox"/> _3	<input type="checkbox"/> _4
134.	Prescription and patient education	<input type="checkbox"/> _1	<input type="checkbox"/> _2	<input type="checkbox"/> _3	<input type="checkbox"/> _4	<input type="checkbox"/> _1	<input type="checkbox"/> _2	<input type="checkbox"/> _3	<input type="checkbox"/> _4
135.	Empathy	<input type="checkbox"/> _1	<input type="checkbox"/> _2	<input type="checkbox"/> _3	<input type="checkbox"/> _4	<input type="checkbox"/> _1	<input type="checkbox"/> _2	<input type="checkbox"/> _3	<input type="checkbox"/> _4

Please indicate your level of satisfaction regarding curricular areas and assessment of teachers by students:

Please tick only one option; check the option chosen for each item with a ☒ ; in case of mistake, fill in the square ■ and mark with a ☒ the correct option.

		Very Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
	Time of delivery of questionnaires				
136.	– In non-clinical science	<input type="checkbox"/> _1	<input type="checkbox"/> _2	<input type="checkbox"/> _3	<input type="checkbox"/> _4
137.	– In the clinical areas	<input type="checkbox"/> _1	<input type="checkbox"/> _2	<input type="checkbox"/> _3	<input type="checkbox"/> _4
	Frequency of evaluation				
138.	– In non-clinical science	<input type="checkbox"/> _1	<input type="checkbox"/> _2	<input type="checkbox"/> _3	<input type="checkbox"/> _4
139.	– In the clinical areas	<input type="checkbox"/> _1	<input type="checkbox"/> _2	<input type="checkbox"/> _3	<input type="checkbox"/> _4

Items evaluated

140.	– In non-clinical science	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
141.	– In the clinical areas	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
Feedback on the results					
142.	– In non-clinical science	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
143.	– In the clinical areas	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
Feedback on the consequences					
144.	– In non-clinical science	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
145.	– In the clinical areas	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄

Please indicate your level of satisfaction regarding their interaction with:

Please tick only one option; check the option chosen for each item with a ☒ ; in case of mistake, fill in the square ☐ and mark with a ☒ the correct option.

		Very Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
Teachers					
146.	– Biomedical curricular areas (MCs, Martin, BPT)	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
	– Cross curricular areas (AF, DVs)				
147.	– In non-clinical science	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
148.	– In the clinical areas	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
149.	Tutors in clinical residencies	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
The staff at ECS					
150.	– In the first 3 years	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
151.	– In the last 3 years	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
152.	Other pupils of the course of Medicine				
153.	– In the first 3 years	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
154.	– In the last 3 years	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
155.	Students of other courses				
156.	– In the first 3 years	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
157.	– In the last 3 years	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄

In General, it is my perception that the first 3 years of training at the SHS prepared me for later training:

Please tick only one option; check the option chosen for each item with a ☒ ; in case of mistake, fill in the square ■ and mark with a ☒ the correct option.

Very badly								Extremely well	
<input type="checkbox"/> _1	<input type="checkbox"/> _2	<input type="checkbox"/> _3	<input type="checkbox"/> _4	<input type="checkbox"/> _5	<input type="checkbox"/> _6	<input type="checkbox"/> _7	<input type="checkbox"/> _8	<input type="checkbox"/> _9	<input type="checkbox"/> _10

In General, it is my perception that the training at the SHS prepared me to medical practice:

Please tick only one option; check the option chosen for each item with a ☒ ; in case of mistake, fill in the square ■ and mark with a ☒ the correct option.

Very badly								Extremely well	
<input type="checkbox"/> _1	<input type="checkbox"/> _2	<input type="checkbox"/> _3	<input type="checkbox"/> _4	<input type="checkbox"/> _5	<input type="checkbox"/> _6	<input type="checkbox"/> _7	<input type="checkbox"/> _8	<input type="checkbox"/> _9	<input type="checkbox"/> _10

Enjoy the next space to express your opinion on other topics of your training that you consider relevant.

Fill the space with human-readable letter

Please indicate your level of satisfaction regarding the following services and facilities of the school of Health Sciences:

Please tick only one option; check the option chosen for each item with a ☒ ; in case of mistake, fill in the square ☐ and mark with a ☒ the correct option.

	No opinion (never used)	Very Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
158. The school library of Health Sciences	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
159. Medical Education Unit	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
160. Security	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
161. Information technology and electronic communication	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
162. Secretariat of ECS	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
163. Support for extra-curricular activities	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
164. Self-study rooms	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
165. Teaching laboratories	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
166. Other classrooms	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄

Please indicate your level of satisfaction regarding the following services and infrastructures of the University of Minho:

Please tick only one option; check the option chosen for each item with a ☒ ; in case of mistake, fill in the square ☐ and mark with a ☒ the correct option.

	No opinion (never used)	Very Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
167. General library of the University of Minho	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
168. Food services (cafeteria/bar)	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
169. Academic Services	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
170. Social action services	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
171. Computer resources	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
172. Halls Of Residence	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄
173. Extra curricular activities facilities	<input type="checkbox"/> ₀	<input type="checkbox"/> ₁	<input type="checkbox"/> ₂	<input type="checkbox"/> ₃	<input type="checkbox"/> ₄

Please comment your experience in the Master's in Medicine of SHS of University of Minho. Specialy the strengths and weaknesses of the curriculum scientific areas listed below. Your suggestions will help to improve the medical training of current and future students.

Fill the space with human-readable letter

Support of ECS at junior high school/upper transition

Strengths:

Weak points:

Biological and Biomedical Sciences:

Strengths:

Weak points:

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Social Sciences and Humanities:

Strengths:

Weak points:

Pathology:

Strengths:

Weak points:

Please comment your experience in the Master's in Medicine of SHS of University of Minho. Specialy the strengths and weaknesses of the curriculum scientific areas listed below. Your suggestions will help to improve the medical training of current and future students. (continuation)

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Community Health:

Strengths:

Weak points:

Thank you for participating.

*Adaptation of "Graduation Questionnaire", from Center for Research in Medical Education and Health Care do Jefferson Medical College