ÇAĞ ÜNİVERSİTESİ
ÇAĞ UNIVERSITY

COURSE SYLLABUS

Faculty of Arts and Sciences

Course Code	Course Name	Credit	ECTS Value
OSD 155	Global Health Debates	2-1-2	5

Prerequisite Courses:	None		
Course Language:	Turkish	**Teaching Style:**	Online
Course Type and Level:	**Elective/Fall Semester/Undergraduate**		

Course Instructor Title, Name and Surname	Class Hours	Office Hours	Communication
Lecturer Hilal EKİM	2	Thursday 10:30-12:30	hilalekim@cag.edu.tr

Course Coordinator:	Lecturer Hilal EKİM

Purpose of the Course

Course Learning Outcomes		Students who successfully complete this course;	Relationships: Program Outcomes	Relationships: Net Contribution
	1	the relationship between globalization and health in terms of its causes, processes and consequences.	17,18	5,5
	2	Can analyze global health problems (epidemics, migration, environmental threats, bioterrorism , etc.).	17,18	5,5
	3	Global financing of health systems, pharmaceutical industry and health technologies evaluate their effects on health policies.	15,17	5,5
	4	Can critically discuss the social determinants of health and health inequalities .	17,18	5,5

Course Content:	This course will examine the causes and consequences of globalization and its impact on health policy. It will also examine issues directly related to health, such as the international spread of infectious diseases, the global financing structures of healthcare systems, the role of the pharmaceutical industry in the global market, drug use in Turkey and globally, the social determinants of health, digital health technologies, environmental threats, and migration.

Course Contents: (Weekly Lesson Plan)

Week	Subject	Preparation	Teaching Methods and Techniques
1	Review of the Course Syllabus/Introduction	None	**Introduction, review of course syllabus**
2	Globalization, its causes, processes, results, reflections on health policies, globalization and health relationship	Students' primary health systems , global health issues and are expected to obtain preliminary information about current health policies .	**Expression**
3	Epidemics and Covid 19 in the world	Students will bring up-to-date statistics and news regarding the Covid-19 pandemic. Major epidemics in history will be researched.	**Narration, Case Study**

4	Demographic change in OECD countries and Turkey , trends in health expenditures, global financing of health	OECD and TÜİK data . Health expenditure statistics are compared.	**Narrative , Data Analysis**
5	Pharmaceutical industry, drug use in Türkiye and the world	drug consumption, generic drugs, and the role of the pharmaceutical industry.	**Expression**
6	Social determinants of health and globalization	Reading about social determinants (education, income, environment)	**Expression**
7	Health and technology	Examples on digital health applications, artificial intelligence, and telehealth are collected.	**Lecture, sample review**
8	Midterm Exam		
9	Midterm Exam		
10	Health ecosystem	The actors of the health system (hospitals, insurance companies, the state, individuals) are examined.	**Expression**
11	Value-oriented and patient-centered system	patient satisfaction and value- based healthcare are explored.	**Expression**
12	The world's most deadly diseases, global health problems	WHO's "Global Health Reading is done from “Estimates ” reports.	**Expression**
13	Bioterrorism , Chemical weapons	bioterrorist attacks in history are investigated.	**Altım , Case study**
14	The relationship between migration and health care	The report on migration and health services in Türkiye is read.	**Expression**
15	Air and environmental pollution	Current news on the effects of environmental pollution on health is examined.	**Lecture, brainstorming**
16	Future health predictions in the world	WHO's future health reports, articles on artificial intelligence and the health system are read.	**Expression**
17	Final Exam		

18	Final Exam		

Resources for the Course	
Textbook :	Presentations prepared by the course instructor
Recommended Resources:	Globalization and Health – World Health Organization Turkey Office publications Health Policies in Türkiye – Ayse Kaya Globalization, Health and Human Rights – Human Rights Association Reports

Course Assessment and Evaluation

Events	Number	Contribution	Notes
Midterm Exam	1	20%	Written examination
Homework	4	30%	Individual report
Final	1	50%	Comprehensive written exam

ECTS Table

Contents	Number	Hour	Total
Course duration	**14**	**2**	28
Out-of-Class Work	**14**	**3**	42
Homework	**4**	**9**	36
Midterm Exam (Midterm Exam Duration + Midterm Exam Preparation)	**1**	**16**	16
Final Exam (Final Exam Duration + Final Exam Preparation)	**1**	**20**	20
		Total:	142
		Total / 30:	142:30 = 4.7
		ECTS Credits:	5

Past Successes	