



**Karolinska  
Institutet**

Course syllabus for

## **Professional issues and ethics 1, 3 credits**

Professionella frågor och etik 1, 3 hp

This course has been cancelled, for further information see Transitional provisions in the last version of the syllabus.

Please note that the course syllabus is available in the following versions:

[Autumn2010](#) , [Autumn2012](#) , [Autumn2013](#) , [Autumn2014](#) , [Autumn2015](#)

Course code	2LG016
Course name	Professional issues and ethics 1
Credits	3 credits
Form of Education	Higher Education, study regulation 2007
Main field of study	Speech and Language Pathology
Level	G1 - First cycle 1
Grading scale	Pass, Fail
Department	Department of Clinical Science, Intervention and Technology
Decided by	Programnämnd 4
Decision date	2010-05-05
Revised by	Education committee CLINTEC
Last revision	2017-04-27
Course syllabus valid from	Autumn 2015

## **Specific entry requirements**

General admission requirements.

## **Objectives**

On completion of the course, the student is expected to be able to:

- at a general level describe and exemplify voice, speech and language disorders and swallowing disorders in children, adolescents and adults
- schematically describe different team models in health care and their importance for the patient
- account for the implication of the concepts of equality, environment and sustainability
- reflect on the speech pathology profession and activities
- discuss central ethical concepts and principles
- search for and interpret information in library catalogues and databases

## **Content**

The course contains general lectures in the field of speech pathology, the subject areas of equality and sustainable development and on basic ethical concepts and on how scientific information is organised and structured. The course also contains an orientation in clinical work through auscultations with speech pathologists within different areas of activity and group discussions of the speech pathologist role.

## Teaching methods

Self-study through web-based course, lectures, group exercises and auscultations with a professional speech pathologist. Write log book in connection with auscultation.

Auscultation and log book, as well as some lectures and group exercises, are compulsory.

The course coordinator decides how absence from compulsory course elements can be made up.

Study results cannot be reported until the student has participated in compulsory course elements or compensated for any absence in accordance with instructions from the course coordinator.

Absence from a compulsory course element could mean that the student can not retake the element until the next time the course is offered.

## Examination

Individually written assignment

The assignment is corrected anonymously using an identification number for each student.

To pass the course, attendance at compulsory parts is also required. Students who do not pass a regular examination are entitled to re-sit the examination on five more occasions. If the student fails six examinations/test there will be no additional examination.

## Transitional provisions

The course has been cancelled and was offered for the last time in the fall semester of 2015.

Examination will be provided until the spring of 2018 for students who have not completed the course.

## Other directives

The course evaluation will be carried out according to the guidelines established by the Board of Education. The course evaluation will mainly be completed using online audience-response systems (mentometers).

## Literature and other teaching aids

**KomIgång : en föräldrakurs om kommunikation och kommunikationsstöd : kursbok**

*Thunberg, Gunilla; Carlstrand, Anna; Claesson, Britt; Rensfeldt Flink, Anna*

Göteborg : DART, 2011 - 108 s.

ISBN:9789163382390 LIBRIS-ID:12545332

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*Lynöe, Niels*

**Medicinska etikens ABZ**

*Juth, Niklas*

Stockholm : Liber, 2009 - 416 s.

ISBN:91-47-09413-3 LIBRIS-ID:11468670

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