

Name of the Program
MEDICAL ENGLISH - READING SCIENTIFIC ARTICLES
COURSE PROGRAM FOR RESIDENT DOCTORS

General Information: Reading scientific articles in English is a task all physicians have to master. As a skill for ongoing professional development resident doctors need to be able to read and understand scientific articles on daily basis. This course has been designed to improve resident doctors' scientific reading skills.

Learning Goals:

- Assessing the content and understanding the structure of a scientific article in English
- Comprehending the Medical English used in scientific articles
- Being able to decompose scientific articles

Learning method: Online presentation, questions and answers, big group discussion, individual study, reflective sessions

| DATE | HOUR | COURSE PROGRAM |
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| April 06 | 10:00-12:00 | Introduction of the program and short presentation on the course |
| | 12:15-14:15 | Expectations on the course, scanning and skimming scientific articles |
| April 13 | 10:00-12:00 | Understanding scientific articles – method and help to get |
| | 12:15-14:15 | |
| April 20 | 10:00-12:00 | Improving scientific vocabulary - method and exercises |
| | 12:15-14:15 | |
| April 27 | 10:00-12:00 | Latin and Greek word roots, suffixes and prefixes - explanation, examples, exercises, listening exercise |
| | 12:15-14:15 | |
| May 04 | 10:00-12:00 | Reading comprehension, vocabulary improvement, speaking exercise-1 |
| | 12:15-14:15 | |
| May 11 | 10:00-12:00 | Reading comprehension, vocabulary improvement and listening exercise |
| | 12:15-14:15 | |
| May 18 | 10:00-12:00 | Reading comprehension, vocabulary improvement, speaking exercise-2 |
| | 12:15-14:15 | |
| May 25 | 10:00-12:00 | Reading comprehension and vocabulary improvement |
| | 12:15-14:15 | Reflection on the course |

Reading List: Glendinning, E. H., Holmstrom, B. A. S., *English in Medicine*. 2005. 3rd Ed. Cambridge University Press
 McCullagh, M., Wright, R., *Good Practice / Communication Skills in English for the Medical Practitioner*. 2008. Cambridge University Press
 Jones, B. D., *Comprehensive Medical Terminology*. 2008 3rd Ed. Thomson Delmar Learning
 (Several online sources will be added upon group needs)