



## Study Plan

**School:** School of Health and Human Development

**Degree:** Master

**Course:** Physical exercise and health (cód. 398)

### 1st Year - 1st Semester

Component code	Name	Scientific Area Field	ECTS	Duration	Hours
DES10220M	Exercise Physiology	Human Kinetics	3	Semester	78
DES10221M	Research Methods and Data Analysis in Health Sciences	Human Kinetics	9	Semester	234
DES10222M	Nutrition	Human Kinetics	3	Semester	78
DES10223M	Nutritional Supplements and Doping	Human Kinetics	3	Semester	78
DES10224M	Benefits of Physical Activity in Health	Human Kinetics	3	Semester	78
DES10225M	Training Methods and Short and Long-term Effects	Human Kinetics	3	Semester	78
DES10226M	The Labour Market and Legal Aspects in Physical Activity and Health	Juridical Sciences	3	Semester	78
DES10227M	Sports Medicine	Human Kinetics	3	Semester	78

### 1st Year - 2nd Semester

Component code	Name	Scientific Area Field	ECTS	Duration	Hours
DES10228M	Functional Assessment Protocols	Human Kinetics	6	Semester	156
DES10229M	Exercise Biomechanics	Human Kinetics	3	Semester	78
DES10230M	Fundamentals of Exercise Prescription	Human Kinetics	6	Semester	156
DES10231M	Physiology and Exercise Prescription for the Elderly	Human Kinetics	3	Semester	78
DES10232M	Physiology and Female Physical Activity Programmes	Human Kinetics	3	Semester	78
DES10233M	Physiopathology and Exercise Prescription for Patients with Central Nervous System Disorders	Human Kinetics	3	Semester	78
DES10234M	Physiopathology and Exercise Prescription for Patients with Cardiovascular Pathologies	Human Kinetics	3	Semester	78
DES10235M	Physiopathology and Exercise Prescription for Patients with Neuromuscular Diseases	Human Kinetics	3	Semester	78

### 2nd Year - 3rd Semester

Component code	Name	Scientific Area Field	ECTS	Duration	Hours
DES10236M	Physiopathology and Exercise Prescription for Patients with Osteoarticular Diseases	Human Kinetics	3	Semester	78
DES10237M	Physiopathology and Exercise Prescription for Patients with Respiratory Diseases	Human Kinetics	3	Semester	78
DES10238M	Physiopathology and Exercise Prescription for Patients with Metabolic Diseases	Human Kinetics	3	Semester	78
DES10239M	Physiopathology and prescription of exercise in people with HIV and Cancer	Human Kinetics	3	Semester	78



### 2nd Year - 3rd Semester

Component code	Name	Scientific Area Field	ECTS	Duration	Hours
<b>Mandatory alternatives</b>					
Component code	Name	Scientific Area Field	ECTS	Duration	Hours
	Dissertation				
	Project Work				
	Report				

### 2nd Year - 4th Semester

Component code	Name	Scientific Area Field	ECTS	Duration	Hours
<b>Mandatory alternatives</b>					
Component code	Name	Scientific Area Field	ECTS	Duration	Hours
	Dissertation				
	Project Work				
	Report				

### Conditions for obtaining the Degree:

\*\*\* TRANSLATE ME: Para aprovação na componente curricular deste Mestrado, é necessário a aprovação (através de avaliação ou creditação) das seguintes unidades curriculares: { \ } newline

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1.º Semestre: { \ } newline

- 8 UC Obrigatórias num total de 30 ECTS { \ } newline

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2.º Semestre: { \ } newline

- 8 UC Obrigatórias num total de 30 ECTS { \ } newline

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3.º Semestre: { \ } newline

- 4 UC Obrigatórias num total de 12 ECTS { \ } newline

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Para obtenção do grau, é necessário também a aprovação em Dissertação/Relatório/Trabalho de Projecto, com o total de 48 ECTS, no 3.º e 4.º Semestre. \*\*\*

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### **Exercise Physiology (DES10220M)**

1. Bioenergetics of muscle activity
2. Acute and chronic adaptations to exercise
  - 2.1. Cardio-vascular
  - 2.2. Respiratory
  - 2.3. Hormonal
  - 2.4. Skeletal muscle
  - 2.5. Renal
3. Thermoregulation and metabolic
4. Exercise in different environments

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### **Research Methods and Data Analysis in Health Sciences (DES10221M)**

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### **Nutrition (DES10222M)**

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### **Nutritional Supplements and Doping (DES10223M)**

1. Food supplements
2. Phosphocreatine, creatinina, protein, L-Carnitina etc.
3. Doping
  - 3.1. Definition
  - 3.2. Types of substances used and their effects
  - 3.3. Doping as a biological or ethical problem?

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### **Benefits of Physical Activity in Health (DES10224M)**

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### **Training Methods and Short and Long-term Effects (DES10225M)**

1. Definition of training method
  - 1.1. Components of training
  - 1.2. Characteristics of training load
2. Cardiovascular training
3. Velocity training
4. Strength training
5. Training flexibility



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### **The Labour Market and Legal Aspects in Physical Activity and Health (DES10226M)**

1. Legal aspects of health in sport
  - 1.1. International, Europe, Spain and Portugal.
  - 1.2. General powers and interdisciplinarity
  - 1.3. Declarations of consent
  
2. Health models in sport: specific skills, interdisciplinary work and implications
  - 2.1 Classic model: public and private
  - 2.2. Model public health: public and private
  - 2.3. Model Community: public and private
  - 2.4. Leisure sports and health: public and private

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### **Sports Medicine (DES10227M)**

1. Definition
  - 2.1. The sports medical examination
2. Acute traumatic injuries caused in the practice of physical activity
  - 2.1.1. Evaluation and diagnosis
  - 2.1.2. Prevention and treatment
3. Chronic injuries of specific sports
4. Injuries caused by "over training"
5. Preventive and therapeutic role of exercise
6. First aid

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### **Functional Assessment Protocols (DES10228M)**

1. How to develop a protocol
2. Testing and interpretation of the principles of the exercise
  - 2.1. cardiopulmonary assessment
    - 2.1.1. Cardiac Function
    - 2.1.2. function Aerobics
    - 2.1.3. Anaerobic function
  - 2.2. Assessment of body composition
  - 2.3. Assessment of the strength
  - 2.4. Assessment of neuromuscular function
  - 2.5. Evaluation of flexibility
3. Batteries fitness
  - 3.1. AFISAL
  - 3.2. Eurofit
  - 3.3. other
4. The use of questionnaires

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### **Exercise Biomechanics (DES10229M)**



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### **Fundamentals of Exercise Prescription (DES10230M)**

1. The use of data obtained in functional assessment.
2. Energy calculations
3. The programming exercise programs
4. Exercise prescription in adults
5. Exercise prescription in young each.

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### **Physiology and Exercise Prescription for the Elderly (DES10231M)**

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### **Physiology and Female Physical Activity Programmes (DES10232M)**

1. Introduction to physiology in female subjects
  - 1.1. Conceptual introduction
  - 1.2. Description of metabolic and hormonal features through lifespan (pre-menarche, menstrual cycle, pregnancy, menopause and older age)
  - 1.3. Implications of the characteristics of women in the physiology of effort.
  - 1.4. Changes of health that characterize women: indications and contraindications
  - 1.5. Fitness and women
2. Specific psychosocial and cultural aspects
3. Some specific features of the prescription of physical exercise in female subjects
  - 3.1. Exercise and age
  - 3.2. Exercise and menstrual cycle
  - 3.3. Classic exercise in women and community
  - 3.4. Specific implications for labor

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### **Physiopathology and Exercise Prescription for Patients with Central Nervous System Disorders (DES10233M)**

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### **Physiopathology and Exercise Prescription for Patients with Cardiovascular Pathologies (DES10234M)**

1. Introduction to physiology in subjects with cardiovascular disease
  - 1.1. Conceptual introduction and classifications
  - 1.2. Physiopathology, treatment phases and major implications on the physical condition
  - 1.3. Indications and contraindications of exercise
2. Prescribed exercise in people with cardiovascular disease
  - 2.1. Brief summary of epidemiological determinants and types of prevention (primary, secondary and tertiary)
  - 2.2. Exercise, types of prevention and health models
  - 2.3. Specific implications for labor

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### **Physiopathology and Exercise Prescription for Patients with Neuromuscular Diseases (DES10235M)**



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**Physiopathology and Exercise Prescription for Patients with Osteoarticular Diseases (DES10236M)**

1. Introduction to physiology in subjects with osteoarticular
  - 1.1. Introduction and conceptual classifications
  - 1.2. Physiopathology, treatment phases and major implications on the physical condition
  - 1.3. Indications and contraindications of exercise
2. Prescribed exercise in people with osteoarticular changes
  - 2.1. Brief summary of epidemiological determinants and types of prevention (primary, secondary and tertiary)
  - 2.2. Exercise, types of prevention and health models
  - 2.3. Specific implications for labor

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**Physiopathology and Exercise Prescription for Patients with Respiratory Diseases (DES10237M)**

1. Introduction to physiology in subjects with respiratory
  - 1.1. Introduction and conceptual classifications
  - 1.2. Physiopathology, treatment phases and major implications on the physical condition
  - 1.3. Indications and contraindications of exercise
2. Prescribed exercise in people with respiratory disorders
  - 2.1. Brief summary of epidemiological determinants and types of prevention (primary, secondary and tertiary)
  - 2.2. Exercise, types of prevention and health models
  - 2.3. Specific implications for labor

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**Physiopathology and Exercise Prescription for Patients with Metabolic Diseases (DES10238M)**

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**Physiopathology and prescription of exercise in people with HIV and Cancer (DES10239M)**