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Intercultural communication has lately been a subject for discussion mainly in the sphere of foreign language teaching. An important idea of this article lies in preserving elements of national culture by foreign students in process of penetrating into local culture with the help of communication. Local language plays its integral role as the basic tool of dialogical interaction. One of the means of supporting the student in his/her spiritual orientation development is participation in amateur art contests, brain-rings, as well as conducting country studies, preparing speeches with interdisciplinary links, creating poster-based presentations for the day of embroidery, analyzing symbols of Ukraine, its holidays and traditions, etc.

Foreign citizens coming to study in Ukraine become the object of socialization. It is noted that one of the important prerequisites for ensuring the effectiveness of the educational process is to take into account the peculiarities of students’ adaptation to the socio-psychological environment in the conditions of HEI. It is concluded that the important condition for future professionals with higher education training is to build the learning process on the basis of a competency approach, the essence of which we understand as the learning process focusing on the key and subject competencies development of future professionals.

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V. Shakhov and others; ways of creative professional decision-making.

The problem of the current stage of society is the globalization of the world in general, the rapprochement of countries and peoples, strengthening their interaction, changes in values, life prospects, attitudes, needs of people, expanding intercultural contacts in personal and professional spheres, which leads to the transformation of education tasks of preparing young people for life in a multicultural environment, for dialogue and intercultural communication. One of the important aspects of the formation of highly qualified specialists, which helps to increase the efficiency of professional activity of the individual, is communication, through which the transfer of a significant amount of information important for professional decision-making.

In modern conditions, the importance of developing the idea of realizing the level of social and cultural competence in the educational environment of higher education institutions is growing. This is especially important for foreign students of higher institutions, who in their future professional activities face various communication barriers caused by differences in social, political, ethnic, educational, religious aspects of the subjects of communication.

Foreign citizens coming to study in Ukraine become the object of socialization. When foreign students come to study in Ukraine, they start getting familiar with Ukraine’s culture, its features and the place it takes in the world’s cultural diversity. Most of foreign students coming to study in Ukraine know next to nothing about this country. Educational process, professional training, occasional contacts with native speakers, negative stereotypes and poor language knowledge restrain foreign students from acknowledgment of Ukrainian cultural values [3]. Thus, international communication of foreign students includes penetration in guest culture without losing own national identity. Language plays a very special role as a main communication tool for all parties involved into the dialogue.

One of the major problems of modern education is to connect the process of mastering the basics of scientific knowledge with the process of intellect development, skills of self-education, the ability to adjust to the changing realities of professional activity and any other spheres of life. Therefore foreign language teaching should include not only the linguistic and cross-cultural information, but also educational skills- the ability to apply language skills in different educational situations of professional orientation.

Learning foreign languages in non-specialized institutes of higher education should be considered through the prism of the students’ future professional activity.

Objective. The practical solution of the challenges facing the medical education system of Ukraine requires proper training of doctors whose competence meets international standards and who are able to effectively solve acute problems of the medical field at a high professional and ethical level in today’s difficult environment. According to the Concept of reforming the system of medical training in Ukraine (2005) and bringing it in line with the requirements of the Bologna Declaration, the problems of forming the professional culture of doctors and their competence become a priority [2].

Verbal language is the basic means of communication. It helps extend interaction and share information on ethnic culture among all participants of educational process. The first steps of learning language provide foreign students with primary insight into Ukraine’s cultural values. After graduating from higher educational establishment, the future specialist must be highly competitive in the labor market.

Language learning activates cognitive work and helps foreign students integrate into new cultural environment, train socio-cultural speaking skills, and develop linguocultural competence [3]. For the training of foreign students an important component is the formation of intercultural communicative competence, because they live and study in a different cultural and professional space. A successful studying process can be achieved when a teacher of higher education sees not only a student, but a person, a future employee in the chosen specialization.

Analysis of scientific sources and publications.

A significant factor in the competence of students of higher medical educational institutions is experience, the ability to professionally apply knowledge in practice. Thus, in modern higher medical education the need to form a new type of future specialist, in particular, a medical student who has the necessary knowledge and skills of effective communication, is able to effectively address communication barriers in a variety of contacts.


General pedagogical aspects of training future specialists were studied by V. Andrushchenko, G. Vasyanovych, R. Gurevich, I. Zyazyun, M. Kademiya, A. Kolomiets, V. Kremen, O. Matyash, V. Shtyfurak, V. Shakhov and others; ways of creative professional
Ukraine treat their language teachers not only as a social problem; M. Sadova psychological components of the potential of self-realization of the individual; G. Milchevska psychological and pedagogical approaches to the study of the problem of personal self-realization of an older adolescent; N. Pilipenko psychological features of self-realization of the personality in the conditions of professional crisis, etc. [8].

Various aspects of the problem of communication and the formation of the style of interpersonal interaction are covered in the study of B. Ananiev, G. Andreasyan, L. Batkin, M. Bakhtin, M. Baker, V. Bibler, O. Bodalov, M. Buber, G. Vasyanovich, P. Vaclavik, L. Vygotsky, O. Goykhman, V. Goryanina, M. Kagan, V. Labunska, O. Leontiev, B. Lomov [4].

In order to clarify the essence of the concept of intercultural communicative competence, we have discussed related concepts. Thus, multicultural education of foreigners was studied by I. Zozulya and defined its essence as an organized and purposeful process of socialization of foreign students, which is based on a modern pedagogical concept that provides knowledge of cultural diversity, respect and dignity of different peoples, regardless of race or ethnicity, origin, perception of the relationship and interaction of the universal and national components of culture and the formation of intercultural communication.

Control over the process and results of learning foreign languages is revealed through the criteria for assessing the coherence of oral monologue speech (I. Andreasyan); controlling function of the teacher in the process of learning oral language (L. Shaverneva); control of monologue and dialogic oral speech (I. Antonov); determining the level of proficiency in a foreign productive language (M. Astvatsatryan, O. Bashmakova); control of the basic level of success (L. Denisova, N. Dogonadze, N. Efremova, E. Zhukova, N. Yelukhina, O. Polyakov, E. Ten, etc.); control of the level of formation of students’ communication skills (V. Natalin, S. Natalina, B. Paraschuk) [3].

According to Ukrainian scientist S. Goncharenko, foreign culture may be initially imagined as an iceberg. First impressions are based on the top of this iceberg, but the most of cultural phenomena still remains hidden, and incomprehensible for primary perception. Shortage of reliable information about different social surrounding may cause cultural shock [1, 376]. Foreign students who come to study to Ukraine treat their language teachers not only as objects of initial communication, but as specialists helping them in desired quick social and academic adaptation. Communication skills are essential component of the latter. Thus, formation of communication skills is the basic assignment for language teachers. The concept of Ukrainian language communication of medical university foreign students includes all methods and techniques in delivering Ukrainian language lessons, as well as educational and professional lingual communication training of foreign students in medical university [5].

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Research scientific material. The number of foreign students coming to study in Ukraine is steadily growing. For example, in Vinnytsia National Pirogov Memorial Medical University the number of foreign students (25 different countries) raised from 1,000 to 1,500 in the year, making cultural interaction an important issue [3].

The priority for the university remains: to increase international influence through the spread of Ukrainian culture, language and training of the intellectual elite for foreign countries, because it is our students in the future will represent our university in the international educational arena.

These are young men and women who have traveled hundreds of thousands of miles to become doctors. They differ in religion, ethnic composition, language, culture, but all of them (us) are united by one desire – to learn! And the country they have chosen to realize their desire is really our country – Ukraine [7].

As noted by some authors, socially conditioned elements of the environment (hard work, its irrational regime, working area conditions, housing, food, material security, level of education and culture, socio-legal status), as well as natural factors affect on the driving forces of health, can increase or decrease its level. As a rule, the transition to a new social environment is accompanied by the tension of adaptation mechanisms, and in some cases there is
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The task of educating students of future doctors in higher educational institutions (HEI) of Ukraine is to prepare a “man of culture” who is able to work with different types of thinking, where the interaction is the development of intellectual, moral, ethical and aesthetic patterns of behavior and activities. Researchers include folk art, art, non-equivalent vocabulary, and others among the important means of forming students’ consciousness. This leads to the introduction of the relevant didactic material in the educational process.

In a dynamically changing world, where the doctor-patient interacts, the future specialist learns their patterns, which are transformed into unique individual images of the world. This meeting of personal meanings and new formations in the individual field of interacting parties, joint creation of a new meaning is a necessary condition for uniqueness, uniqueness of personality development and the basis for the formation of an individual way of life in the modern multicultural world.

The purpose of training in HEI is to prepare for those activities that should be used after graduation. Thus, this approach makes it possible to approach the purpose of education, including professional training, from the real life tasks, for which the specialist is trained (N. Talizina, N. Pechenyuk, L. Khokhlovsky). As N. Talizina notes, “the quality of professional training of specialists of any profile depends on the degree of validity of the three main nodes: the purpose of training (why teach), the content of training (why teach) and the principles of organization of the educational process (how to teach)”. For students, training is a guideline in self-organization and self-control over the quality of professional mastery [8].

Results of the scientific research. The basis for the mobility of young people, their adaptation to dynamically changing living conditions is readiness, which connects to world achievements, expands opportunities for self-realization in the space of cultures. The importance of professional ethics in the regulation of various types of work is associated with the desire to constantly improve the rules of conduct in accordance with the ever-changing social relations. Therefore, an important component of the training of a modern specialist is the knowledge of normative and professional ethics, which regulates the behavior of people in educational institutions, at work, in public places and more.

General professional training of future physicians is a component of professional training, and its fundamentaization is carried out in three main areas: information, activity and personal and combines all structural and functional components of the pedagogical system: goals, content, process, methods,
techniques, forms, personal quality, result. The correlation of global, degree and local goals of professional and general professional training of future physicians and the requirements of today is based on the competence approach.

Competence approach is the basis for ensuring the goals, content and quality of training, considers professional competence as a holistic, dynamic property of the individual, reflecting its value attitude to fundamental and professional disciplines, the ability to study them and willingness to apply their knowledge, skills and abilities in future professional activities [3].

The information approach involves the formation of the ability to navigate in the educational space, to operate with information based on the use of modern information and communication technologies (ICT) in accordance with the needs of the market for the effective performance of professional duties [6].

Cultural shock is also supplemented by language barrier, climate, different foods and water, peculiarities of gestures and mimics, emotional reactions of local people, national traditions and customs etc. As soon as the process of primary adaptation is over, students focus their attention on the education process. Foreign students continue learning local language (Ukrainian) and other subjects connected with their future profession.

Conclusions. Today, scientists’ attention to the relationship between the creative development of the student’s personality and the provision of an atmosphere of high spirituality of the educational institution, which encourages young people to imitate and create! Participation of student youth in a scientific circle is another means of personalization of education and support of the student’s personality in its spiritual orientation, because a person who is interested in living cannot be indifferent! The only wish is to involve teachers who work with foreign students in extracurricular activities: scientific and cultural activities (writing reports, articles, studying the experience of teachers-innovators, testing, questionnaires, pedagogical observation). Thanks to such cooperation of the teacher-student the cultural level raises [7].

It is recommended to supplement teachers’ advanced training programs with topical seminar “Intercultural Communicative Competence in Foreign Students”. The students who demonstrate excellent academic progress, are supposed to be offered individual advanced educational plan and special methodological recommendations based on innovative teaching techniques.

The task of ethics in modern society is to adapt man during his life to the rapid and radical changes in civilization, which is expressed in three directions: to free the mind from unnecessary remnants and unnecessary restrictions; identify, justify and consolidate moral values. Speaking of the influence of medical ethics and deontology, the words of St. Luke are mentioned: “Trust or distrust of the doctor determines the outcome of the disease”.

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Категорія відповідального ставлення до майбутньої професії студентів педагогічних університетів: теоретико-методологічний аспект

У статті розглянуті окремі аспекти категорії відповідального ставлення до майбутньої професії студентів педагогічних закладів вищої освіти. Виявлено, що загалом існує певна система критеріїв, відповідно до якої трактується поняття "відповідальне ставлення до майбутньої професії студентів педагогічних університетів". Проведений аналіз теоретичних праць вітчизняних та зарубіжних науковців свідчить, що у контексті дослідження кінцевим результатом виховання студентів у педагогічному університеті має постати сформована особистість, відкрита до нового досвіду, активна, цілеспрямована, з відповіальним ставленням до майбутньої професійної діяльності.

Ключові слова: професійна позиція; відповідальність; відповідальне ставлення; професійна відповідальність.

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THE CATEGORY OF RESPONSIBLE ATTITUDE TOWARDS THE FUTURE PROFESSION OF STUDENTS OF PEDAGOGICAL UNIVERSITIES: THEORETICAL AND METHODOLOGICAL ASPECT

The article considers some aspects of the category of responsible attitude to the future profession of students of pedagogical institutions of higher education. It was found that in general there is a certain system of criteria, according to which the concept of "responsible attitude to the future profession of students of pedagogical universities" is interpreted. It is established that training programs for future teachers in higher education institutions should be aimed at establishing partnerships with schools; eliminate those regularities of the university that do not promote investment in quality academic and practical training of students. Professional position is interpreted as a system of views of the individual on various aspects of the chosen profession, based on professional and personal values, views, beliefs and manifested in professional worldviews and actions. It was found that the sense of responsibility of the individual is the basis, the manifestation of other interconnected, complementary qualities and feelings of personality: leadership, discipline, demanding, organized, sense of duty, professionalism, professional position, professional competence, independence, initiative and more. We interpret a responsible attitude to the future profession of students of pedagogical universities as a stable quality of the future teacher's personality in terms of compliance with the established principles of further professional and pedagogical activities; characterized by