

Abstract

Title: Analysis of drop-out rates of FTVS students in the Management of TVS and Physiotherapy study programs.

Objectives: Main objective of this master theses is to analyse the development of student drop-out and graduation rates in the bachelor's and master's degree programs in Physiotherapy and Management of physical education and sport at the Faculty of Physical Education and Sport in last twelve years based on data from SIMS (Student Information Matrix).

Methods: The paper uses the method of analysis of cohort failure rate linked to the year of enrolment and the calculation of graduation rate based on the methodology of calculation of the Ministry of Education, Youth and Sports in the framework of the rules for financing public universities.

Results: The academic dropout rate in the monitored programmes varies more over the monitored years. Graduation rate values show more stability. The development in study programmes is different, even for the same types of study programmes. The dropout rate in Bachelor's degree programmes is higher than in Master's degree programmes and so is the graduation rate. Physiotherapy degree programmes have a lower dropout rate than Sports management degree programmes and a higher graduation rate. The Physiotherapy study programmes are among the better ones in terms of dropout rates within Charles University and FTVS. The Sports management study programmes are on a par with the results of the UK and FTVS. Dropout and graduation rates are the worst, especially for the bachelor's degree programme in Sports management, and the possible future development does not look positive. On the other hand, the situation looks more stable for the Physiotherapy study programmes.

Key words: drop-out, graduation rate, FTVS