

**Order No. 241/XVI R/2020**  
**of the Rector of Wrocław Medical University of 6**  
**November 2020**

**on the rules concerning the organisation of classes from 9 November 2020 during the  
period when the red zone restrictions are in force in Poland**

Pursuant to Art. 23 of the Act of 20 July 2018 - the Law on Higher Education and Science (consolidated text, Journal of Laws of 2020, item 85 as amended) in connection with Article 1 of the Regulation of the Minister of Health of 16 October 2020 on the temporary limitation of the activities of medical universities in relation to preventing, counteracting and combating COVID-19 (Journal of Laws of 2020, item 1833) and Article 1c of the Regulation of the Minister of Science and Higher Education of 26 July 2019 on the standards of education preparing for the profession of a doctor, dentist, pharmacist, nurse, midwife, laboratory diagnostician, physiotherapist and paramedic (Journal of Laws of 2019, item 1573, as amended), I hereby order as follows:

Article 1.

1. From 9 November to 29 November 2020 inclusive, only classes developing practical skills, requiring the implementation of learning outcomes in direct contact with an academic teacher and/or a patient or in simulated conditions, for students of the last year of first-cycle studies, second-cycle studies and uniform master's studies in all fields of studies will be conducted on the premises of the University and its branches.
2. It has been agreed that in all faculties, classes developing practical skills are suspended until 29 November 2020 inclusive.
3. The decision on the organisation of classes developing practical skills for all other years will be made by the deans of faculties, taking into account the specific nature of individual fields of studies and the current epidemic situation.
4. During the suspension of classes developing practical skills, all units, in consultation with a given year supervisor, are obliged to reorganise the schedules of classes and adjust them in such a way as to conduct as many theoretical classes as possible using methods and techniques of distance learning, in a synchronous remote mode.
5. The Dean may approve the organisation of classes in contact with a teacher in special cases, at the request of the teacher and students. The mode and form of the organisation of all the above-mentioned classes may change depending on the epidemic situation in the country and region and at the University.
6. Students may perform activities as part of the tasks implemented by healthcare entities or sanitary and epidemiological services in connection with SARS- CoV-2 infections; on this basis, they may apply for getting credits for a part, or groups, of classes developing practical skills, including practical classes and internships to which

learning outcomes including practical skills are assigned in the study programme. The certificate should be issued by such entity and include information on the number of hours and nature of the activities performed (the form is attached to the Order).

7. It is possible for PhD students and the doctoral school to carry out practical research tasks on the premises of the University.
8. Post-graduate education takes place only remotely, with the exception of classes that are necessary to acquire practical skills, which is decided by the Vice-Rector for University Development Strategy or a faculty Dean.

Article 2.

Order no. 162/XVI R/2020 of the Rector of Wrocław Medical University of 4 September 2020 on the organisation of classes at the university - in the winter semester of the 2020/2021 academic year in connection with the COVID-19 epidemic expires.

Article 3.

This Order shall become effective on the date of signing.

Rector  
of Wrocław Medical University Prof. Piotr

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