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Curricular Unit	Epidemiology Ergonomics
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Learning Outcomes	 Knowledge of fundamental concepts related to specific methodologies and and epidemiological research Capacity to interpret the results of epidemiologic studies. Understand the distribution - the populations in time and space - the determinants of health and disease, and the effectiveness and impact of interventions to control health problems. Capacity to design an epidemiological study
Syllabus	Epidemiology, definition and methods: historical perspective and main objectives. Descriptive epidemiology: definition, methods and relevance Analytical epidemiology: definition and methods Interventional epidemiology: definition and methods Main parameters used in epidemiology: Population, sample, crude and specific rates, adjusted rates, Incidence, Prevalence and its relationship Planning an epidemiological study: issues to be considered in protocol design. Sampling: definition and types of sampling Methods of information collection and analysis in the same Measures of association: relative risk, odds ratio, attributable risk fraction, population attributable risk, prevention fraction. Principles of causality Bias spice and interaction Systematic reviews
Evaluation	Continuous assessment: Theoretical-component - perform a writing frequency. The frequency must have a minimum grade of 9.5Practical component - making worksheets 2 of which must be evaluated. All entries must have a minimum grade of 9.5. The note of this component is 30% of final grade the discipline. Final evaluation: • Conducting an examination consisting of a written, practical and oral test. To access the oral exam is required obtain evidence in writing and practice a minimum grade of 9.5. The final grade is 70% of 30% theoretical component and the practical component.

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