

**LIST OF PHD RESEARCH TOPICS AND SUPERVISORS FOR THE FIELD OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN  
THE AREA OF MEDICAL AND HEALTH SCIENCES FOR THE YEAR 2026**

No.	Department	Research topic	Supervisor	Consultant
1	Faculty of Public Health Department of Environmental and Occupational Medicine	The association between extreme meteorological conditions and the risk of infectious and non-communicable diseases in the Boreal region in the context of climate change	Prof. Dr. V. Vaičiulis	Assoc. Prof. Dr. R. Petrolis
2	Faculty of Public Health Department of Bioethics	Transformation of doctor–patient interaction in AI-assisted primary healthcare: assessment of organizational and ethical risks	Prof. Dr. G. Urbonas	
3	Faculty of Public Health Department of Health Psychology	Development and evaluation of a parent training program based on naturalistic developmental interventions to enhance social motivation in children with autism spectrum disorders	Prof. Dr. A. Prankevičienė	Assoc. Prof. Dr. I. Bakanienė
4	Faculty of Public Health Department of Health Psychology	Attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder symptoms in the Lithuanian student population: prevalence, associations with academic and adaptation outcomes, and exploration of adaptation strategies	Prof. Dr. A. Saudargienė	Prof. Dr. G. Jurkevičienė
5	Faculty of Public Health Health Research Institute	Associations between students' use of digital technologies, social environment, lifestyle, and subjective health	Prof. Dr. K. Šmigelskas	