

SÜLEYMAN DEMİREL UNIVERSITY
FACULTY OF MEDICINE
Education Program Evaluation Board (E.P.D.K.)

Meeting Minutes

Meeting No	76
Meeting Date	12 February 2024
Venue	Dean's Office Building, Hall A

AGENDA ITEMS

1. Review of the matters to be carried out within the scope of the board's activities
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DECISIONS

1. Within the scope of preparations for our Faculty's Self-Assessment Report, the EPDK convened in February to hold an additional meeting.
2. In our Faculty's most recent accreditation evaluation, it was recommended, as one of the matters requiring improvement, that the duration and variety of the elective courses in the education program be increased. The matter was discussed. In this context:
3. It was discussed that there is a 1-week elective clerkship in Term 5 and a 4-week elective clerkship in Term 6, that their durations cannot be increased within the program's rotation cycle, but that variety could be provided.
4. In order to increase the variety of elective courses, it was decided that it would be appropriate to add courses from the basic-science departments to the 1-week elective course pool in Term 5.
5. It was decided that the single 4-week elective course in Term 6 could be turned into 2 elective courses of 2 weeks each, opened as "Elective-1" and "Elective-2" courses.
6. It was decided that 2 separate pools be created, one from the internal-medicine (non-surgical) branches for the Elective-1 course and one from the surgical branches for the Elective-2 course.
7. It was decided, unanimously, that the above decisions be forwarded to MÖTEK for discussion, and that, if the decisions are accepted, proposals for opening elective courses be obtained from all departments in order to create the elective pools for the basic-science, internal-medicine, and surgical branches.
8. The letter from the Department of Chest Diseases requesting that its clerkship be included as a mandatory clerkship in the Term VI course program was discussed — noting that, although the clerkship was requested to be converted into a mandatory clerkship, the department specified a quota, and requested that this conversion be for a period of not less than 1 month. Since a justification consistent with these requests could not be established, it was decided unanimously to reject this request of the Department of Chest Diseases Chairmanship.

ATTENDANCE

Undergraduate Medical Education Board of the Faculty of Medicine
Prof. Dr. Nilgün Şenol — Attended
Assoc. Prof. Dr. Sabriye Ercan — Attended
Assoc. Prof. Dr. Mehtap Savran — Attended
Chief Coordinator's Office for Education and Instruction
Prof. Dr. Mekin Sezik — Attended
Prof. Dr. Halil AŞCI — [illegible]
Assist. Prof. Dr. Vehbi Atahan TOĞAY — Attended
Term 1 Coordinators
Assoc. Prof. Dr. Kuyaş HEKİMLER ÖZTÜRK — Attended
Assist. Prof. Dr. Halil ÖZBAŞ — [illegible]
Assist. Prof. Dr. M. Yusuf TEPEBAŞI — [illegible]
Term 2 Coordinators
Prof. Dr. Mustafa SAYGIN — Attended

Assoc. Prof. Dr. Rahime ASLANKOÇ — Attended
Assoc. Prof. Dr. Server YAĞCI — [illegible]
Term 3 Coordinators
Assoc. Prof. Dr. Fatma Nihan CANKARA — [illegible]
Assist. Prof. Dr. Cennet AK — [illegible]
Assist. Prof. Dr. Ümran AYDEMİR SEZER — Attended
Term 4 Coordinators
Assoc. Prof. Dr. Ali BAĞCI — [illegible]
Assoc. Prof. Dr. Alparslan MERDİN — Attended
Assist. Prof. Dr. İsa SÖZEN — [illegible]
Term 5 Coordinators
Assist. Prof. Dr. Süleyman Emre AKIN — Attended
Assist. Prof. Dr. Ahmet BİNDAL — [illegible]
Assist. Prof. Dr. Furkan Çağrı OĞUZLAR — Attended
Term 6 Coordinators
Assoc. Prof. Dr. Filiz ALKAYA SOLMAZ — Attended
Assoc. Prof. Dr. Demircan ÖZBALCI — [illegible]
Assist. Prof. Dr. Girayhan ÇELİK — [illegible]
Department of Public Health
Prof. Dr. Ersin USKUN — Attended
Department of Medical Education and Informatics
Assoc. Prof. Dr. M. İnci BAŞER KOLCU — Attended
Assist. Prof. Dr. Giray KOLCU — [illegible]
Student Representatives
Term 1 Representative — [illegible]
Term 2 Representative — [illegible]
Term 3 Representative — [illegible]
Term 4 Representative — [illegible]
Term 5 Representative — Attended
Term 6 Representative — [illegible]
Board Secretary: Musa AKAN
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