COURSE DETAIL

HEALTH ECONOMICS
Country Sweden
Host Institution Lund University
Program(s) Lund University
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Health Sciences Economics
UCEAP Course Number 143
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title HEALTH ECONOMICS
UCEAP Transcript Title HEALTH ECONOMICS
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

Health economics encompasses both economic analyses of health and health care. This course provides knowledge of how economic theory and methodology can help us understand the underlying conditions and characteristics of health care. The different areas of health economics, such as the demand for health, health care, and health insurance, providers in health care, the physician-patient relationship, the organization and financing of health care, economic evaluation, and equity issues are discussed. Illustrations are frequently taken from the problems and reforms in Swedish health care. Gender-related aspects are taken into consideration. The course includes guest lectures by health economists working outside academia. Economic evaluation is a particular focus of the course.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
NEKG61

Host Institution Course Title
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Host Institution Campus
Lund

Host Institution Faculty
Economics and Management

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Economics

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