

# Clinical Oncology

(Code : 4865, 1<sup>st</sup> – 2<sup>nd</sup> year: 4 units)

(Course ID: GS-c4865-S)

## 1. Instructors

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## 2. Classroom/Lab Lecture Location

Daigakuin Kogishitsu 3, M&D Tower 11F

## 3. Course Purpose and Outline

To provide an overview of the field of clinical oncology by acquiring systematic knowledge of palliative medicine, medical oncology and comprehensive cancer examination and treatment.

## 4. Course Objectives

1. To acquire comprehensive knowledge of oncology and the skills to explain it to others.
2. To facilitate discussion in the field of multi-disciplinary collaboration.
3. To acquire knowledge regarding methods to improve patients' QOL, and to be able to put them to practice.

## 5. Format

Class sizes are kept small to facilitate discussion and communication.

## 6. Class Detail

To be able to provide cross-sectional cancer examinations that take biological profiles, clinical and social medicine as well as cultural aspects into account, in addition to traditional organ-specific cancer diagnosis. While focusing on palliative medicine and cancer chemotherapy, students will learn about regional collaboration and team medical care, equipping them to become future leaders of comprehensive cancer examination and treatment.

Check the schedule announced at the beginning of the academic year for research progress meetings and journal clubs.

Conferences:

Monday 17:00 PM: Palliative care team conference

Thursday 18:00 PM – 19:00 PM: every third Thursday = Cancer board, every first, second and fourth Thursday = Genome cancer board

**7. Assessment**

An overall assessment comprising of class participation (knowledge and understanding of the specialty field, content of presentations and Q&A) (50%) and involvement in research (50%) will be made.

**8. Prerequisite Reading**

None.

**9. Reference Materials**

Oxford Textbook of Palliative Medicine

**10. Language Used**

All classes are conducted in English.

**11. Office Hours**

Mon – Fri: 9:00 AM – 17:00 PM

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Please contact the instructor regarding questions or consultations.

**12. Note(s) to Students**

It is expected that anyone who is interested in the field of oncology will participate actively.