



ST. ELIZABETH UNIVERSITY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL WORK, BRATISLAVA

Rector's Measure 2/2020 Code of Ethics of St. Elizabeth's University of Health and Social Work

Article 1

1. The Code of Ethics serves to protect the highest human values, human dignity and freedom on the path to education in the spirit of democratic and cultural principles enshrined in the Constitution of the Slovak Republic and the legal order of the Slovak Republic.
2. St. Elizabeth's University of Health and Social Work issues this Code of Ethics (hereinafter referred to as "EC") to regulate the basic ethical requirements for the conduct and behaviour of students, university teachers and members of the academic community.

Article 2

1. Students, university teachers and members of the academic community of St. Elizabeth's University of Health and Social Work undertake to abide by the generally known and respected principles of conduct based on human rights (including compliance with the Anti-Discrimination Act No.365/2004 Coll. as amended) to which the Slovak Republic is bound and also the St. Elizabeth University as a top educational institution.
2. Students, university teachers and members of the academic community of St. Elizabeth's University of Health and Social Work shall observe the principles of intellectual property protection, shall not appropriate the results of the work of others, shall not commit plagiarism, falsification, corrupt activities and antisocial behaviour.

Article 3

Conflicts between a student and the study department are dealt with in the Disciplinary Regulations of St. Elizabeth's University of Health and Social Work .

Article 4

- a) Suspected offences and misdemeanours at the seat of the College are reported to the District Police Department, Lermontovova 1, 811 05 Bratislava, Slovakia.
- b) Suspected offences and misdemeanours committed at workplaces outside the University shall be reported to the relevant District Police Headquarters.

Article 5

Violations of the Code of Ethics by university staff and medical students are dealt with in the Code of Ethics of the specific health care institution.

Article 6

Other violations and unethical behaviour are dealt with by the Ethics Committee of the St. Elisabeth University of Health and Social Work , appointed by the Rector. The Ethics Committee is governed by the Rules of Procedure of the Academic Senate.

This measure shall enter into force on 1.7.2020

Bratislava, 30 June 2020

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Rector

Appendix No 1/2021

to the Internal Regulation: the Code of Ethics of the St. Elizabeth University of Health and Social Work in Bratislava

Notification, transmission and handling of personal data of students and employees of the college, as well as persons applying for graduation under the Act 131/2002 Coll. on higher education institutions or a specialisation within the meaning of Government Regulation No 296/2010 Coll. on professional competence for the exercise of the health profession, the manner of further education of health professionals

I. The university's remit in the information delivery system

The St. Elizabeth College of Health and Social Work is not an obliged person according to Act No. 211/2000 Coll. on free access to information, as it does not meet the definition of an obliged person according to § 1 and § 2 of the cited Act, its legal form is a non-profit organization.

2. Submission of information containing personal data

With the Rector's consent, information can be provided to a legal or natural person residing in the Slovak Republic outside the Act No. 211/2002 Coll. on Free Access to Information, if the following conditions are met:

A natural or legal person with permanent residence in the Slovak Republic may be provided with information on graduation proceedings (rigorous, habilitation, doctoral, specialisation studies), or on the course of higher education studies of the first, second and third degree only if:

- a) the data subject(s) (opponents, members of the CoR committee) give their consent to the processing of personal data,
- b) the name, address of the legal and natural person requesting the information is clear beyond doubt (this is not an anonymous request),
- c) data is requested by a person who has consent to process personal data and authorization from a domestic or foreign accreditation or evaluation body, a central government body under the jurisdiction of the Ministry of Education and Science and the Ministry of the Interior of the Slovak Republic), as well as the appropriate level of NBU vetting to work with personal

data.

3. Sanctions

If a legal or natural person attempts, alone or in cooperation with third parties, to obtain personal data without complying with the obligations set out in this Internal Regulation, an employee or student of the College who becomes aware of this shall make an appropriate notification to the Rector of the College and to the Head of Human Resources. They shall immediately report such attempt or action to the competent district prosecutor's office at the place of the request on suspicion of the offence of misuse of personal data. The Rector shall at the same time make a notification to the central government authority for the protection of personal data.

4. Common provision

This is without prejudice to the obligation of the university to publish the legally prescribed data on the graduation procedures of the university for a period of 5 years, imposed by Act No. 131/2002 Coll.

on universities and Decree No. 6/2005 as amended. As far as the persons of citizens in the Slovak Republic are concerned, the regulations in question apply to them in their entirety. They apply to foreign nationals mutatis mutandis, taking into account the legislation in force at the place of the university or the place of work of the natural person, student or employee of the university. Data defined as 'indicators' (signatures, photographs, etc.) may be published only with the consent of the persons concerned.

5. This Appendix

- a) discussed by the Academic Senate of the University of Health and Social Work St. Elizabeth, N. O., Bratislava on 25.11.2021
- b) approved by the Scientific Council of the St. Elisabeth University of Health and Social Work,
N. O., Bratislava on 26.11.2021

This Amendment is effective as of 01.12.2021.

In Bratislava, on 26 November 2021

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