

ACADEMIC SENATE – 10 NOVEMBER 2020
NOTE ABOUT INTERNSHIP IN THE SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

- Considering what is specified in the Prime Ministerial Decree of 3 November 2020 (art. 1, c. 9, let. s)): "... the activities of trainees in the school of medicine may in any case continue even in a remote mode";
- given the overall pandemic situation and, in particular, the situation of strong pressure on the clinics of the AOUS and AUSL-SE, with a progressive increase in the actual and potential number of covid-positive patients who contact the hospitals;
- considering the supreme interest of students, with particular reference to the need to avoid delays in the correct and timely conclusion of their academic career;
- having regard to the need, even in the very short term, to provide the Regional and National Health System with professionally trained personnel to support the effort in contrasting the pandemic and provide assistance to the patients;
- aware of the recommendations expressed by the Permanent Conference of the Presidents of the Master's Degree Course in Medicine and Surgery.

THE ACADEMIC SENATE ISSUES THE FOLLOWING GUIDELINES ABOUT INTERNSHIP
ACTIVITIES THAT CANNOT BE CARRIED OUT IN DISTANCE MODE:

- Internships are regularly carried out for students of the 6th year of the Degree in Medicine and Surgery and of the 3rd year of the Degrees in Health Professions.
- Internships for students enrolled in year 1-5 for the Degree in Medicine and Surgery and in year 1-2 for the Degrees in health professions can be suspended.
- In any case, the medical departments (DSMCN, DMMS, DBM) and the managing committees of the aforementioned programs allow the carrying out of internships for non-terminal years in conditions of particular need and/or in cases where it is possible to ensure the attendance of the internships themselves in absolute safety, in any case timely communicating the decision to the students.
- Suspended internship activities will be planned as soon as possible.
- The aforementioned guidelines are operational until 3 December next, unless otherwise communicated.