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Fakulteta za *zdravstvene vede*

FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT

UNIVERSITY OF NOVO MESTO
FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES

is inviting you to the

9TH SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE WITH INTERNATIONAL
PARTICIPATION

Holistic Approach to the Patient
Novo mesto, Thursday, 14 November 2019.

By organising the 9th SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE WITH INTERNATIONAL PARTICIPATION entitled “**HOLISTIC APPROACH TO THE PATIENT**”, the University of Novo mesto Faculty of Health Sciences would like to contribute to knowledge exchange and consolidation of the expertise, and above all, to intensify the efforts for encouraging research in the field of nursing care, health and social problems from the aspect of quality, education and management.

The goals of the conference are:

- presenting the results of the latest research studies in the field of the conference topics;
- strengthening cooperation between Slovene and European experts, as well as schools and faculties in the field of nursing sciences and broader;
- transferring knowledge and experience between practice and the scientific research field.

The central theme of the 9th Scientific Conference is **holistic approach to the patient in health and social care from the aspect of quality, responsibility and humanity**, in the context of which the following topics will be discussed:

- holistic approach to patients of different age periods;
- treatment and nursing of patients with different chronic and acute diseases;
- integrated health and social care;
- concepts in treating vulnerable groups and people with special needs;
- physiotherapy and movement activity in the patient's comprehensive treatment;
- health ecology and public health;
- ethics and values in health and social care;
- patients' rights and obligations;
- prevention and healthy lifestyle;
- quality and safety in health and social care;
- management in health and social care;
- education and care for maintaining the health of employees;
- communication in health and social care;
- interprofessional and interinstitutional cooperation.

An insight into current trends will be given by plenary guest lecturers, recognised and respected Slovene and foreign experts in the aforementioned fields.

The conference, which will be held in Slovene, Croatian, Serbian and English language, is intended for **researchers, higher education teachers and experts from practice in the field of health and social care**, as well as for the general public interested in the topics.

Papers will be presented as oral presentations in sessions or posters in poster session. The paper should have no more than two authors. Each author (or co-author) can only submit one paper.

Master's and doctoral study programme students and their mentors are also welcome to actively participate in the conference.

Important dates for applicants:

Abstract submission	10 September 2019
Paper submission	5 October 2019

Registration and abstract submission is performed online, using the following link: <http://anketa.vs-nm.si/konferenca2019>.

The organisation committee will notify you about the abstract acceptance and further invite you to submit the whole paper to be published in the Conference Proceedings. With this, you will be informed if your paper is selected for oral or poster presentation.

The accepted abstracts will be published in the Book of Abstracts, whereas the whole papers will be published in the Conference Proceedings. In order for the paper to be published in the Conference Proceedings, its presentation by the author or co-author needs to be performed at the conference. All the selected papers will be subject to blind peer review and published in the Conference Proceedings.

Registration fee:

Registration fee for participation at the scientific conference is obligatory for all participants. The fee covers the participation in all lectures at the conference, the Book of Abstracts and the Conference Proceedings, beverages and snacks during breaks, as well as lunch during the conference.

Registration fee for participation at the scientific conference:

Registration fee	EUR 120
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The payment of the registration fee is made to the bank account of the University of Novo mesto Faculty of Health Sciences, IBAN SI56 0315 0100 0476 893 (purpose: conference). Upon receipt of the payment, an invoice will be issued to you. **Deadline for the registration fee payment is 4 October 2019.**

If you need any further information, please contact us via e-mail: dekanat@vs-nm.si, by telephone: +386 7 393 00 30, or visit our website: <https://fzv.uni-nm.si/sl/konferenca/>.

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PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME – Thursday, 14 November 2019

8.00 – 9.00	Registration
9.00 – 9.30	Opening of the scientific conference
9.30 – 11.00	PLENARY I
11.00 – 11.30	<i>Coffee break</i>
11.30 – 13.00	PLENARY II
13.00 – 15.00	<i>Lunch</i>
15.00 – 16.30	WORK IN SESSIONS
16.30 – 17.00	<i>Coffee break and</i> POSTER PRESENTATION
17.00 – 18.00	WORK IN SESSIONS
18.00 – 18.15	PLENARY CLOSING SESSION

The Organizing Committee reserves the right to minor changes in the program.