



# Postgraduate Diploma

Diagnosis and Therapeutics of Community Infections

» Modality: online

» Duration: 6 months

» Certificate: TECH Technological University

» Dedication: 16h/week

» Schedule: at your own pace

» Exams: online

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The virility of community infections and the ease with which an outbreak can occur make these conditions one of the most common in terms of recurrence of clinical cases that reach primary and hospital care. Despite the fact that they are usually pathologies that can be quickly diagnosed and do not pose an excessive risk to the patient's health, there are situations in which the severity of the disease requires admission to intensive care units.

These are cases related to pneumonia, meningitis, encephalitis, urinary tract infections, etc., in which immediate and effective action by the specialist could condition the patient's own evolution. Given the responsibility this entails, TECH has developed this Postgraduate Diploma in Diagnosis and Therapeutics of Community Infections, an austere and dynamic program dedicated to medical professionals. It is a program designed by experts in Infectious Diseases that delves into the assessment and treatment of these conditions, as well as the clinical management of cases with zoonotic and bacterial infections.

All this, through a practical and accessible 100% online format, thanks to which the graduates will be able to update their knowledge in a way that is totally compatible with their consulting activity. In addition, all the content can be downloaded to any device with an internet connection, not only for consultation during the program, but also once the academic experience is over.

This **Postgraduate Diploma in Diagnosis and Therapeutics of Community Infections** contains the most complete and up-to-date scientific program on the market. The most important features include:

- Clinical cases presented by experts in Infectious Diseases
- The graphic, schematic, and practical contents with which they are created, provide scientific and practical information on the disciplines that are essential for professional practice
- Practical exercises where the self-assessment process can be carried out to improve learning
- Its special emphasis on innovative methodologies
- Theoretical lessons, questions to the expert, debate forums on controversial topics, and individual reflection assignments
- Content that is accessible from any fixed or portable device with an Internet connection



You will work with the latest scientific evidence related to urinary tract, skin and soft tissue infections, so you will be able to update your knowledge in their specialized clinical management"



Would you like to delve into the causes of fever of unknown origin in the 21st century? With this Postgraduate Diploma you will learn in detail the latest developments related to this condition"

The program's teaching staff includes professionals from sector who contribute their work experience to this educational program, as well as renowned specialists from leading societies and prestigious universities.

Its multimedia content, developed with the latest educational technology, will allow the professional a situated and contextual learning, that is, a simulated environment that will provide an immersive education programmed to prepare in real situations.

This program is designed around Problem-Based Learning, whereby the professional must try to solve the different professional practice situations that arise throughout the program. This will be done with the help of an innovative system of interactive videos made by renowned experts.

The teaching team has selected for this Postgraduate Diploma numerous clinical cases from their own practices so that you can work on perfecting your medical skills.







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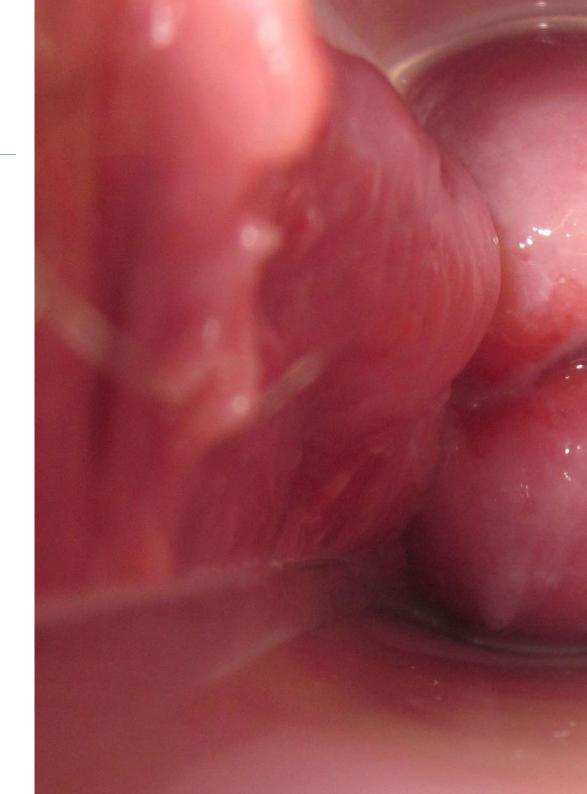


### **General Objectives**

- Provide the graduates with the most innovative academic tools to facilitate their update
- Provide the specialist with the most avant-garde and austere information related to community infections
- Allow them to know in detail the latest therapeutic novelties related to the treatment of these conditions



If among your objectives is to know in detail the novelties related to the assessment of the indication and choice of empirical antibiotic treatment in community infections, this Postgraduate Diploma will exceed your expectations"







# **Specific Objectives**

#### Module 1. Assessment and Treatment of Community Infections

- Identify actions to be taken on transmissible diseases in the community
- Incorporate the latest diagnostic and therapeutic procedures for communityacquired infections into daily practice
- Acquire skills to manage, advise or lead multidisciplinary teams for the study of infectious diseases in communities or individual patients, as well as scientific research teams

#### Module 2. Urinary, Skin and Soft Tissue Infections

- Examine the diversity of genital tract infections and STDs
- Analyze the incidence of viral, fungal and mycobacterial skin infections
- Review the current situation regarding intra-abdominal and enteric infections

#### Module 3. Zoonotic and Bacterial Infections

- Gain in-depth understanding of the current status of tuberculosis, communityacquired pneumonias and zoonotic and bacterial infections.
- Explore the condition of fever of unknown origin or FOD in the 21st century
- Delve into intermediate febrile syndrome and mononucleosis syndrome







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#### Module 1. Assessment and Treatment of Community Infections

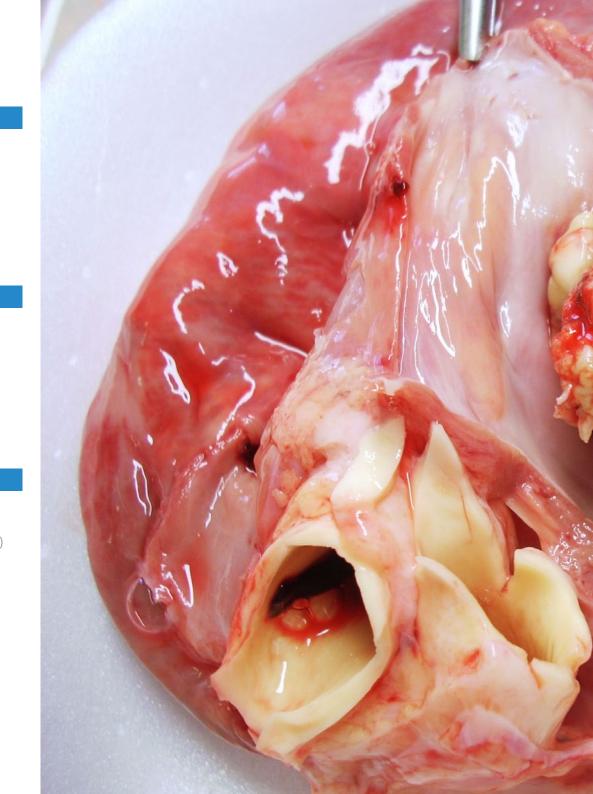
- 1.1. Assessment of the Severity of Infectious Diseases
- 1.2. Support of Biomarkers in the Clinical Diagnosis of Infection
- 1.3. Basic Principles for the Clinician in Assessing the Indication and Choice of Empirical Antibiotic Treatment
- 1.4. Severe Sepsis and Septic Shock. Sepsis Code
- 1.5. Osteoarticular Infections
- 1.6. CNS Infections
- 1.7. Bacterial Endocarditis

#### Module 2. Urinary, Skin and Soft Tissue Infections

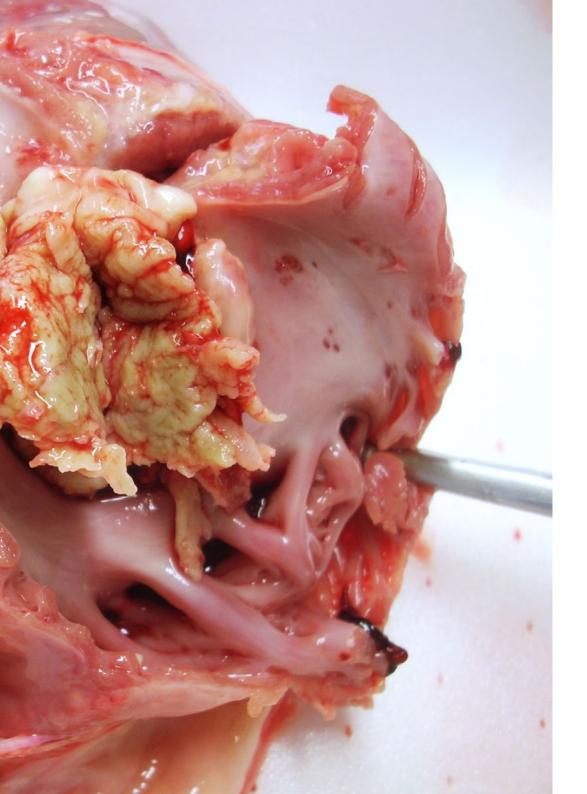
- 2.1. Infections of the Genital Tract and STIs I
- 2.2. Infections of the Genital Tract and STIs II
- 2.3. Genital Infections in Women
- 2.4. Urinary Tract Infections
- 2.5. Viral Skin Infections
- 2.6. Fungal and Microbacterial Skin Infections
- 2.7. Skin and Soft Tissue Infections
- 2.8. Intra-Abdominal and Enteric Infections

#### Module 3. Zoonotic and Bacterial Infections

- 3.1. Tuberculosis
- 3.2. Community-Acquired Pneumonia (CAP)
- 3.3. Zoonosis (Brucella, Rickettsia, Bartonella, Leptospira, Lyme, Leishmania, Arbovirus, etc.)
- 3.4. Intermediate Febrile Syndrome
- 3.5. Mononucleosis Syndrome
- 3.6. Fever and Rash
- 3.7. Fever and Lymphadenopathies in Immunocompetent Patients
- 3.8. Fever of Unknown Origin (FUO) in the 21st Century









A program that gives you the opportunity to take it from wherever you want and with a schedule fully adapted to your availability thanks to its compatibility with computers, tablets and mobiles"





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#### At TECH we use the Case Method

What should a professional do in a given situation? Throughout the program, students will face multiple simulated clinical cases, based on real patients, in which they will have to do research, establish hypotheses, and ultimately resolve the situation. There is an abundance of scientific evidence on the effectiveness of the method. Specialists learn better, faster, and more sustainably over time.

With TECH you will experience a way of learning that is shaking the foundations of traditional universities around the world.



According to Dr. Gérvas, the clinical case is the annotated presentation of a patient, or group of patients, which becomes a "case", an example or model that illustrates some peculiar clinical component, either because of its teaching power or because of its uniqueness or rarity. It is essential that the case is based on current professional life, trying to recreate the real conditions in the physician's professional practice.



Did you know that this method was developed in 1912, at Harvard, for law students? The case method consisted of presenting students with real-life, complex situations for them to make decisions and justify their decisions on how to solve them. In 1924, Harvard adopted it as a standard teaching method"

#### The effectiveness of the method is justified by four fundamental achievements:

- Students who follow this method not only achieve the assimilation of concepts, but also a development of their mental capacity, through exercises that evaluate real situations and the application of knowledge.
- 2. Learning is solidly translated into practical skills that allow the student to better integrate into the real world.
- 3. Ideas and concepts are understood more efficiently, given that the example situations are based on real-life.
- 4. Students like to feel that the effort they put into their studies is worthwhile. This then translates into a greater interest in learning and more time dedicated to working on the course.





#### Relearning Methodology

At TECH we enhance the case method with the best 100% online teaching methodology available: Relearning.

This university is the first in the world to combine the study of clinical cases with a 100% online learning system based on repetition, combining a minimum of 8 different elements in each lesson, a real revolution with respect to the mere study and analysis of cases.

Professionals will learn through real cases and by resolving complex situations in simulated learning environments. These simulations are developed using state-of-the-art software to facilitate immersive learning.



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At the forefront of world teaching, the Relearning method has managed to improve the overall satisfaction levels of professionals who complete their studies, with respect to the quality indicators of the best online university (Columbia University).

With this methodology, more than 250,000 physicians have been trained with unprecedented success in all clinical specialties regardless of surgical load. Our pedagogical methodology is developed in a highly competitive environment, with a university student body with a strong socioeconomic profile and an average age of 43.5 years old.

Relearning will allow you to learn with less effort and better performance, involving you more in your specialization, developing a critical mindset, defending arguments, and contrasting opinions: a direct equation to success.

In our program, learning is not a linear process, but rather a spiral (learn, unlearn, forget, and re-learn). Therefore, we combine each of these elements concentrically.

The overall score obtained by TECH's learning system is 8.01, according to the highest international standards.

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This program offers the best educational material, prepared with professionals in mind:



#### **Study Material**

All teaching material is produced by the specialists who teach the course, specifically for the course, so that the teaching content is highly specific and precise.

These contents are then applied to the audiovisual format, to create the TECH online working method. All this, with the latest techniques that offer high quality pieces in each and every one of the materials that are made available to the student.



#### **Surgical Techniques and Procedures on Video**

TECH introduces students to the latest techniques, the latest educational advances and to the forefront of current medical techniques. All of this in direct contact with students and explained in detail so as to aid their assimilation and understanding. And best of all, you can watch the videos as many times as you like.



#### **Interactive Summaries**

The TECH team presents the contents attractively and dynamically in multimedia lessons that include audio, videos, images, diagrams, and concept maps in order to reinforce knowledge.

This exclusive educational system for presenting multimedia content was awarded by Microsoft as a "European Success Story".





#### **Additional Reading**

Recent articles, consensus documents and international guidelines, among others. In TECH's virtual library, students will have access to everything they need to complete their course.

## **Expert-Led Case Studies and Case Analysis**

Effective learning ought to be contextual. Therefore, TECH presents real cases in which the expert will guide students, focusing on and solving the different situations: a clear and direct way to achieve the highest degree of understanding.



#### **Testing & Retesting**

We periodically evaluate and re-evaluate students' knowledge throughout the program, through assessment and self-assessment activities and exercises, so that they can see how they are achieving their goals.



#### Classes

There is scientific evidence on the usefulness of learning by observing experts.

The system known as Learning from an Expert strengthens knowledge and memory, and generates confidence in future difficult decisions.



#### **Quick Action Guides**

TECH offers the most relevant contents of the course in the form of worksheets or quick action guides. A synthetic, practical, and effective way to help students progress in their learning.









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This **Postgraduate Diploma in Diagnosis and Therapeutics of Community Infections** contains the most complete and up-to-date scientific program on the market.

After the student has passed the assessments, they will receive their corresponding **Postgraduate Diploma** issued by **TECH Technological University** via tracked delivery\*.

The certificate issued by **TECH Technological University** will reflect the qualification obtained in the Postgraduate Diploma, and meets the requirements commonly demanded by labor exchanges, competitive examinations, and professional career evaluation committees.

Title: Postgraduate Diploma in Diagnosis and Therapeutics of Community Infections
Official N° of hours: 450 h.



<sup>\*</sup>Apostille Convention. In the event that the student wishes to have their paper certificate issued with an apostille, TECH EDUCATION will make the necessary arrangements to obtain it, at an additional cost.

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