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| ***Lesson Plan*** | |
| **Teaching Unit** | Communication |
| **Title** | **Planning and conducting family meetings -1h (30min online, 30 min seminar)** |
| **Learning**  **Outcome** | Specific communication issues: talking to relatives |
| **Summary** | Families represent a strong source of support for patients with chronic progressive illnesses. Also in many cultures families have a strong involvement in care and decision making. The session aims to empower students to use family meetings/conferences as a tool to better communicate and share information with family members, clarify goals of care and develop joint care plans |
| **Learning**  **Objectives**  **C- Cognition**  **S – Skills**  **A – Attitudes** | Cognition/ Knowledge  - Describe trigger situations that request organizing family meetings  - Explains the steps in organizing a family meeting  Skills  - Demonstrates ability to develop a plan for a family meeting in response to practical issues.  Attitudes  - Show respect for family members contribution and involvement in the decision |
| **Learning**  **Methods** | In online format – before the seminar trigger power point with 5 open ended questions  Seminar format  - puzzle –  - small group work – |
| **Timing** | 1. 30 min online plus assignment David Weismann cropped presentation -15 minutes and respond to open questions exercise on a blackboard  2. Optional self-study P. Hudson Article  3. Seminar - 5 minutes puzzle steps in organizing family meetings +  4. 5 min feedback / compare with check list  5. 10 min group work plan a family meeting on a given case using a  given checklist  6. 10 min feedback on the plans- groups will take the plans home and bring them reviewed for following sesssion , will be marked |
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