The Peculiarity of Medical Lexis Formation in Russian and English Languages(on the example of ophthalmic terminology)

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Abstract: The present paper is dedicated to the study of medical lexis in English and Russian languages which attract reader's attention emphasizing this aspect from some others. The goal of the research is to identify peculiarities of ophthalmic terminology through different lexical models in Russian and English languages.

In Chapter I the theoretical background to this research is observed, the terms «lexis», «word» and «language» are defined, and different types of word formation are reviewed.

Chapter II is devoted to the study of peculiarities of medical lexis and means of translation to Russian language. In this part of paper different ways word formation are reviewed and the analysis of formation peculiarities of ophthalmic terminology is carried out.

So, the classification developed in this paper enables us to make a conclusion that despite the fact that medical lexis is a universal phenomena there is national specifics in the ways it is expressed by.