

## Ph.D.-course in Epidemiological methods in medical research, Spring 2025

Date	Time	Teacher	Topic	Book Chapter
Thursday 9 January	10.00-10.15	BO	Welcome and overview of the course	
	10.15-13.00	KSL	Introduction to epidemiology	SN: Ch. 1-2
	14.00-17.00	BO	Measuring disease frequency / association with exposure	Stat refresher
Thursday 16 January	10.00-13.00	AMNA	Study design 1: Cohort Studies	SN: Ch 3 (p. 79-90)
	13.30-16.30	BC, BO	Practicals	Programming refresher
Thursday 23 January	10.00-13.00	AMNA	Bias and Confounding	SN: Ch. 3 (p. 90-103)
	13.30-16.30	BC, BO	Dealing with confounding: DAGs and stratification	CH: Ch. 14 (extra 15, 18.1,18.2)
Thursday 30 January	10.00-13.00	KLS	Study design 2: Case-Control Studies	SN: Ch. 3, p. 90-103
	13.30-16.30	BO, JH	Practicals, Discussion of an article	Stat refresher
Thursday 6 February	10.00-13.00	BO	Analysis of case-control studies + Practical	CH: Ch. 16-17
	13.30-16.30	PKA	Regression models 1: Poisson and logistic regression	CH: Ch. 22-23.1-2, 24.1-2
Thursday 13 February		Vinter Ferie		
Thursday 20 February	10.00-13.00	PKA	Regression models 2: Hypothesis testing, Interactions	CH: Ch. 24.3-7, 25, 26
	13.30-16.30	BO	Practicals	
Thursday 27 February	10.00-13.00	PKA	Regression models 3: Survival analysis, Cox regression model	CH: Ch. 30
	13.30-16.30	BC, BO	Practicals	
Thursday 6 March	10.00-13.00	PKA	Matching and analysis of matched case-control studies	CH: Ch. 19,29
	13.30-16.30	BC, BO	Practicals	

Thursday 13 March	10.00-13.00	BC, BO	Tutorial about the Lexis macro + Practicals	Stat refresher
	13.30-16.30	BO, BC	Registry data analysis: immortal time bias & standardisation	
Thursday 20 March	10.00-13.00	BO, KSL	Reproducibility, replication, and good practices in Epidemiology	SN: Ch. 9
	14.00-17.00	BO, KSL, AMNA	Mini seminar: presentation of your research project / an article  Feedback to the teachers	

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**Textbooks:** SN: Szklo M & Nieto FJ. Epidemiology. Beyond the Basics. 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition

CH: D. Clayton & M. Hills (1993, 2012). Statistical models in epidemiology. Oxford University Press.

(The books can be purchased in Akademisk Boghandel, building 7, ground floor, CSS)

*All lectures and exercises are in CSS (Kommunehospitalet), Øster Farimagsgade 5.*