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Dear Students,

Welcome to Monash University and to Health Knowledge Society (HKS). This unit focuses on health systems and the broader legal, socio-economic, political, and cultural contexts of health.

I have set up an online platform called [Athyna](#) for HKS teaching where the same learning materials which are available on Moodle, are prepared for you in a visually enhanced format. The lectures have been broken up into short videos to help self-pace your learning. Quizzes and other interactive learning activities with immediate feedback on Athyna help to reinforce learning.

The [Athyna](#) platform allows for a better learning experience, although all lecture videos will continue to be uploaded on Moodle. There are also quizzes you might wish to explore.

The main site is <https://athyna.education>
Scroll down to HKS and 'Explore' for an overview of the topics in HKS. Or go to the dashboard of lecture and tutorial topics @ <https://athyna.education/courses/>.

- Click on [HKS Briefing](#) for information on the unit.
- Lecture 1 - Health and Medicine can be accessed at - <https://athyna.education/health-and-medicine/>

Feel free to email me if you have any questions or have any difficulty with learning or the learning materials.

We wish you all the very best as you take your first step to becoming a doctor!

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