[Keywords] Medical ethics, clinical epidemiology, medical welfare, medical accidents

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## [Course aims]

This course deals with medical ethics, clinical epidemiology. As one of the medical professions, dentists have long subscribed to a body of ethical statements developed primarily for the benefit of patients. As a member of this profession, dentists must recognize their responsibility to patients first, and to self for prevention of medical accidents.

[Course objectives]

The goals of this course are for the student to be able to:

- 1. Explain the medical ethics and some examples (euthanasia, death with dignity, surrogacy and cloning).
- 2. Obtain epidemiologic and molecular biological knowledge and technologies.
- 3. Explain the pathologic diagnosis employing morphologic approaches.
- 4. Explain medical welfare.
- 5. Obtain knowledge of medical accidents.

[Course content]

Class	Theme	Content	Academics
1	Classroom lectures and discussion		Hiroko Miura Hirofumi Matsuoka

[Class implementation method]

Combination of face-to-face learning and distance learning <u>Class implementation depends on the implementation policy of each department (graduate school) or school.</u>

[Grading policies] Your overall grade in class will be decided based on class attendance and reports.

[Textbook] Further notice

[Reference book] Same as above

[Preparation for course]

Students must understand the course objectives and prepare properly for the classes.