**……………………. Tezli Yüksek Lisans Programı Bilgi Paketi Tanıtım Sayfası\_İngilizce**

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| **Establishment**  Anabilim Dalı Tarafından Doldurulacak  “Programın tarihçesi ve alt alanlarını içermeli” |
| **Objective of the Program**  Anabilim Dalı Tarafından Doldurulacak |
| **Degree Earned**  Master’s Degree |
| **Level of Degree**  Qualifications Frameworks in the European Higher Education Area (QF-EHEA), Level 2  European Qualifications Framework for Lifelong Learning (EQF-LLL), Level 7 |
| **Type of Education**  Full-Time Regular Education |
| **Admission and Registration Conditions**  To graduate from a department or faculty that meets the “[**Graduation Prerequisites for Application to Graduate Programs**](https://www.ktu.edu.tr/dosyalar/sabe_a3c46.pdf)” determined by the Health Sciences Institute Board and approved by the Karadeniz Technical University Senate.  Having ALES (Quantitative/Equally Weighted) and a Foreign Language base score determined by the Health Sciences Institute Board and approved by the KTU Senate ([**Application and Entry Requirements for the Graduate Programs of the KTU Health Sciences Institute**](Application%20and%20Entry%20Requirements%20for%20the%20Graduate%20Programs%20of%20the%20KTU%20Health%20Sciences%20Institute)). |
| **Recognition of Prior Learning**  **Lateral Transfer:**  The admission of students through lateral transfer is subject to the following provisions of Article 32 of KTU Regulations on Graduate Education:  (1) Successful students who have completed at least one semester in another graduate program within the university (KTU) or in another higher education institution can be admitted to graduate programs through lateral transfer.  (2) For the applicant to be able to transfer, s/he is required to meet the minimum application requirements for the program subject to application. Transfers are only possible between equivalent programs.  (3) For students whose applications for lateral transfer from outside the university are accepted, the ECTS equivalence and course compatibility are decided by the Graduate School Board after receiving the opinion of the Office of Program Head. In master’s programs, lateral transfer is not accepted at the thesis stage…  (4) For a student from outside the university to transfer, s/he is required to have a score of 60 in any of YÖKDİL, e-YDS, or YDS foreign language examinations or an equivalent score in the examinations accepted by ÖSYM (Student Selection and Placement Centre).  **Course Substitution:**  Course substitutions are subject to the following provision A-4 of the Senate’s Principles for the Implementation of Graduate Studies at KTU dated 03.11.2017 and numbered 284:  A student whose registration in a graduate program at KTU is canceled due to failure or other reasons cannot apply to the same program again. However, s/he can apply to another graduate program at KTU. In such a case, the student can substitute at most two previous courses (6 credits) which s/he successfully completed on condition that the relevant program approves it. A student who enrolls in KTU after his/her registration in another university is canceled can make a request to have course substitution for at most two of the courses successfully completed in the relevant program. |
| **Requirements and Rules for the Degree to Be Earned**   * The study period of the program is four semesters and can be extended to a maximum of six semesters. By the end of the fourth semester at the latest, the student must have successfully completed minimum seven courses stated in the curriculum including compulsory and elective courses, one of which must be in English, corresponding to at least 21 credits (120 ECTS credits) in total as well as the “Seminar” course and the “Scientific Research and Publication Ethics” course (non-credit). Also, at the end of the sixth semester at the latest, the thesis study must be completed, and the student must be accepted successful in the thesis defense examination (**see KTU Regulations on Graduate Education**). |
| **Exams, Assessment and Evaluation**  Students are subjected to a midterm exam, term study (project, seminar, quiz, assignment, or a second midterm exam), and final exam for each course. The share of the midterm exam in the final grade of the course is 30%, that of the term study is 20%, and that of the final exam is 50%. All exams are graded out of 100 points. For a student to be considered successful in a course, s/he must get at least a letter grade of “CC” as the end-of-semester grade in that course. |
| **Graduation Requirements**  To graduate from the master’s degree program, it is necessary to successfully complete   * minimum seven courses including compulsory courses, one of which must be in English, corresponding to at least 21 credits (120 ECTS credits) in total as well as the “Seminar” course and the “Scientific Research and Publication Ethics” course (non-credit) by the end of the fourth semester and * the thesis study by the end of the sixth semester. |
| **Employment Areas for Graduates**  Anabilim Dalı Tarafından Doldurulacak |
| **Transition to Senior Programs**  Qualifications Frameworks in the European Higher Education Area (QF-EHEA), Level 3  European Qualifications Framework for Lifelong Learning (EQF-LLL), Level 8 |
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