**Module title**
Pathogenicity of Microorganisms

**Abbreviation**
07-MLSPM-152-m01

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### Contents
Fundamental principles of the mode of action of microbial pathogenicity factors will be presented using selected prokaryotic and eukaryotic pathogens as model organisms. In addition, current research methods in infection biology will be presented.

### Intended learning outcomes
Students have gained fundamental knowledge in infection biology and pathogenicity research and the mechanisms behind infectious diseases.

### Courses
(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)
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### Method of assessment
(type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)
Students will be informed about the method, length and scope of the assessment prior to the course. Usually, one of the following options will be chosen: a) written examination (30 to 60 minutes, including multiple choice questions) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (30 to 60 minutes) or c) oral examination in groups of up to 3 candidates (approx. 30 to 60 minutes)
Language of assessment: German and/or English

### Allocation of places
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### Additional information
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### Referred to in LPO I
(examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)
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### Module appears in
Master's degree (1 major) FOKUS Life Science (2015)