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Teacher(s)	Bindels Laure ;			
Language :	French			
Place of the course	Bruxelles Woluwe			
Main themes	<ul> <li>A. This part of the class aims to introduce the basic concepts in toxicology that will allow the students to understand the rational of the current legal toxicological tests. Mechanisms of toxicity will be discussed and analyzed at various levels, from the generation of reactive species and their interactions with biological macromolecules, to the targeting of specific organs and the development of cancer and developmental malformations. Concepts related to risk evaluation are presented through the discussion and analysis of the results of in vivo and in vitro tests.</li> <li>B. In this part of the class, students are reminded of some basic notions of genetics, including the definition of various types of polymorphism (SNP, CNV,). The class focusses mainly on the influence of genetic polymorphisms on the clinical response to drug therapy (drug efficacy and side effects occurrence). Future prospects in personalized medicine are also presented.</li> </ul>			
Aims	The contribution of this Teaching Unit to the development and command of the skills and learning outcomes of the programme(s) can be accessed at the end of this sheet, in the section entitled "Programmes/courses offering this Teaching Unit".			
Bibliography	Les dias du cours et les articles scientifiques vus au cours sont disponibles sur Moodle. Le principal livre de reference est : Burcham, Introduction to Toxicology, 2014, pdf disponible sur Moodle et le site de la bibliothèque			
Faculty or entity in charge	FARM			

Programmes containing this learning unit (UE)						
Program title	Acronym	Credits	Prerequisite	Aims		
Specialised master in clinical biology	BCMM2MC	2		٩		