E-LEARNING IN A PROJECTS "IMPROVEMENT OF PHYSICIANS AND NON-PHYSICIANS EDUCATION"

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E-LEARNING IN A PROJECTS "IMPROVEMENT OF PHYSICIANS AND NON-PHYS-ICIANS EDUCATION" Mgr. Vendula Bílková Manager Project Coordinator - e-learning (IPVZ) Abstract Within the Operational Programme Human Resources and Employment have been initiating two projects "Improvement of physicians and non-physicians education," cofinancing by the European Social Fund and the Czech Republic's budget and realized by the Ministry of Health of the Czech Republic. An Institute for postgraduate medical education (IPVZ) is the general provider of the above mentioned projects. Free education for physicians and non-physicians from outside Prague will be provided in the period May 2010 - April 2013. Projects' education will be aimed at the different branches in which is possible to obtain specialized competences by using face-to-face lectures, conferences, workshops but also due to projects by the method of e-learning. Key words: e-learning, specialized education for physicians and non-physicians Introduction 19 e-courses for physicians and 12 e-courses for non-physicians have been preparing since 2010. Each of 31 e-courses will be available gradually to apply for those interested during year 2012. E-learning for physicians Hopefully, applicants will be able to register to study the first 8 e-courses for general practitioners and gastroenterologists before attestation in the first half of 2012. In the second half of 2012, 9 additional e-courses will be probably available to prospective students for plastic surgeons, epidemiologist and other med ical specialties, including new e-courses for general practitioners and gastroenterologists. An e-course "Basics of tropical and travel medicine" will be also available for physicians and non-physicians at this time. A specialized e-course for occupational physicians will be the last of all scheduled e-course. E-learning for non--physicians In early 2012, 6 e-learning courses for nurses-lectors of patients with various types of diseases are going to launched. Topics of the additional 5 e-courses designed for general nurses and other non-physicians will include the legal minimum, quality management and patient safety, communication with the patient, the ethical standards of provided health care. Conclusion Although, the projects will be finished in April 2013, all e-courses will be available to prospective students in the learning management system (LMS) for further study, it means the educational environment in which learning takes place, but not with financial support of participants. More informations about the projects www.vzdelavani-zdravotniku.cz