

Course Unit	Health systems policies		Field of study	Health	
	Graduate in nursing management		School	School of Health	
Academic Year	2019/2020	Year of study	1	Level	ECTS credits 2.0
Type	Semestral	Semester	1	Code	5042-678-1109-00-19
Workload (hours)	54	Contact hours	T -	TP 10	PL -
			TC -	S -	E -
			OT -	O -	

T - Lectures; TP - Lectures and problem-solving; PL - Problem-solving, project or laboratory; TC - Fieldwork; S - Seminar; E - Placement; OT - Tutorial; O - Other

Name(s) of lecturer(s) Eugénia Maria Garcia Jorge Anes

#### Learning outcomes and competences

At the end of the course unit the learner is expected to be able to:

1. Know the health system and what are the main objectives;
2. Understand the evolution of the Portuguese Health System;
3. Know the financing of health systems and main sources of funding;
4. Recognize differences between Health Systems, international comparisons;
5. Develop capacity to analyze the performance and efficiency of a health system.

#### Prerequisites

Before the course unit the learner is expected to be able to:  
Not applicable

#### Course contents

Health systems concept and main objectives. Evolution of the Portuguese Health System. Health Systems, international comparisons. Functions of a health system  
Health system financing and main sources of funding: Bismark and Beveridge models. Performance and efficiency of a healthcare system.

#### Course contents (extended version)

1. Health systems concept and main objectives.
2. Evolution of the Portuguese Health System.
3. Health Systems, international comparisons.
4. Health system financing and funding sources: Bismark and Beveridge models.
5. Performance and efficiency of a healthcare system.

#### Recommended reading

1. Observatório Português dos Sistemas de Saúde. Relatórios de Primavera. <http://opss.pt/>
2. OECD. <https://www.oecd.org/health/bycountry/portugal/>
3. WHO. <http://www.euro.who.int/en/countries/portugal>
4. Rui, N.& Rego, G. (2010). Gestão da Saúde. Lisboa: Prata & Rodrigues Publicações, Lda.
5. Gabinete De Gestão De Saúde XXI. (2007). Investir em Saúde. Ministério da Saúde

#### Teaching and learning methods

The course will be taught using the combination of lectures, interactive classes with application of theoretical knowledge in practical situations and self-learning guided by the teacher.

#### Assessment methods

1. Alternative 1 - (Regular, Student Worker) (Final)
  - Practical Work - 100%
2. Alternative 2 - (Regular, Student Worker) (Supplementary, Special)
  - Final Written Exam - 100%

#### Language of instruction

Portuguese

#### Electronic validation

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