

HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL LEGISLATION

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Objective of the course: to provide students with basic knowledge on environmental laws and legislation at a national, EU and international level. Provide general elements on the organization and structures of the National Health Service.
The course provides 9 CFU after successfully passing the final test.

Program

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE OF CIVIL, ADMINISTRATIVE AND PENAL LAWS.

STRUCTURE AND FUNCTIONS OF THE MAIN INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS IN THE FIELD OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT.

STRUCTURE AND ROLES OF THE EUROPEAN UNION (EU)

EU institutions of health and environmental interest. The sources of the EU regulations: regulations, directives, etc..

STRUCTURE AND ROLES OF THE MAIN NATIONAL HEALTH BODIES

Ministry of Health, ISS, CSS, etc.

THE NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE: LEGISLATIVE, TASKS AND OPERATING STRUCTURES.

PRINCIPLES OF ENVIRONMENTAL LAW AND INSTITUTIONS

Environmental law in Italy and in the EU. EU environmental policy.

STRUCTURE AND FUNCTION OF THE MAJOR NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:

the European Medicines Agency (EMA): structure and roles. Reports on the state of the environment and EU operational programs.

Ministry of Environment and related structures: ISS, CNR, ISPRA, ARPA, ARRA Sicilia, ENEA, etc.

The involvement of enterprises (EMAS and ISO14000). ECO-AUDIT and ECOLABEL.

THE EUROPEAN ENVIRONMENT CODE (DL.vo 152/2006 and amendments)

THE PROTECTION OF WATER

Legislation, prevention and authorization regimen and penalties.

Water for human use.

PROTECTION FROM SOIL POLLUTION

The legal framework for the protection of soil.

WASTES AND THEIR DISPOSAL.

The rules governing the production and disposal of waste and their recovery.

Recycling and energy recovery.

Medical and pharmaceutical waste.

THE PROTECTION OF AIR POLLUTION

The main rules at national and community control, prevention and penalties in the field.

THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT (VIA), Strategic Environmental Assessment (VAS), AND THE INTEGRATED ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORIZATION (AIA-IPPC).

Suggested Textbooks:

S. Maglia, DIRITTO AMBIENTALE - IPSOA editore, 2011.

DIRITTO DELL'AMBIENTE – Ed. SIMONE

IL CODICE DELL'AMBIENTE – Ed. La Tribuna, Piacenza

P. Minghetti – LEGISLAZIONE FARMACEUTICA – CEA, Milano

R. Sangiuliano – DIRITTO SANITARIO – Ed. Simone, XX Ed., 2010

Other essential references may be acquired from the websites of major organizations and bodies of national and European associations in the fields.