

**Mid-term assessment protocol**  
**Minutes of the meeting of the mid-term assessment Committee**

The mid-term assessment was carried out on the basis of:

- doctoral student's report,
- opinion of the supervisor / supervisors / assistant supervisor,
- an oral or multimedia presentation by a doctoral student,
- discussions with the doctoral student.

The implementation of the doctoral student's individual research plan was assessed remotely via the "Zoom.us" platform. The course of the public part of the mid-term assessment Committee meeting was recorded on video.

**Assessed PhD student**

professional title, name and surname of the doctoral student	Iga Kościńska-Shukla, M.D.
supervisor/supervisors	Prof. Michał Chmielewski, M.D., Ph.D.
assistant supervisor	Marta Jaskólska, M.D., Ph.D.
scientific discipline	Internal Medicine
the title of the doctoral dissertation project	Characteristics of peripheral neuropathy among patients with primary Sjögren's Syndrome based on the analysis of carpal tunnel syndrome cases

Mid-term assessment Committee comments:

Both reviewers and the chairman taking part in the periodic evaluation noted that, despite the initial problems, there is a chance to successfully completing the work and publishing the results. The committee unanimously accepted and adopted the report, recognizing its further continuation.

**Mid-term assessment result of doctoral student Iga Kościńska-Shukla, M.D.: positive**

Name and surname of the doctoral student

\* check appropriate

Detailed justification by the mid-term assessment Committee regarding the result of the mid-term evaluation:


The presented results of previous work were featured smoothly without any mistakes.. According to the Committee's assessment, the execution of the research plan has been progressing in proper way. Based on the heard and seen presentation, done by the Student, and the report, the Committee has determined that the doctoral student has made adequate progress in doctoral work. The Student was able to address effectively all questions and comments posted by the Committee Members during the evaluation process. Presented plan for the next stages of the project does not rise any concerns and no factors dependent on the doctorate process have been identified that could negatively affect their implementation. The publication plan sounds reasonable and has the potential to be achieve. The only concern is regarding to careful attention to the study design and sample size should be taken to ensure the validity and applicability of the findings. The Committee members based on the presentation they listened to and the questions asked, do not see any danger in further work on the project and its positive conclusion with appropriate publications.

The mid-term assessment Committee composed of:

- 1) dr hab. Jerzy Jankau – Chairperson of the mid-term assessment Committee
- 2) prof. Wojciech Baran
- 3) prof. Michał Pikuła

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