**EXAMINATION SYNOPSIS** 



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#### FOR SEMESTER EXAMINATION IN ACADEMIC YEAR 2019/2020

### IN

## "CLINICAL ALLERGOLOGY"

## WITH STUDENTS AT MU - PLEVEN

## **SPECIALTY: MEDICINE**

- 1. Basic concepts in allergology.
- 2. Definition of atopy. Genetic mechanisms.
- 3. Types of allergens.
- 4. IgE reagins. First type of hypersensitivity.
- 5. Anaphylactic reactions. Immunological and pathophysiological mechanisms.
- 6. Antihistamines. Classification. Pharmacology and clinical use.
- 7. Leukotriene Receptor Antagonists (LTRAs). Pharmacology and clinical use.
- 8. Glucocorticoids. Pharmacology. Clinical use of systemic, topical and inhaled steroids.
- 9. Xanthines. Theophyline. Pharmacology and clinical use.
- 10. Sympathicomimetics. Classification and clinical use.
- 11. Atopic asthma. Definition. Prevalence. Etiology. Classification.
- 12. Atopic asthma. Pathophysiological and immunological mechanisms.
- 13. Asthma symptoms.
- 14. Diagnosis and differential diagnosis of asthma. Treatment
- 15. Allergic rhinitis. Classification. Symptoms and treatment.
- 16. Allergic conjunctivitis. Classification. Symptoms and treatment.
- 17. Insect sting allergy.

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- 18. Urticaria and Angioedema.
- 19. Hereditary Angioedema.
- 20. Atopic Dermatitis
- 21. Food allergy. Definition. Causes and Pathophysiological mechanisms.
- 22. Food allergy. Symptoms Diagnosis and Treatment.
- 23. Drug Allergy. Definition. Causes and Pathophysiological mechanisms.
- 24. Drug Allergy. Symptoms Diagnosis and Treatment.
- 25. Contrast Medium Reactions.
- 26. Allergy to Anesthetic Agents.
- 27. Erythema exudativum multiforme. Stevens-Johnson syndrome. Lyle`s syndrome.
- 28. Anaphylactic reactions. Causes and Pathophysiological mechanisms.
- 29. Anaphylactic reactions and Emergency Treatment.
- 30. Allergen Immunotherapy. Definition. Indications and contraindications.
- 31. Allergen Immunotherapy. How is Treatment administered? Expected effects. Side effects.

## Practical exam

- 1. Medical history of patient with allergic disease.
- 2. Physical exam of patient with allergic disease.
- 3. Specific laboratory tests used for allergic diseases.
- 4. Skin testing. Scratch tests.
- 5. Skin testing. Prick tests.
- 6. Skin testing. Intradermal tests.
- 7. Skin testing. Patch tests.
- 8. Specific IgE testing. In vitro testing.
- 9. Spirometry tests
- 10. Bronchial challenge tests
- 11. Bronchoprovocation tests with methacholine and allergens
- 12. Allergen nasal provocation tests. Rationale and indications
- 13. Allergen conjunctival provocation tests. Rationale and indications
- 14. Allergen food and drug provocation tests. Rationale and indications
- 15.Contrast Medium and Anesthetic Agent tests
- 16. Allergen Immunotherapy technique