

526-306 Microbiology and Immunology (Optometry)

Credit Points:	12.500
Level:	Undergraduate
Dates & Locations:	2008, This subject commences in the following study period/s: Semester 2, - Taught on campus.
Time Commitment:	Contact Hours: 24 lectures and 12 hours of practical work/tutorials Total Time Commitment: 120 hours
Prerequisites:	Enrolment in the third year of the Bachelor of Optometry course.
Corequisites:	None
Recommended Background Knowledge:	None
Non Allowed Subjects:	None
Core Participation Requirements:	It is University policy to take all reasonable steps to minimise the impact of disability upon academic study and reasonable steps will be made to enhance a student's participation in the University's programs. Students who feel their disability may impact upon their active and safe participation in a subject are encouraged to discuss this with the relevant subject coordinator and the Disability Liaison Unit.
Coordinator:	Ms S Uren
Subject Overview:	By the end of the subject students should have an appreciation of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # the range of infections of the eye that may be caused by bacteria, viruses, chlamydiae, fungi and protozoa; # how infections spread from person to person and may be transmitted by optometrists; # how infection is prevented in the optometrist's practice by appropriate aseptic technique and methods of sterilisation and disinfection; # the principles of antimicrobial chemotherapy; and # the principles of immunity and epidemiology.
Assessment:	A 1-hour written examination held mid-semester (20%); a 2-hour written examination in the examination period (80%).
Prescribed Texts:	None
Breadth Options:	This subject is not available as a breadth subject.
Fees Information:	Subject EFTSL, Level, Discipline & Census Date, http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees
Notes:	Only available to Bachelor of Optometry students.
Related Course(s):	Bachelor of Optometry