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INTRODUCTION

Scientific and technological advancements have created complexity in the field of nursing necessitating advanced educational preparation. To keep pace with the tremendous progress in Medical Science and to meet changing health care needs specialization and research are essential in nursing science. Hence post graduations in the following specialties are required:

- Medical Surgical Nursing (Sub specialties Cardio Vascular & Thoracic Nursing, Critical care Nursing, Oncology Nursing, Neurosciences Nursing, Nephro-Urology Nursing, Orthopedic Nursing, Gastro Enterology Nursing)
- 2. Obstetrics and Gynaecological Nursing
- 3. Child Health (Paediatric) Nursing
- 4. Mental Health (Psychiatric) Nursing
- 5. Community Health Nursing

I. PHILOSOPHY

The Faculty of Nursing believes that Nursing, as a health science require prompt updating of knowledge and skills in the areas of clinical specialty to render quality services and maintain collaboration with other health professionals.

Postgraduate programme prepare nurses to assume leadership positions in Nursing and allied health fields as specialists, practitioners, consultants, educators, counselors, administrators and researchers in a variety of settings in meeting the health care priorities and the changing needs of the society.

It encourages accountability and commitment in continuing education and also contributes to the body of knowledge in nursing through guided and independent research studies and facilitates evidence – based practice. It fosters decision making, critical thinking and creative work.

II. AIM

Aim of the postgraduate programme in nursing is to prepare graduates to assume responsibilities as Clinical Nurse Specialists, Nurse Practitioners, Consultants, Educators, Researchers and Administrators in a wide variety of professional settings.

III.OBJECTIVES

On completion of the 2 year M.Sc Nursing programme, the graduates will be able to:-

- 1. Apply the concepts, theories and principles of nursing science.
- 2. Demonstrate competencies in nursing practice.
- 3. Practice as Clinical Nurse Specialist.
- 4. Establish collaborative relationship with the members of other disciplines.
- 5. Assume leadership in various care settings.
- 6. Participate in health planning, implementation and evaluation at different levels of health care system.
- 7. Function as effective nurse educators and nurse managers.
- 8. Conduct independent nursing research and utilize the research findings in nursing practice and education.
- 9. Critically evaluate various educational programmes in nursing.
- 10. Demonstrate interest and positive attitude in continuing education for personal and professional growth.

Regulations

IV. Selection & admission of candidates

a). Admission

Annual admission for M.Sc (N) Programme should have prior sanction/permission from the Indian Nursing Council, Kerala Nurses Midwives Council & University on the basis of clinical, physical facilities and teaching faculty.

b). Eligibility Criteria/Admission Requirements:

- 1. The candidate should be a Registered Nurse and Registered Midwife with Kerala Nurses and Midwives Council.
- 2. The minimum educational requirements shall be the passing of regular degree course in Nursing (B.Sc. Nursing / B.Sc. (Hons). Nursing / Post Basic B.Sc. Nursing), with minimum of 55% aggregate marks, in an institution which is recognized by Indian Nursing Council.

- 3. Minimum one year of experience after Basic B.Sc. Nursing. One year compulsory nursing service/internship after successful completion of four year B.Sc Nursing can be considered as experience.
- 4. Minimum one year of experience prior or after regular Post Basic B.Sc. Nursing.
- 5. Candidate shall be medically fit.
- 6. Relaxation of marks for SC/ST candidates may be given as per state government norms.

c). Medium of Instruction & Examinations

The medium of instruction and examination shall be in English.

d). Entrance/Selection test

Selection of the candidates should be based on the merit of the entrance examination held by the State Government, University or competent authority.

e). Eligibility Certificate from KUHAS

The candidate has to make an application to the university with the following documents along with the prescribed fee to obtain an eligibility certificate issued from the University.

- i. B.Sc Nursing pass / degree certificate issued by the University.
- ii. One year teaching or Clinical experience / Internship certificate
- iii. Permanent Registration Certificate from State Nursing Council.
- iv. Certificate of Recognition of the qualifying examination in case of candidates who have passed B.Sc Nursing / Post basic B.Sc Nursing (regular) from universities outside Kerala.
- v. Migration Certificate in case of candidates who have passed
 B .Sc Nursing / Post basic B.Sc Nursing (regular) from other universities.
- vi. Transfer Certificate
- vii. Mark list of all the examinations of the B. Sc Nursing course.
- viii. Nativity Certificate
- ix. Certificate to prove age.
- x. Certificate to prove community in case of SC/ST candidates.

xi. Any other certificate required along with the application.

A candidate who has been admitted to postgraduate course should register his/her name in the University within a month of admission after remitting the registration fee.

Any postgraduate seats left unfilled in any specialty cannot be carried forward to the next or subsequent years.

f). Migration & Transfer

Migration and transfer from one college to another willnot be permitted after the student has registered with a course of study with the university.

g). Fitness Certificate:

Every candidate before admission to the course shall submit to the Principal of the Institution a Certificate of Medical Fitness from an authorized Medical Officer certifying that the candidate is fit to undergo the course.

h). Date of Commencement of the Course

The course will be deemed to have commenced on the date on which the first candidate joins the course. This date will be considered as the date of joining in the Postgraduate register maintained in the University.

V. Eligibility for appearing for the examination:

a). Attendance

Candidate should have 80% attendance for theory and practical, with minimum 50% of internal marks in each subject both in theory & practicals. However 100% of attendance should be completed for practical before the award of degree. The candidate should have completed the training period before the commencement of examination.

b). Attendance Deficit

The condonation of attendance shall be done by the Principal in consultation with the College Governing Council comprising Senior Faculty of the College to a maximum of 10% to attain 80% of minimum requirements in the respective academic year subject to a maximum of one time during the whole PG programme.

c). Examination fee

The examination fee should be remitted for each examination appeared for. A fee as

stipulated by the University should also be remitted for the evaluation of the thesis.

d). Log Book

Every candidate shall maintain a log book for recording performance of activities/ procedures/ attending/ organizing workshop/ conferences. The logbook shall be verified and certified by the Head of the Department and presented in the University practical examination.

e). Periodic Tests/Internal Assessment

The concerned departments may conduct tests / Internal assessment before the final examination. Three sessional examination should be conducted, out of which average of two highest marks will be taken. The marks obtained in tests / Seminar / assignments will be maintained by the faculty of concerned department and will be made available to the University when required. The results of the **periodic tests**/ **sessional examination conducted by the respective departments** shall be displayed within 30 days from the date of last test. The complaints regarding award of marks, if any, have to be submitted to the Departmental Head within 5 working days from the display of the results. These complaints shall be examined by the Department Committee and decisions will be taken. The Department Committee shall approve the statement of marks of the periodic tests of all the students in a year, countersigned by the principal and forwarded to the University when required.

g). Dissertation

Every candidate pursuing M.Sc Nursing course is required to carry out work on a selected research project under the guidance of a recognized postgraduate teacher. The results of such a work shall be submitted in the form of a dissertation.

The dissertation is aimed to train a postgraduate student in research methods and techniques. It includes identification of a problem, formulation of hypotheses, search and review of literature, getting acquainted with recent advances, designing of a research study, collection of data, critical analysis, and comparison of results and drawing conclusions.

Every candidate shall submit to the Registrar of the University in the prescribed format a synopsis containing particulars of proposed dissertation work after obtaining ethical clearance from the Institutional Ethical

Committee comprising principal/ Senior Professor of College of Nursing, within nine months from the date of commencement of the course on or before the dates notified by the University. The synopsis shall be sent through the proper channel.

Such synopsis will be reviewed and the dissertation topic will be registered by the university. No change in the thesis topic or guide shall be made without prior approval of the University.

Tentative Schedule for dissertation

S. No.	Activities	Scheduled Time
1	Submission of the research proposal	End of 9th month of 1st year
2	Submission of dissertation – Final	End of 9th month of IInd Year

The dissertation should be written under the following headings:

- i. Introduction
- ii. Objectives of the study
- iii. Review of Literature
- iv. Methodology
- v. Results
- vi. Discussion
- vii. Conclusion
- viii. Summary
- ix. References
- x. Annexure

The written text of dissertation shall be not less than 100 pages and shall not exceed 150 pages excluding references, tables, questionnaires, and other annexures. It should be neatly typed (font size 12-Times New Roman or font size 12-Arial) in double line spacing on one side of the bond paper (A4 size, 8.27" x 11.69") and bound properly. Spiral binding should be avoided. The Guide and the Head of the Institution shall certify the dissertation.

The scientific committee of the college should scrutinize and evaluate the thesis and make required corrections if necessary and accept with modification before submitting to the University.

Four copies of the dissertation prepared shall be submitted to the Registrar (Evaluation), on the 21 st month of commencement of the course.

Hall ticket for the second year examination should be issued to the candidate only after the dissertation has been submitted to the University.

A. Research Guides

a) Qualification of Guide

Main guide: Nursing faculty / nursing expert in the same clinical specialty holding Ph.D. /M.Phil/M.Sc. Nursing with a minimum of 3 years experience in teaching in the Post Graduate Programme in Nursing.

Co-Guide: A Co-Guide is a nursing faculty/expert in the field of study (may be from outside the college but should be within the district)

b) Guide – Students Ratio

Maximum of 1:4 (including as co-guide)

Change of Guide – In the event of a registered guide leaving the college for any reason or in the event of death of Guide, Guide may be changed with prior permission from the University.

c) Research Committee

There should be a research committee in each college comprising of minimum 5 Post Graduate Faculty chaired by the Principal, College of Nursing.

VI. University Examinations

Theory

One internal and one external examiner will value theory answer scripts.

Practicals

- 4 hours of practical examination per student.
- Maximum number of 10 students per day per specialty.
- The examination should be held in concerned clinical area for clinical specialties.
- One internal and external examiner should jointly conduct practical examination including viva voce.for each student.

Examiner – Nursing faculty teaching respective specialty area in M.Sc nursing programme with minimum 3 years teaching experience after M.Sc Nursing.

The examiners prior to viva should do evaluation of dissertation.

Duration: Viva-Voce -minimum 30 minutes per student.

Classification of results:

- 50% pass in each of the theory and practical separately.
- 50-59% Second class
- 60-74% first class
- 75% and above is distinction

For declaring the rank/distinction/ First class, aggregate of 2 years marks to be considered and the candidates should have passed all the papers in the first chance. If the candidate fails in either practical or theory he/she has to reappear for both theory and practical. Maximum number of attempts per subject is three inclusive of first attempt. The maximum period to complete the course successfully should not exceed 4 years.

Candidate, who fails in any subject, shall be permitted to continue the studies into the second year. However the candidate shall not be allowed to appear for the Second year examination till such time that he/she passes all subjects of the first year M.Sc nursing examination.

The grading of the results of the programme shall be done at the end of Second year based on total marks secured for all years.

Below 50%	-	Failed -		Grade C
50 to 59 percent	-	Passed with Second Class	-	Grade B
60 to 74 percent	-	Passed with First Class	-	Grade A
75 percent and above	_	First Class with Distinction	_	Grade A+

Leave

- Candidates can avail 20 days of leave per year and not more than 7 days at a time. All students are eligible for weekly off for one day. Thus a candidate is eligible to avail a maximum of 73 days per year inclusive of 20 days leave and weekly off.
- Also eligible for leave supported by medical certificate subject to verification by Medical Board and recommended by the Head of Institution.
- Any leave over and above 73 days in a year will have to be compensated by adequate extension of the duration of the course.

N. B: In Govt. Nursing Colleges, leave rules will be revised/amended as per the direction of Director of Medical Education.

Uniform

PG students have to wear prescribed uniform when they are in the clinical field.

Duration of the course

Duration of the course is 2 years

Weeks/year : 52 weeks

Leave : 3 weeks (20 days)

Examination : 2 weeks

Total weeks available : 47 weeks

Total hours/week : 48 hours

48 hoursX47weeks : 2256 hour/year

Total hours for 2 years: - 4512 hours

Course of Instruction

1 year	Theory (hrs)	Practical (hrs)
Nursing Education	150	150
Advanced Nursing Practice	150	500
Nursing Research and Statistics	150	100
Clinical Specialty-I	150	900
Total	600	1650

II Year	Theory (hrs)	Practical (hrs)
Nursing Management	150	200
Nursing Research (Dissertation)	-	300
*Clinical Specialty-II	150	1450
Total	300	1950
Grand Total	900	3600

^{*}Clinical Specialty –II

1. Medical Surgical Nursing

Sub Specialty:-

- a. Cardio Vascular & Thoracic Nursing
- b. Critical care Nursing
- c. Oncology Nursing
- d. Neurosciences Nursing
- e. Nephro-Urology Nursing
- f. Orthopedic Nursing
- g. Gastro Enterology Nursing

NB: - Of the total seats minimum 50% of the candidates should opt a sub specialty.

- 2. Obstetric & Gynecological Nursing
- 3. Child Health (Paediatric) Nursing
- 4. Mental Health (Psychiatric) Nursing
- 5. Community Health Nursing

Note: Students have to maintain log book for each activity during the course of study

Scheme of Examination

	Theory				Pra	ctical	
1 st year	Hours	Internal	External	Hours	Internal	External	Total
		Marks	Marks		Marks	Marks	
Nursing Education	3	25	100		50	100	275
Advanced Nursing Practice	3	25	100				125
Nursing Research& Statistics	3	25**	100*				125
Clinical Specialty- 1	3	25	100	4 hrs	100	100	325
							850
2 nd year	Hours	Internal	External	Hours	Internal	External	Total
		Marks	Marks		Marks	Marks	
Nursing Management	3	25	100				125
Dissertation					100	100	200
Viva							
Clinical Specialty 11	3	25	100	4 hrs	100	100	325
							650
Total of Ist & IInd Year							1500

- * Nursing Research (External)=75Marksand Statistics (External)=25 Marks
- **Nursing Research (Internal)=15 and Statistics(Internal)=10
- ***No separate pass minimum for Statistics.
 - 1. There shall be one regular & one supplementary examination every year.
 - 2. Candidate shall register for all parts of examination in their first appearance.
 - 3. Minimum pass marks shall be 50 % in each of the Theory and practical papers separately.
 - 4. A candidate has to pass in theory and practical exam separately in each of the paper.
 - 5. Maximum number of candidates for all practical examination should not exceed ten per day.
 - 6. One internal and one external examiner should evaluate dissertation and jointly conduct viva-voce for each student.
 - 7. For Dissertation internal examiner and external examiner should be a Nursing faculty / Nursing expert in the same clinical specialty holding Ph.D./M.Phil/M.Sc. Nursing with a minimum of 3 years experience in guiding the research projects for Post Graduate students of Nursing.

Health Services

There should be provisions for the following health services for the students.

- a. An annual medical examination.
- b. Vaccination against tetanus, hepatitis B or any other communicable disease as considered necessary.
- c. A complete health record should be kept in respect of each individual student. The question of continuing the training of a student, with long term chronic illness, will be decided by a competent medical authority.
- **d.** Free medical care during illness and/provision of health insurance.

NURSING EDUCATION

Placement: Ist Year

Hours of Instruction

Theory 150 Hours
Nursing Faculty-115
External Faculty- 35
Practical 150 Hours

Total: 300 Hours

Course Description

This course is designed to assist students to develop a broad understanding of fundamental Principles, concepts, trends and issues related to education and nursing education. Further, it would provide opportunity to students to understand, appreciate and acquire skills in teaching and evaluation, curriculum development, implementation, maintenance of standards and accreditation of various nursing educational programs.

Objectives

At the end of the course, students will be able to:

- 1. Explain the aims of education, philosophies, trends in education and its impact on nursing education.
- 2. Describe the teaching learning process.
- 3. Prepare and utilize various instructional media and methods in teaching learning process.
- 4. Demonstrate competency in teaching, using various instructional strategies.
- 5. Critically analyze the existing nursing educational programs, their problems, issues and future trends.
- 6. Describe the process of curriculum development, and the need and methodology of curriculum change, innovation and integration.
- 7. Plan and conduct continuing nursing education programs.
- 8. Critically analyze the existing teacher preparation programs in nursing
- 9. Demonstrate skill in guidance and counseling.
- 10. Describe the problems and issues related to administration of nursing curriculum including selection and organization of clinical experience.
- 11. Explain the development of standards and accreditation process in nursing education programs.

- 12. Identify research priorities in nursing education.
- 13. Discuss various models of collaboration in nursing education and services.
- 14. Explain the concept, principles, steps, tools and techniques of Evaluation.
- 15. Construct, administer and evaluate various tools for assessment of knowledge, skill, and attitude.

Course Content

Unit	Theory Hours	Content		
I	10	Introduction		
		• Education :Definition, aims, concepts, philosophies, Formulation		
		of philosophy & their implications on education (Review)		
		Impact of Social, economical, political &technological changes		
		on education.		
		 Professional education 		
		Current trends and issues in education		
		Educational reforms and National Educational Policy, various		
		educational commissions-reports		
		Nursing education- Definition, aims, phiolosophy		
		Trends in development of nursing education in India -ANM, GNM,		
		Basic B.Sc. Nursing, Post Basic B.Sc. Nursing, M.Sc(N) programs,		
		M.Phil and Ph.D in Nursing, Post basic diploma programs, Nurse		
		practitioner programs.		
II	20	Curriculum Development Definition, curriculum determinants, process and steps of curriculum development, Types and framework.		
		Educational Objectives - types, domains, levels, elements and writing of educational objectives,		
		 selection of learning experiences Organization of learning experiences; master plan, course plan, unit plan, Lesson Plan. Evaluation strategies, process of curriculum change, role of students, faculty, administrators, statutory bodies and other stakeholders. 		
		 Stakeholders. Evaluation of educational programs in nursing- course and program. Equivalency of courses: Transcript, credit system. 		

III	20	Teaching – Learning Process			
	*EF 10	Concepts of teaching and learning: Definition, principles			
		,theories of teaching and learning, relationship between			
		teaching and learning			
		Competency based education, outcome based education(OB)			
		 Instructional strategies – Lecture, Discussion, 			
		Demonstration, Simulation, Laboratory Method, Seminar, Panel,			
		Symposium, Problem solving, Workshop, Project, role- play			
		(sociodrama) (Review) Microteaching.			
		Innovative Strategies			
		Problem Based Learning (PBL), programmed instruction, Self			
		Directed learning(SDL), Computer Assisted Instruction(CAI),			
		computer Assisted Learning (CAL), Clinical teaching methods.			
		Teacher - Roles & responsibilities, functions characteristics,			
		competencies, qualities.			
		Preparation of professional teacher			
		Organizing professional aspects of teacher preparation			
		programs.			
		Critical analysis of various programs of teacher education in			
		India			
IV	15	Instructional Media & Methods			
		Key concepts in the selection and use of media in education			
		Developing learning resource material using different Media.			
		 Instructional aids – types, uses, selection, preparation, 			
		utilization.			
		Teacher's role in procuring and managing			
		instructional Aids – Projected and non-projected aids, multi			
		media, video-tele conferencing etc			

V	40	Evaluation:		
	EF20	 Concept and nature of measurement and evaluation, meaning, 		
		process, purposes, problems in evaluation and measurement,		
		Principles of evaluation(review) characteristics-objectivity,		
		validity, reliability, usability		
		Formative and summative evaluation.		
		Internal assessment, external examination. criterion and norm		
		referenced evaluation,		
		Evaluation strategies-meaning, characteristics.		
		Construction of test, administration of test, scoring, grading Vs		
		marks.		
		Item analysis		
		Non-standardized tests :		
		Essay, short answer questions and multiple choice questions,		
		True & False, Completion. Tools of Evaluation-Rating scales,		
		checklist, Objective Structured Clinical Examination (OSCE),		
		Objective Structured Practical Examination (OSPE), Viva		
		Examination		
		Differential scales, and Summated scales, Sociometry, Anecdotal		
		record, Attitude scale, critical incident technique.		
		Question bank-preparation, validation, moderation by panel.		
		Standardized Tools		
		Tests of intelligence attitude, aptitude, interest, personality,		
		achievement, socio-economic status scale, tests for special		
		mental and physical abilities and disabilities.		
		Teacher Evaluation-Strategies		

VI	10	Continuing Education in Nursing
		 Concepts – Definition, importance, need, scope, principles of
		adult learning, assessments of learning needs, priorities,
		resources.
		 Program planning, implementation and evaluation of
		continuing education programs.
		 Research in continuing education.
		Distance education in nursing.
VII	5	Guidance and counseling
	EF5	Concept, principles, need, difference between guidance and
		counseling (Review).
		 Trends and issues in Guidance and counseling.
		Guidance and counseling services: diagnostic and remedial.
		 Coordination and organization of services.
		 Techniques of counseling : Interview, case work,
		Characteristics of counselor, problems in counseling.
		Professional preparation and training for counseling.
VIII	25	Management of nursing educational institutions
VIII	25	
		Planning, organizing, staffing, budgeting, recruitment, discipling, public relation, professional available.
		discipline, public relation, performance appraisal, welfare services, library services, hostel.
		 Role of curriculum coordinator – planning , implementation & evaluation
		• Evaluation of educational programs in nursing- course &
		program
		 Factors influencing faculty staff relationship and techniques of working together
		 Concept of faculty supervisor (dual) position.
		 Curriculum research in nursing.
		 Different models of collaboration between education & service
		2 Different models of condobitation between education & service

IX	5	Quality in Nursing Education	
		Development and maintenance of standards and accreditation in nursing	
		education programs. Role of Indian Nursing Council, State	
		Registration Nursing Councils, Boards and University.	

* External Faculty (EF)

Activities

- Framing philosophy, aims and objectives.
- Lesson Planning.
- Micro teaching-2.
- Conduct practice teachings using different teaching strategies -10 (like lecture cum discussion, demonstration- lab method, field trips, seminars, project, role play, panel discussion, clinical methods etc)
- Preparation and utilization of instructional Aids using different media.
- Develop course plans, unit plans, rotation plans.
- Conduct a continuing education workshop.
- Annotated bibliography.
- Critical evaluation of any nursing education program offered by a selected institution.
- Planning and Organizing field visits.
- Construct, administer and evaluate tools (objective & essay type test, observation checklist, rating scale etc)
- Observe and practice application of various non-standardized tests, (intelligence, Aptitude, Personality, Sociometry, physical & mental disabilities tests.)

Methods of Teaching

- Lecture cum discussion
- Demonstration/ Return demonstration
- Seminar / Presentations
- Project work
- Field visits
- Workshop

Methods of evaluation

• Tests

- Presentation
- Project work
- Written assignments

Internal Assessment (Theory)

	Weightage
Test- (3 tests)	50%
Assignments	25%
Seminar/presentation	25%

Total **100%**

Practical – Internal assessment

Preparation of Learning resource material &

Construction of tests/rotation plan.		
Practice Teaching	50%	
Conduct Workshop /Short Term Course	25%	
Total	100%	

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Note:- * Latest Edition

ADVANCED NURSING PRACTICE

Placement: 1st Year

Hours of Instruction

Theory: 150 Hours

External Faculty:-30hrs

Nursing Faculty:-120hrs

Practical: 500 Hours

Total: 650 Hours

Course Description

The course is designed to develop an understanding of concepts and constructs of theoretical basis of advance nursing practice and critically analyze different theories of nursing and other disciplines.

Objectives:

At the end of the course the students will be able to:

- 1. Describe ethical, legal, political and economic aspects of health care delivery and nursing practice.
- 2. Identify latest trends in nursing and the basis of advanced nursing practice.
- 3. Explain bio- psycho- social dynamics of health, life style and health care delivery system.
- 4. Discuss concepts, principles, theories, models, approaches relevant to nursing and their application.
- 5. Perform health assessment and General physical examination
- 6. Provide holistic and comprehensive care following nursing process approach
- 7. Perform extended and expanded role of nurse.
- 8. Describe alternative modalities of nursing care.
- 9. Describe the concept of quality control in nursing.
- 10. Identify the scope of nursing research.
- 11. Use computer in patient care delivery system and nursing practice.
- 12. Appreciate importance of self development and professional advancement.

COURSE CONTENT

8	Nursing as a Profession
	Review: History and development of nursing profession, Perspectives
	of Nursing Profession-National, global
	Code of ethics, code of professional conduct, autonomy and
	accountability, assertiveness, visibility of nurses, legal
	considerations, Role of regulatory bodies
	Professional organizations and unions-self defense, individual
	and collective bargaining
	Evidence Based Nursing Practice
	Progressive Patient Care
	• Quality assurance in nursing (INC).
	Futuristic nursing.
5	Health care delivery
	Health care environment, Health economics
	Health care policy -National, State
	Policy and politics in Nursing
	Health care delivery system- national, state, district and local level.
	Major stakeholders in the health care system-Government, NGOs etc
	Patterns of nursing care delivery in India.
	Health care delivery concerns
	National health and family welfare programs:(Review)
	 Information, education and communication (IEC).
	Tele-medicine.
20	Philosophy and Theories of Nursing
	 Values, Conceptual models, approaches.
	• Nursing theories: Nightingale's, Hendersons's, Roger's, Peplau's,
	Abdella's, Lewine's, Orem's, Johnson's, King's,
	Neuman's, Roy's, Watson parse, etc and their applications
	 Health belief models

		Evidence based practice model.		
1V	12	Clinical Assessment-History taking and physical examination		
	*EF8			
V	6	Nursing process		
		• Review: Identification of health-illness problems, health behaviors,		
		Methods of data collection, analysis and utilization of data relevant to		
		nursing process. Formulation of nursing care plans, health goals,		
		Implementation, modification and evaluation of care.		
V1	15	Genetics		
	EF10	Molecular basis of the gene and transmission of genetic information		
		Recombination, Mutation, Pedigree analysis		
		 Mapping the Human genome – Genome project. 		
		Approaches to common genetic disorders-Monogenic and polygenic		
		• Genetic testing – basis of genetic diagnosis, Pre symptomatic		
		and predisposition testing, Prenatal diagnosis & screening,		
		• Ethical, legal & psychosocial issues in genetic testing.		
		Genetic counseling.		
		 Practical application of genetics in nursing. 		
V11	4	Epidemiology		
	EF2	Review : Epidemiological approach and methods		
		 Concepts of causation of diseases and their screening, 		
		Application of epidemiology in health care delivery		
		Health surveillance and health informatics		
		• Role of nurse		
V111	30	Bio-Psycho social pathology		
		Review: Biological and Psychodynamics of disease causation		
		Life processes, Homeostatic mechanism, psycho-social		
		dynamics in causation of disease, life style disease		
		• Common problems and management: Infection, Oxygen		
		insufficiency,		
		Fluid and electrolyte imbalance, Acid Base imbalance,		
		Metabolic syndrome, Immune disorders, Hemorrhage, shock,		

		Altered body temperature, Unconsciousness, Insomnia, pain,		
		Sensory deprivation, Immobility, Anaphylaxis, Septicemia,		
		Cardio pulmonary arrest.		
IX	15	Psychological aspects and Human relations		
	EF5	Review:Human behavior, Personality trait, Communication and		
		interpersonal relationships, Individual / group dynamics and		
		organizational behavior, Basic human needs		
		Human Sexuality and sexual health.		
		 Stress and adaptation, crisis and its intervention, 		
		 Coping with loss, death and grieving, 		
		Principles and techniques of Counseling.		
X	10	Nursing practice		
		• Framework, scope and trends.		
		Alternative modalities of care		
		Alternative systems of health and complimentary therapies.		
		• Extended and expanded role of the nurse, in promotive, preventive,		
		curative and restorative health care delivery system in community an		
		institutions.		
		Health promotion and primary health care.		
		Independent practice issues, Independent nurse-midwifery practitione		
		Collaboration issues and models-within and outside nursing.		
		 Models of Prevention 		
		Gender sensitive issues and women empowerment.		
		Disaster nursing.		
		Geriatric considerations in nursing.		
		Trans-cultural nursing.		
XI	15	Advanced nursing skills		
		Definition, Indication and nursing implications:		
		TPN, Hemodynamic monitoring, Endo-tracheal intubation,		
		Tracheotomy, Mechanical ventilation, Pacemaker, Hemodialysis,		
		Peritonial dialysis, LP, Chest physio therapy, Pleural and abdominal		
		paracentesis, Triage, Pulse oxymetry, CPR, ACLS		

XII	10	Computer applications for patient care delivery system and nursing		
	EF5	practice		
		Use of computers in teaching, learning, research and nursing practice.		
		• Windows, MS office: Word, Excel, Power Point		
		• Internet-literature search,		
		Statistical packages		
		Hospital management information system: softwares		

Legend: *EF-External Faculty

Practical - 500 Hrs

Clinical posting in the following areas:

Sl.	Dept/Unit	No. of Weeks
No		
1.	Medical and Surgical Wards	4
2.	ICUs	4
3.	Community Health Centre/ PHC	2
4.	Casualty	1
	Total	11

Activities

- Prepare Case studies with nursing process approach and theoretical basis
- Care Analysis 2
- Practice advance clinical procedures
- Presentation of comparative picture of theories
- Clinical presentations- 5
- Annotated bibliography

Methods of Teaching

- Lecture cum discussion
- Seminar
- Panel discussion
- Debate
- Case Presentations
- Exposure to scientific conferences

Methods of evaluation:

• Tests

- Presentation
- Seminar
- Written assignments

Advance Nursing Procedures

Definition, Indication and nursing implications:

Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation, Total Parentral Nutrition, Hemodynamic
monitoring, Endotracheal intubation, Tracheostoma, mechanical ventilation,
Pacemaker, Hemodialysis, Peritonial dialysis, Lumbar Puncture, Blood Transfusion
Pleural and abdominal parecentasis Operation Room techniques, Health assessment,
Triage, Pulse oxymetry.

Internal Assessment

Theory	Weightage
Test- (3 tests)	50%
Assignment	25%
Seminar/presentation	25%
	100%

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NURSING RESEARCH AND STATISTICS

Placement: 1st Year

Hours of Instruction

Theory: 150 Hours

Practical: 100 Hours

Total : 250 Hours

Part A: Nursing Research

Theory: 100 Hours

Practical: 75 Hours

Total: 175 Hours

Course Description:

The course is designed to assist the students to acquire an understanding of the research methodology and statistical methods as a basis for identifying research problem, planning and implementing a research plan. It will further enable the students to evaluate research studies and utilize research findings to improve quality of nursing practice, education and management.

General Objectives:

At the end of the course, the students will be able to:

- 1. Recognize the significance of research in nursing and its importance in evidence- based nursing practice.
- 2. Identify the steps of quantitative and qualitative research.
- 3. Discuss the ethical aspects of research.
- 4. Review literature utilizing various resources.
- 5. Identify researchable problems in nursing.
- 6. Demonstrate skill in planning and conducting research studies.
- 7. Communicate research findings.
- 8. Utilize research findings.
- 9. Critically evaluate research reports and articles.
- 10. Write scientific paper for publications.

COURSE CONTENT:

Unit	Theory hours	Content	Practic al hours	Content	
I	Introduction Review: Problem solving and scientific method. Research –definition, characteristics, purposes, types of research, Basic research terms, Scope of nursing research, Overview of Research process, Significance of research in nursing, Historical Evolution of nursing research. Future trends in nursing research. Problems and challenges in nursing research, health and social research. Priorities for nursing research. Evidence based practice. Ethics in research				
II	5	Review of Literature • Review- • Importance, purposes, sources, criteria for selection of resources • Guidelines for writing literature review.	5	Literature search-web search	

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	oping theoretical
• Theories: Nature, characteristics, /conce	ptual
purpose and uses framev	work.
Using, testing and developing	
conceptual framework, models and	
theories.	
V 15 Research Approach and designs	
Qualitative and Quantitative.	
Qualitative research approaches:	
Grounded theory, phenomenology,	
ethnography, case study and	
historical research.	
Quantitative: Experimental and non	
experimental: types, characteristics,	
advantages and disadvantages.	
VI 8 Sampling	
Population and sample.	
Factors influencing sampling	
Sampling techniques	
Sample size	
Probability and sampling error	

VII	20	a) Data collection methods and Tools:		
		Concepts of data collection, Data sources,		
		methods/techniques quantitative and		
		qualitative. Tools for data collection-types		
		and characteristics		
		b) Measurement and data quality		
		Validity and reliability of tools,		
		Characteristics of an instrument		
		Steps in development of an instrument.		
		Procedure for data collection		
VIII	3	Critical analysis of research reports and	15	Critical analysis of
		articles		research reports and articles
IX	4	Developing and presenting a research	5	Presenting a research
		proposal		proposal
X	5	Implementing research plan	40	Pilot study
		Pilot study, review research plan (design),		
		planning for data collection, administration		
		of tool/interventions, Collection of data		
XI	10	Analysis and interpretation of data		
		Plan for data analysis: quantitative and		
		qualitative		
		Preparing data for computer analysis and		
		presentation		
		Statistical analysis		
		Interpretation of data		
		Conclusion and generalizations		
		Summary and discussion		
XII	10	Reporting and utilizing research findings:		
		Communication of research results; oral		
		and written		
		Writing research report purposes,		
		methods and style, Vancouver, American		
		Psychological Association (APA),		
		Campbell etc.		

Utilization of research findings.			
	Writing scientific articles for publication:		
	purposes &Style		

Activities:

- Annotated Bibliography of research reports and articles.
- Review of literature of selected topic and reporting
- Formulation of problem statement, objective and hypothesis
- Developing theoretical /conceptual framework.
- Preparation of a sample research tool.
- Analysis and interpretation of given data
- Developing and presenting research proposal
- Journal club presentation
- Critical evaluation of selected research studies
- Writing a scientific paper

Methods of Teaching:

- Lecture-cum-discussion
- Seminar/Presentations
- Project
- Class room exercises
- Journal club

Methods of Evaluation:

- Quiz, Tests(Term)
- Assignments/Term paper
- Presentations
- Project work (Concerned specialty)

Internal Assessment Techniques	Weightage (35 marks)
Term test (2 tests)	40%
Assignments	20%
Presentations	20%
Project work	20%
Total	100%

Part –B: Statistics (External Faculty)

Hours of Instruction

Theory 50Hours
Practical 25 Hours

Total 75 Hours

Course Description:

At the end of the course, the students will be able to develop an understanding of the statistical methods and apply them in conducting research studies in nursing

General Objectives:

At the end of the course the students will be able to:

- 1. Explain the basic concepts related to statistics
- 2. Describe the scope of statistics in health and nursing
- 3. Organize, tabulate and present data meaningfully
- 4. Use descriptive and inferential statistics to predict results
- 5. Draw conclusions of the study and predict statistical significance of the results
- 6. Describe vital health statistics and their use in health related research
- 7. Use statistical packages for data analysis.

COURSE CONTENT

Unit	Hours		Course content
	Theory	Practical	
I	7		Introduction:
			Concepts, types, significance and
			scope of statistics, meaning of data
			> Sample, parameter
			> Type and levels of data and their
			measurement
			 Organization and presentation of
			data-Tabulation of data
			Frequency distribution
			➤ Graphical and tabular presentations
II	4		Measures of central tendency:
			Mean, Median, Mode

III	4	Measures of variability:
		 Range, Percentiles, Average deviation, Quartile deviation, Standard deviation
		Standard deviation
IV	3	Normal Distribution:
		Probability, Characteristics and
		application of normal probability
		curve, Sampling error
V	6	Measures of relationship:
		Correlation-need and meaning
		Rank order correlation
		Scatter diagram method
		Product moment correlation
		Simple linear regression analysis
		and prediction
VI	5	Designs and meaning:
		Experimental designs
		Comparison in pairs, randomized
		block design, Latin squares.
VII	8	Significance of Statistic and Significance
		of difference between two
		Statistics(Testing hypothesis)
		Non parametric test-Chi-square
		test, Sign, median test, Mann
		Whitney test
		Parametric test-'t' test, ANOVA,
		MANOVA, ANCOVA
VIII	5	Use of statistical methods in psychology
		and education:
		Scaling-Z Score, Z Scaling
		Standard Score and T Score
		Reliability of test scores: test-retest
		method, parallel forms split half
		method

IX	4	5	Application of statistics in health:	
			Ratios, Rates, Trends	
			Vital health statistics –Birth and death	
			rates	
			Measures related to fertility, morbidity	
			and mortality	
X	4	20	Use of Computers for data analysis	
			Use of statistical package	

Activities:

- Exercises on organization and tabulation of data
- Graphical and tabular presentation of data
- Calculation of descriptive and inferential statistics (chi square, t-test, correlation)
- Practice in using statistical package
- Computing
- Vital health statistics

Methods of Teaching:

- Lecture-cum-discussion
- Demonstration-on data organization, tabulation, calculation of statistics, use of statistical package, Classroom exercises, organization and tabulation of data
- Computing Descriptive and inferential statistics; vital and health statistics and use of computer for data entry and analysis using statistical package

Methods of Evaluation:

• Test, Classroom statistical exercises

Internal Assessment Techniques weightage 15 marks

Test – (2 tests) 100%

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CLINICAL SPECIALITY – I

MEDICAL SURGICAL NURSING-I

Placement: 1st Year

Hours of instruction

Theory: 150 Hours

Nursing Faculty: 120Hours

ExternalFaculty: 30 Hours

Practical: 900 Hours

Total: 1050 Hours

Course Description

It is designed to assist students in developing expertise and in-depth knowledge in the field of Medical Surgical Nursing. It will help students to appreciate the patient as a holistic individual and develop skill to function as a specialized Nurse. It will further enable the student to function as educator, manager and researcher in the field of Medical – Surgical Nursing.

Objectives

At the end of the course the students will be able to:

- 1. Appreciate the trends & issues in the field of Medical Surgical Nursing as a specialty.
- 2. Apply concepts & theories related to health promotion.
- 3. Appreciate the client as a holistic individual.
- 4. Perform physical, psychosocial assessment of Medical Surgical patients.
- 5. Apply Nursing process in providing care to patients.
- 6. Integrate the concept of family centered nursing care with associated disorder such as genetic, congenital and long-term illness.
- 7. Recognize and manage emergencies
- 8. Describe various recent technologies & treatment modalities in the management of critically ill patients.
- 9. Appreciate the legal & ethical issues
- 10. Prepare a design for ICU
- 11. Appreciate the role of alternative systems of Medicine in care of patients.
- 12. Incorporate evidence based Nursing practice and identify the areas of research
- 13. Recognize the role of Nurse practitioner as a member of the health team.
- 14. Conduct clinical Teaching for undergraduate nursing students & in-service nurses.

COURSE CONTENT:

Unit	Hours	Content		
1	2	Introduction:		
		Historical development of Medical- Surgical Nursing		
		 Trends & issues in Medical – Surgical Nursing. 		
		Ethical & cultural issues in Medical – Surgical Nursing.		
II	2	Review: General Health Assessment & History taking.		
		Nutritional assessment.		
III	10	Management of patients with disorders of Gastro intestinal system		
	(EF 3)	Review: Functional anatomy and physiology.		
		Health assessment- History taking, physical examination, diagnostic		
		investigations		
		Etiology, pathophysiology diagnostic tests & management of		
		GERD, APD, Intestinal obstruction, , Pancreatitis, GI Bleeding, Irritable		
		Bowel Syndrome, , HEPATITIS, Toxic and drug induced liver disease,		
		Portal hypertension, Cirrhosis of Liver, Hepatic Failure, leptospirosis		
		Related research studies & Evidence based nursing practice.		
		Rehabilitation and follow-up.		
IV	12	Management of patients with disorders of nervous system		
	(EF 3)	Review: Functional anatomy and physiology.		
		Health assessment- History taking, physical examination, diagnostic		
		investigations		
		Etiology, pathophysiology diagnostic tests & management of		
		Dementia, Stroke, Meningitis, Encephalitis, Epilepsy, ICSOL.		
		• Related research studies & Evidence based <i>nursing</i> practice.		
		Rehabilitation and follow-up.		
V	12	Management of patients with disorders of respiratory system		
	(EF 3)	Review: Functional anatomy and physiology.		
		Health assessment- History taking, physical examination , diagnostic		
		investigations		
		Etiology, pathophysiology diagnostic tests & management of Asthma,		
		Infections, COPD, ARDS, Respiratory Failure, Pulmonary edema,		
		Pulmonary embolism, Pulmonary neoplasm		

		Related research studies & Evidence based nursing practice.	
		Rehabilitation and follow-up.	
VI	12	Management of patients with disorders of cardio vascular system	
	(EF5)	Review: Functional anatomy and physiology.	
		 Health assessment- History taking, physical examination, diagnostic 	
		investigations	
		Etiology, pathophysiology diagnostic tests & management of	
		Hypertension, CAD, Acute coronary syndrome, Arrhythmias, CCF,	
		Disorders of arteries & veins.	
		Related research studies & Evidence based nursing practice.	
		Rehabilitation and follow-up.	
VII	12	Management of patients with disorders of blood	
	(EF 3)	Review: Functional anatomy and physiology.	
		Health assessment- History taking, physical examination , diagnostic	
		investigations	
		Etiology, pathophysiology diagnostic tests & management of Anemias,	
		Leukemias, Hemorrhagic Disorders.	
		Related research studies & Evidence based nursing practice.	
		Rehabilitation and follow-up.	
VIII	15	anagement of patients with disorders of genito- urinary system	
	(EF3)	Review: Functional anatomy and physiology.	
		Health assessment- History taking, physical examination, diagnostic	
		investigations	
		Etiology, pathophysiology diagnostic tests & management of Renal	
		Calculi, UTI, Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome, ARF, CRF, BPH, Ca bladder.	
		Related research studies & Evidence based nursing practice.	
		Rehabilitation and follow-up.	
IX	15	Management of patients with disorders of endocrine system	
	(EF3)	Review: Functional anatomy and physiology.	
		Health assessment- History taking, physical examination, diagnostic	
		investigations	
		Etiology, pathophysiology diagnostic tests & management of DM,	
		Pituitary disorders, Thyroid parathyroid and adrenal dysfunctions.	

		Related research studies & Evidence based nursing practice.			
		Rehabilitation and follow-up.			
X	15	Management of patients with disorders of muscular-skeletal			
	(EF 3)	system			
		Review: Functional anatomy and physiology.			
		Health assessment- History taking, physical examination, diagnostic			
		investigations			
		Etiology pathophysiology diagnostic tests & management of Arthritis,			
		SLE, Osteoporosis, Osteomalacia, Osteomyelitis, Fracture, Gout.			
		Related research studies & Evidence based nursing practice.			
		Rehabilitation and follow-up.			
XI	4	Management of patients with disorders of Integumentary System			
		Health assessment- History taking, physical examination, diagnostic			
		investigations			
		Etiology pathophysiology diagnostic tests & management of herpes			
		psoriasis, dermatitis, pemiphigus, cellulites, leprosy, skin cancer, pressure			
		ulcer.			
		Related research studies & Evidence based nursing practice.			
		Rehabilitation and follow-up.			
XII	4	Management of patients with disorders of Eye and ENT			
		Review: Functional anatomy and physiology.			
		Health assessment- History taking, physical examination, diagnostic			
		investigations			
		Etiology pathophysiology diagnostic tests & management of hearing			
		impairment, infections disorders of balance glaucoma, cataract, corneal			
		disorders, tumors, refractive errors, visual impairment.			
		Related research studies & Evidence based nursing practice.			
		Rehabilitation and follow-up.			
XIII	15	Geriatric nursing			
		Ageing; Demography, Concepts and theories of ageing			
		Age related body systems changes.			

		Psychosocial Aspects of Aging.	
		Stress & coping in older adults.	
		Nursing Assessment-History and Physical assessment.	
		Medications and elderly.	
		Common Health Problems & Nursing Management	
		Psychosocial and Sexual abuse of elderly.	
		Use of aids and prosthesis	
		Legal & Ethical Issues.	
XIV	10	Management of patients with communicable and sexually	
		transmitted diseases:	
		Review of immune system.	
		• Common Disorders of immune system – HIV/AIDS.	
		Review of infection process cycle, Etiology, Patho physiology, Clinical	
		manifestations, complications, prognosis, investigation and diagnostic	
		assessment, Treatment modalities of acute diarrhoeal disorders, typhoid	
		fever, hepatitis, tetanus, rabies, malaria, Japanese encephalitis.	
		Emerging communicable diseases	
XV	10	Emergency, trauma and multi-system organ failure	
	(EF 4)	DIC (disseminated intravascular coagulation)	
		Burns, poisoning	
		Health assessment-History taking, physical examination, investigation and	
		diagnostic assessment and management of craniocerebral trauma, spinal	
		cord injury and abdominal injuries.	
		Related research studies.	
		Evidence based nursing practice.	
		Rehabilitation and follow-up.	

Sl. No	Dept/Unit	No. of Weeks
1.	General Medical Ward	4
2.	General surgical ward	4
3.	ICUs	7
4.	Oncology	2
5.	Emergency Department	2
	Total	19

Student Activities:

- Clinical presentations
- Health Assessment
- Nutritional Assessment
- Health Education related to disease conditions
- Case studies
- Term paper

Theory weightage		Practical weightage	
Sessional exams -3	50%	Ongoing assessment	50%
Written assignments	25%	Clinical assignments	30%
	25%	Internal examination	20%
Seminars/Presentations			
Total	100%	TOTAL	100%

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CLINICAL SPECIALTY -I

CHILD HEALTH (PAEDIATRIC) NURSING-I

Placement: Ist Year

Hours of Instruction

Theory 150 Hours

External Faculty - 50 Hours

Internal Faculty- 100 Hours

Practical-900Hours

Total: 1050 Hours

Course Description

This course is designed to assist students in developing expertise and in depth

understanding in the field of Child Health Nursing. It will help students to appreciate the

child as a holistic individual and develop skill to function as neonatal and child health

nurse specialist. It will further enable the student to function as educator, manager, and

researcher in the field of Pediatric nursing.

Objectives

At the end of the course the students will be able to:

1. Appreciate the history and developments in the field of child health and child

health nursing as a specialty.

2. Apply the concepts of growth and development in providing care to the pediatric

clients and their families.

3. Perform physical, developmental, and nutritional assessment of pediatric clients

4. Apply nursing process in providing nursing care to neonates & children

5. Integrate the concept of family centered pediatric nursing care with related areas

such as genetic disorders, congenital malformations and long term illness.

6. Appreciate the legal and ethical issues pertaining to pediatric and neonatal nursing

7. Describe various recent technologies and treatment modalities in the management

of high risk children.

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- 8. Incorporate evidence based nursing practice and identifies the areas of research in the field of pediatric/neonatal nursing
- 9. Recognize the role of pediatric nurse practitioner as a member of the pediatric and neonatal health team.
- 10. Teach pediatric nursing to undergraduate students & in-service nurses.

Course Content

Unit	Hours	Content	
I	5	Introduction	
		Review: -	
		Historical development of Pediatrics and Pediatric Nursing in India;	
		Current status of child health in India;	
		Trends in Pediatrics and Pediatric Nursing,	
		Ethical and cultural issues in pediatric care	
		Rights of children	
		National health policy for children, special laws and ordinances relating to children.	
		National goals,	
		Five year plans,	
		National health programs related to child health	
II	10	Assessment of pediatric clients	
	EF 5	History taking	
		Developmental assessment	
		Physical assessment	
		Nutritional assessment	
		Family assessment	
III	5	Hospitalized child	
		Review:- Meaning of hospitalization to the child, preparation for hospitalization,	
		effects of hospitalization on the child and family	
		Stressors and reactions related to developmental stages, play activities for ill	
		hospitalized child.	

		Nursing care of hospitalized child and family -principles and practices
IV	10	Pre-natal Pediatrics
	EF 5	Embryological and fetal development, Prenatal factors
		influencing growth and development of fetus,
		Genetic patterns of common pediatric disorders,
		chromosomal aberrations, genetic assessment and
		counseling legal and ethical aspects of genetic screening
		and counseling role of nurse in genetic counseling,
		Importance of prenatal care and role of pediatric nurse.
V	10	Growth and Development of children
		Review: -Factors affecting growth and development
		Principles of growth and development,
		Concepts and theories of growth and development,
		Developmental tasks and special needs from infancy to
		adolescence, developmental milestones,
		Assessment of growth and development of pediatric clients
		Developmental Problems
VI	10	Behavioral Pediatrics and Pediatric Nursing
	EF 5	Parent child relationship,
		Basic behavioral pediatric principles and specific behavioral
		pediatric concepts/disorders- maternal deprivation, failure
		to thrive, child abuse, battered child syndrome,
		Common behavioral problems and their management,
		Child guidance clinic.
VII	10	Preventive Pediatrics and Pediatric Nursing
	EF 5	Concept, aims and scope of preventive pediatrics,
		Maternal health and its influence on child health, antenatal
		aspects of preventive pediatrics,
		Immunization, expanded program on immunization/

		universal immunization program and cold chain,		
		Nutrition and nutritional requirements of children, changing		
		patterns of feeding, baby- friendly hospital initiative and		
		exclusive breast feeding,		
		Health education, nutritional education for children and mother		
		Nutritional programs		
		National and international organizations related to child		
		health,		
		Role of pediatric nurse in the hospital and community.		
VIII	10	Developmental disturbances and implications for nursing		
	EF 5	Adjustment reaction to school,		
		Learning disabilities		
		Habit disorders, speech disorders,		
		Conduct disorders,		
		Early infantile autism, Attention deficit hyperactive		
		disorders (ADHD), depression and childhood schizophrenia		
IX	10	Challenged child and implications for nursing		
		Physically challenged, causes, features, early detection &		
		management		
		Children with cerebral palsy		
		Mentally challenged child.		
		Training & rehabilitation of challenged children		
X	5	Crisis and nursing intervention		
		The hospitalized child,		
		Terminal illness & death during childhood		
		Nursing intervention-counsiling		
XI	5	Drugs used in Pediatrics		
	EF 5	Criteria for dose calculation		
		Administration of drugs, oxygen and blood		
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		Drug interactions Adverse effects and their management		

XII	40	Neonatal Nursing	
	EF 20	New born baby: Concept, Goals, assessment, principles.	
		- profile and characteristics of the new born,	
		Nursing care of the new born at birth, care of the new born	
		and family,	
		Assessment of gestational age IUGR babies	
		High Risk Newborn: Identification, classification and	
		nursing management.	
		Nursing management of	
		Preterm, term neonate and growth retarded babies.	
		Post-mature infant, and baby of diabetic and substance use mothers.	
		Respiratory conditions, Asphyxia neonatorum, neonatal apnoea meconium	
		aspiration syndrome, pneumo thorax, pneumo mediastinum	
		Icterus neonatorum.	
		Birth injuries.	
		Hypoxic ischaemic encephelopathy	
		Congenital anomalies.	
		Neonatal seizures.	
		Neonatal hypocalcaemia, hypoglycemia, hypomagnesaemia.	
		Neonatal heart diseases.	
		Neonatal hemolytic diseases	
		Neonatal infections, neonatal sepsis, opthalmia,	
		neonatorum, cogenital syphilis, HIV/AIDS	
		Advanced neonatal procedures.	
		Calculation of fluid requirements.	
		• Hematological conditions – erythroblastosis fetalis, hemorrhagic disorder in the	
		newborn	
XIII	20	IMNCI	
		(Integrated management of neonatal and childhood illnesses)	
		Essential New born care, facility based new born care	

Practical Experience

Total = 900 Hours

1 Week = 48Hours

Sl. No	Dept/Unit	No. of Weeks
1.	Pediatric Medical Ward	5
2.	Pediatric Surgical Ward	2
3.	Labor Room/ Maternity ward	1
4.	NICU/Newborn Nursery	8
5.	Community	1
6.	Paed. O.P.D	1
7.	Child guidance clinic	1
	Total	19

➤ Visit to Creche, Child Guidance Clinic, Anganwadi, Orphanage, Child Care Center, Play school, Special schools for challenged children.

Procedures to be performed/assisted

- Assessment of Neonates: Identification & assessment of risk factors, APGAR Score, gestation age, Anthropometric assessment,
- Admission & discharge of neonates
- Feeding management of breast feeding, artificial feeding, expression of breast milk,
 NG(Nasogastric) tube insertion, gavage feeding, TPN, Breast feeding counseling
- Thermoregulation- Axillary temperature, Kangaroo Mother Care (KMC), Use of Radiant warmer, incubators, management of thermoregulation & control
- Administration of Drugs: I/M, IV injection, IV Cannulation & fixation infusion pump, Calculation of dosages, Neonatal formulation of drugs, use of tuberculin/ insulin syringes, Monitoring fluid therapy, Blood administration.
- Procedures for prevention of infections: Hand washing, disinfections & sterilization, fumigation
- Collection of specimens
- Setting, Use & maintenance of basic equipment: Ventilator, O2 analyzer, monitoring equipment, Photo therapy unit, Flux meter, Infusion pump, Radiant warmer, incubator, Centrifuge machine, Bilimeter, Refractometer, laminar flow
- Umbilical catheterization arterial and venous
- Arterial B P monitoring
- Blood transfusion- exchange transfusion full and partial
- Chest tube insertion
- Endotracheal intubation
- Ventilation

• Assist in surgery

Student Assignments

- > Care analysis
- > Clinical presentations
- ➤ Growth & developmental assessment
- > Assessment & prescription of nursing interventions for sick children
- ➤ Health education related to disease conditions
- > Nutritional assessment
- > Project work
- > Field visits
- > Maintaining Log book.

Theory weightage		Practical weightage	
Sessional exams (3)	50%	Ongoing clinical evaluation	40%
Written assignments	25%	Clinical assignments	40%
Seminars	25%	Internal practical examination	20%
Total	100%	Total	100%

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CLINICAL SPECIALTY-1

MENTAL HEALTH (PSYCHIATRIC) NURSING-1

Placement-I Year

Resource Persons

instruction
- 150 Hrs.
- 900 Hrs.
- 1050 Hrs.

Psychiatric Nursing Faculty
Psychiatrist
Psychologist
Psychiatric social worker
-100 Hrs
-25 Hrs
-20 Hrs
-5 Hrs

Course Description:

The course is designed to assist students in developing expertise & in depth understanding in the field of psychiatric nursing. It will help the students to acquire knowledge regarding the psychodynamics of human behaviour, epidemiology, manifestations and treatment modalities of various mental disorders, render holistic care to clients in various settings and to function effectively as a nurse specialist among the interdisciplinary team members. It will help the students to appreciate the latest trends and identify researchable areas in the field of psychiatric nursing and utilize research findings in their practice.

Objectives:

At the end of the course, the students:

- 1. Appreciate the trends and issues in the field of Psychiatry and Psychiatric nursing.
- 2. Explain the dynamics of personality development and human behaviour.
- 3. Describe the concepts of psychobiology and psychopathology in mental disorders and its implications for psychiatric nursing practice.
- 4. Demonstrate therapeutic communication skills in all interactions.
- 5. Establish and maintain therapeutic relationship with individual, groups and families.
- 6. Apply nursing process in providing holistic care to patients with mental disorders.
- 7. Carryout counseling and guidance programmes to various types of clients
- 8. Appreciate the legal and ethical issues pertaining to psychiatric nursing.
- 9. Demonstrate skills /competencies in nursing management of patients with different mental disorders.
- 10. Participate in various treatment modalities used for Psychiatric patients.
- 11. Recognize the role of Psychiatric nurse practitioner as a member of the mental health team.

COURSE CONTENT

UNIT	TIME (HRS)	CONTENT	
I	5	INTRODUCTION	
		Review of mental health	
		Mental health illness continuum	
		Historical perspectives	
		Current concepts, trends and issues in Psychiatry	
		Mental health services in Kerala, India, and abroad.	
		Scope, issues and challenges in Psychiatric nursing	
		Principles and standards of -Psychiatric nursing practice	
		Multidisciplinary approach and role of the Psychiatric nurse	
		Role of the Psychiatric nurse extended and expanded	
II	10	CONCEPTS OF PSYCHOBIOLOGY AND	
	(Psychiatrist	PSYCHOPATHOLOGY	
	5)	The Nervous System	
		Review of Anatomy	
		The Brain and Limbic System	
		Nervous Tissue	
		Autonomic Nervous System	
		Neurotransmitters	
		Neurons endocrinology	
		-Circadian rhythm	
		-Pituitary and thyroid glands	
		• Genetics	
		Psychopathology	
		Psycho immunology	
		-Normal Immune Response	
		-Implication for Psychiatric illness	
III	12	THEORIES OF PERSONALITY DEVELOPMENT AND	
	(Psychologist	CONCEPTUAL MODELS OF NURSING PRACTICE	
	5)	Personality — an overview	
		Theories of Personality development and relevance to	

		nursing practice
		-Psychoanalytic theory (Freud)
		-Interpersonal theory (Sullivan)
		-Psychosocial theory (Erickson)
		-Cognitive development theory
		-Moral development theory
		-Object relation theory
		Nursing models — Peplau, Roy, Betty Neuman, Jhonson,
		Roggers.
		Behavioural model
		Medical model
IV	5	STRESS AND ITS MANAGEMENT
		Concepts of Stress
		Psychological adaptation to Stress
		Stress as a biological response
		Stress as an environmental event
		Stress as transaction between the individual and the
		environment
		Stress management
		Stress adaptation model
V	10	THERAPEUTIC COMMUNICATION AND
		INTERPERSONAL RELATIONSHIP
		Review of communication process, factors affecting
		communication
		Techniques of therapeutic communication
		Barriers of communication
		Therapeutic attitudes
		Therapeutic Nurse - Client relationship
		Therapeutic use of self and self awareness Therapeutic
		impasse and its management
		Johari window
		Transactional analysis
		Assertive communication

VI	10	EPIDEMIOLOGY, SYMPTOMATOLOGY AND	
	(Psychiatrist)	CLASSIFICATION	
		Epidemiology of common mental illnesses	
		Clinical manifestations of mental illnesses	
		Classification of mental illness	
		-ICD	
		-DSM	
		-Indian	
VII	10	NURSING PROCESS IN PSYCHIATRIC NURSING	
	(Psychologist	Mental health assessment: History, Mental Status	
	3)	Examination	
		Physical and neurological examination	
		Psychometric assessment	
		Investigations, Diagnoses and Differential diagnoses	
		Nursing diagnoses, nursing care plan and evaluation	
		Documentation- computer assisted	
		Critical pathways of care	
VIII	20	GUIDANCE AND COUNSELING	
	(Psychologist	Counseling ; definition, concepts, types, models	
	5)	Principles and techniques of counseling	
		Role of nurse counselor	
		Guidance- definition, scope, types and techniques	
		Organization of guidance service	
IX	10	THERAPIES IN PSYCHIATRY	
		A. Psychopharmacology	
	(Psychiatrist	Historical perspectives	
	10)	Anti anxiety agents	
		Anti depressant agents	
		Mood stabilizers	
		Anti psychotics	

	Sedatives - Hypnotics
	Central Nervous System stimulants
	Other drugs
	Role of a nurse in psycho pharmacological Therapy
2	B. Electroconvulsive therapy
	Historical perspectives
	• Indications
	Contra indications
	Mechanisms of action
	Side effects
	Risks associated with Electro convulsive therapy
	Role of nurse in Electro convulsive therapy
15	C. Seclusion and Restraints
(Psychologist	D. Psychosocial therapies
7)	Psychotherapy
	Cognitive therapy
	Behavioral therapy
	Relaxation therapy.
	Positive -negative reinforcement.
	Biofeedback
	Guided imagery
	Group therapy
	Family therapy
(PSW 5)	Marital therapy
	Milieu therapy
	The therapeutic community
	Occupational therapy
	Recreational therapy
	Play therapy
	Music therapy
	E. Alternative therapies/Complementary therapies
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X	6	ORGANIC MENTAL DISORDERS
		Delirium
		Dementia
		Organic Amnestic Syndrome
		Psychopharmacological interventions and nursing
		management
XI	8	SUBSTANCE USE DISORDERS
		Substance use disorders
		Substance induced disorders
		Classes of Psychoactive substances
		Predisposing factors
		The Dynamics of Substance Related Disorders
		Codependency
		Treatment modalities for substance — related disorders
		and nursing management
XII	10	SCHIZOPHRENIA AND OTHER PSYCHOTIC DISORDERS
		Nature of the disorder
		 Predisposing factors and psychopathology
		• Schizophrenia — types
		-Disorganized Schizophrenia
		-Catatonic Schizophrenia
		-Paranoid Schizophrenia
		-Undifferentiated Schizophrenia
		-Residual Schizophrenia
		Other Psychotic Disorders
		-Schizoaffective disorders
		-Brief psychotic disorders
		-Shizophreniform disorders
		-Psychotic disorder due to a general medical condition.
		-Substance — induced psychotic disorders
	_	• Treatment and nursing management
XIII	8	MOOD DISORDERS
		Historical perspectives

		Epidemiology and psychopathology
		The grief response
		Maladaptive responses to loss
		Types of mood disorders
		Depressive disorders
		Manic disorders
		Bipolar disorders
		Treatment and nursing management
XIV	5	ANXIETY DISORDERS
		Historical perspectives
		Epidemiology and psychopathology
		• Types
		Panic disorders
		Generalized anxiety disorders
		• Phobias
		Obsessive compulsive disorders
		Post traumatic stress disorders
		Anxiety disorders due to general medical condition
		Substance induced anxiety disorders
		Treatment modalities
		Psycho pharmacology and nursing management
XV	4	ETHICAL AND LEGAL ISSUES IN PSYCHIATRY AND
		PSYCHIATRIC NURSING
		Ethical considerations and dilemmas
		Rights of mentally ill persons
		Mental health act
		Legal issues in psychiatry
		Legal role of nurse

PRACTICAL

Total -900 Hours 1 week - 48 Hours

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

• History taking

- Weekly one

• Mental Status Examination - Weekly one

• Nursing care plan - Weekly one

• Psychometric assessment

• Psycho education - 1

• Drug study - 1

• Personality assessment - 1

• Process recording - 2

• Assisting with EEG, CT, MRI

• Therapies — (Participation & Observation)

o ECT with patient profile

o Group therapy with patient profile

o Family therapy with patient profile

Psychotherapy with patient profile

Counseling with patient profile

o Milieu therapy/therapeutic Milieu

Occupational therapy

o Recreational therapy

o Music therapy

• Case presentation - 4

• Case studies - 2

• Bed side clinic - 3

• Project work based on hospital care setting

Method of Evaluation Theory	Weightage
Sessional examinations (3)	50 %
Seminars	25%
Written assignments	25%
Total	100
Practical	
Ongoing clinical evaluation	40%
Internal practical examination	25%
Clinical Assignments	35%
Total	100

SL NO	AREA OF POSTING	NO. OF WEEKS
1	Acute psychiatric ward	4
2	Chronic psychiatric ward	4
3	Psychiatric emergency	2
4	OPD	2
5	Family psychiatry	1
6	Community mental health	2
7	Rehabilitation/ occupational therapy/ Half way home/Day care centre	2
8	De- addiction unit	2
	Total	19

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CLINICAL SPECIALITY - I

OBSTETRIC AND GYNAECOLOGICAL NURSING- 1

Placement: 1st year

Hours of Instruction

Theory: 150 hours

Nursing Faculty- 120 hours

External Faculty-30 hours

Practical: 900 hours

Total: 1150 hours.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course is designed to assist students in developing expertise and in depth understanding in the field of Obstetric and Gynaecological Nursing. It will help students to appreciate the client as a holistic individual and develop skill to function as an independent midwifery practitioner. It will further enable the student to function as educator, manager, and researcher in the field of Obstetric and Gynaecological nursing.

OBJECTIVES

At the end of the course the students will be able to:

- 1. Examine the trends in the field of midwifery, obstetrics and gynaecology as a specialty.
- 2. Describe the population dynamics and indicators of maternal and child health.
- 3. Describe current concepts in genetics and embryology.
- 4. Identify the role of women in the society
- 5. Describe the concepts of biophysical, psychological and spiritual aspects of normal pregnancy, labor and puerperium.
- 6. Provide comprehensive nursing care to women during reproductive period and newborns.
- 7. Integrate the concepts of family centered nursing care and nursing process approach in obstetric and gynaecological nursing.
- 8. Identify and analyze the deviations from normal birth process and refer appropriately.
- 9. Describe the pharmacological agents, their effects during pregnancy, child birth, puerperium, lactation and the role of nurse
- 10. Counsel adolescents, women and families on issues pertaining to pregnancy, child birth and lactation

- 11. Describe the role of various types of complementary and alternative therapies in obstetric and gynecological nursing.
- 12. Incorporate evidence based nursing practice and identify the areas of research in the field of obstetric and gynecological nursing.
- 13. Describe the recent advancement in contraceptive technology and birth control measures.
- 14. Explain the legal and ethical issues pertaining to obstetric and gynecological nursing.
- 15. Function as independent midwifery nurse practitioner

Course Content

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Units	Hours	Content	
I	10	Introduction	
		 Historical and contemporary perspectives 	
		> Issues of maternal and child health: Age, Gender,	
		Sexuality, sexual health, Psycho- Socio cultural factors	
		Status of women in Indian Society	
		➤ Role of the women in the family & society	
		Women empowerment	
		Preventive obstetrics	
		> National health and family welfare programmes related	
		to maternal and child health: health Care delivery	
		system.	
		> National Rural Health Mission-Reproductive child	
		health.	
		> Theories, models and approaches applied to midwifery	
		practice.	
		> Role and scope of midwifery practice: Independent	
		Nurse midwifery practitioner	
		> Legal and Ethical issues: code of ethics and standards of	
		midwifery practice, standing orders	
		Evidence based midwifery practice	
		> Research priorities in Obstetric and Gynaecological	
		nursing.	
		Complementary therapies in obstetric practice.	

II	20	Human reproduction	
	EF6	Review:-	
		➤ Anatomy and physiology of human reproductive	
		system: male and female, Reproductive physiology.	
		Pelvic floor and female pelvis	
		➤ Foetal skull	
		Hormonal cycles, Menarche & Menopause.	
		Endocrinology in relation to reproduction.	
		➤ Embryology	
		 Genetics, teratology, prenatal diagnosis and counseling 	
		> Preconception care, Preparing families for child bearing	
		& child rearing, planned parenthood.	
III	25	Pregnancy	
	EF6	Maternal adaptation :- Physiological, Psychosocial	
		Diagnosis of pregnancy	
		Assessment - Maternal and fetal	
		Maternal assessment: History taking, examination-	
		general, physical and obstetrical.	
		 Identification of high risk, 	
		 Foetal assessment – clinical parameters. 	
		Biochemical- Human estriol, Maternal Serum Alfa	
		Feto protein, Acetyl choline esterase (AchE), Triple	
		Test, Aminocentesis, Cordocentesis. Chorionic villus	
		sampling (CVS).	
		Biophysical -Foetal movement count, Sonography,	
		Cardio tocography, cardio tomography, Non-Stress	
		Test (NST), Contraction stress test (CST), amnioscopy,	
		foetoscopy.	
		Radiological examination	
		➤ Interpretation of diagnostic tests and nursing	
		implications	
		 Nursing management of the pregnant women, minor 	
		disorders of pregnancy and management, importance	
		of institutional delivery, choice of birth setting,	
		or montational derivery, enouge of onthe setting,	

		importance and mobilizing of transportation, role of			
		nurse and crisis intervention, identification of high risk			
		pregnancy and referral			
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IV	25	Normal Labour			
	EF3	Essential factors of labour			
		Stages and onset			
		First stage: Physiology of normal labour			
		• Use of partograph: Principles, use and critical analysis,			
		evidence based practice.			
		Nursing management			
		Second stage			
		Physiology and intrapartum monitoring			
		Nursing management			
		Resuscitation, immediate newborn care and initiate			
		breast feeding (Guidelines of National neonatology			
		forum of India)			
		Third stage			
		Physiology and nursing management			
		Fourth stage			
		Observation, critical analysis and nursing management.			
		Psycho-prophylactic measures in labour			
		Evidence based practice			
V	20	Normal puerperium			
	EF2	Review			
		Physiology of puerperium			
		 Physiology of lactation, exclusive breast feeding, Baby 			
		friendly hospital initiative (BFHI)			
		Assessment of postnatal women.			
		Minor discomforts and complications of puerperium			
		Management of mothers during puerperium:			
		Psychosocial adaptation			
		➤ Role of nurse midwifery practitioner			

VI	20	Normal Newborn				
	EF1	Review				
		 Physiology and characteristics of normal newborn 				
		Physical and behavioural assessment of newborn				
		Essential newborn care				
		Identification of high risk newborn & referral.				
		Parenting process				
VII	10	Pharmaco-dynamics in obstetrics				
	EF4	Drugs used in pregnancy, labour, post partum and newborn				
		 Calculation of drug dose and administration 				
		➤ Anesthesia and analgesia in obstetrics				
		➤ Roles and responsibilities of midwifery nurse practitioner				
		 Standing orders and protocols and use of selected life 				
		saving drugs and interventions of obstetric emergencies				
		approved by the MOHFW				
VIII	5	Abortion				
	EF3	> Types, causes				
		Legislations, Clinical rights and professional				
		responsibility				
		➤ Abortion procedures				
		Nursing Management				
IX	5	Infertility				
	EF3	Review				
		Male and female infertility				
		Primary and secondary causes				
		Diagnostic procedures				
		➤ Counseling: ethical and legal aspects of assisted				
	reproductive technology (ART)					
		 Recent advancement in infertility management 				
		Adoption procedures				
		 Role of nurse in infertility management 				
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X	10	Family Welfare Services		
	EF2	Review		
		Population dynamics		
		> Demographic trends: vital statistics, calculation of		
		indicators especially maternal and neonatal mortality		
		rates and problems and other health problems.		
		 Recent advancement in contraceptive technology 		
		> Role of Nurses in family welfare programmes in all		
		settings.		
		Family life education.		
		Evidence based practice.		
		➤ Information, Education and Communication (IEC)		
		➤ Management information and evaluation system (MIES)		
		Teaching and supervision of health team members		

Practical Experience

Total = 900 Hours 1 week = 48 hours

Sl.No	Dept/ unit	Weeks	
1	Antenatal wards	5	
2	Labour Room	5	
3	Postnatal Ward	4	
4	Family Planning Clinics& OPDs	1	
5	PHC/Rural Maternity settings	2	
6	Maternity OT	2	
	Total	19	

Procedures to be Observed

- Diagnostic investigations: amniocentesis, cordocentesis, chorionic villus sampling, ultrasonogram.
- Infertility management: artificial reproduction: artificial insemination, invitro fertilization and related procedures.

Procedures to be assisted

- Medical termination of pregnancy
- Male and female sterilization
- Major and minor operations.

Procedures to be performed

- Antenatal assessment : 20
- Postnatal assessment : 20
- Assessment during labour
 - -Use of partograph: 20
- Per vaginal examination : 20
- Conduct of normal delivery : 20
- Episiotomy and suturing :10
- Insertion of intra uterine devices (Copper-T)

Others

- Identification of high risk women and referral
- Health education to women and their families
- Motivation of couples for Planned Parenthood.

Observation visit

Infertility centre, 24/7 FRUs

Assignments

- Nursing care study –Antenatal, intranatal, postnatal, neonatal
 Planned health education
 5
- Clinical teaching 15
- Case Presentation 5

- Preparation of protocol of management in obstetrical nursing. (AN, IN, PN, NN)
- Log Book

Evaluation Methods

- Assignments
- Theory & Practical Exam
- Ongoing evaluation

Theory	Weightage	Practical	Weightage
Tests (3)	50%	Ongoing evaluation	50%
Assignments	25%	Clinical assignment	25%
Seminars	25%	Int. Practical exam	25%
Total	100%	Total	100%

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Note: * Latest Edition

CLINICAL SPECIALTY – 1 COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSING – 1

Placement-I Year Hours of instruction

Theory - 150 hours
External - 20 Hours
Internal -130Hours
Practical - 900 hours
Total - 1050 hours

Course Description:

This course is designed to assist students in developing expertise and indepth understanding in the field of community health. It will enable the students to acquire knowledge regarding concepts, principles, methods and approaches in community health nursing. It will help the students to learn about epidemiology, environmental health, population dynamic, family health care.

Objectives:

At the end of the course, the students will be able to:

- 1. Review the history and development in the field of community health and community health nursing
- 2. Analyze the role of individuals and families in promoting health of the community
- 3. Perform physical, developmental and nutritional assessment of individuals, families and groups
- 4. Apply the concepts of promotive, preventive, curative and rehabilitative aspects of health while providing care to the members of the community
- 5. Apply nursing process approach while providing care to individuals, families, groups and community.
- 6. Integrate the concepts of family centered nursing approach while providing care to the community.
- 7. Apply concepts and principles of epidemiology in the practice of community health nursing
- 8. Recognize and participate in the management of emergencies, epidemics and disasters
- 9. Utilize the concept of demography and its application in public health

- 10. Appreciate legal and ethical issues pertaining to community health nursing care
- 11. Conduct community health nursing care projects
- 12. Participate in planning, implementation and evaluation of different national health and family welfare programmes at local, state and national level.
- 13. Participate effectively as a member of community health team
- 14. Coordinate and collaborate with various agencies operating in the community by using inter sectoral approach
- 15. Teach community health nursing to undergraduates, in-service nurses and the community health workers

COURSE CONTENT:

Unit	Hours	Content
I	10	 Introduction Historical development of community health and community health nursing in the world, India Current status, trends, challenges and scope of community health nursing Philosophy, aims, objectives, concepts, principles and functions of community health nursing Community health nursing theories and models
		Role of community health nurse at various settings
П	10	 Community health nursing process Community identification-concept, definition, purpose, methods Group dynamics and community participation Community health nursing process-definition, assessment, community diagnosis Planning, implementation and evaluation
III	15	 Family health care Concept of family, types Functions of family in health and disease Family developmental cycle Developmental tasks of the family

		Family as a basic unit of health service
		Theoretical framework for family health care
		Tools for family assessment
		Family budgetting
		Family nursing process
		Home visit
		Standing orders
		Techniques of family nurse contact
IV	30 (Ext-20	Epidemiology • History, definition and aims of epidemiology
	Hrs)	Measurements in epidemiology
		Epidemiologic methods
		Dynamics of disease transmission
		Levels of prevention
		Epidemiology of communicable diseases
		Epidemiology of non communicable diseases
		Emerging and re-emerging disease epidemics
V	10	Community Nutrition
		Nutritional problems in community health
		Assessment of nutritional status
		Nutritional surveillance
		Community nutrition programmes
		Meal planning for the family
VI	15	Maternal and child health services
		Maternal health care services
		Antenatal, intranatal, postnatal services
		Child health services
		Integrated management of neonatal and childhood illnesses

VII	15	Population Dynamics and Control	
		Vital statistics	
VIII	10	Health Education – Changing perspectives: IEC/BCC – definition, principles and strategies Communication skills Information and evaluation system Information Technology in health education Tele medicine and Tele Nursing Mass media Folk media	
IX	10	Public Health Laws: • Ethical principles in community health nursing • Legal issues in community health nursing	
X	25	 Environmental Health Changes in ecosystem Impact of ecological changes on health Global Warming, green house effect, deforestation Medical entomology Disaster Management 	

Practical Experience

Total = 900 Hours

1 week = 48 hours

Sl. No	Dept/Unit	No. of weeks
1	Preventive clinic, Infectious disease unit,	6 weeks
	family planning unit, Paediatrics & Neonatology	
	Antenatal & Postnatal unit, Labour room	
2	Primary health centre, Community health centre	6 weeks
3	Urban centre	2 weeks
4	Selected community	5 weeks
	Total	19 weeks

Student Activities

- Identification of community leaders and resource persons (community mapping)
- Identification of a selected community (Health Survey, identification of resources)
- Community health nursing process individual, family, community and special groups
- Planning, implementing need based health programs for the community
- Counseling
- Health education campaign, exhibition, folk media, preparation of IEC materials
- Organizing and participating in special clinics/ camps and national health and welfare programs – Organize at least one health and family welfare projectmela/fair/exhibition
- Estimation of vital health statistics exercise
- Drill for disaster preparedness
- Health assessment adults, elderly, antenatal & postnatal women, children
- Nutrition Exercise on nutritional assessment dietary planning, demonstration and education for various age groups
- Filling up of records, reports and registers maintained at sub centre/PHC/CHC
- Assist women in self breast examination

- Conduct antenatal examination
- Conduct vaginal examination
- Conduct deliveries
- Postnatal visits
- Perform Episiotomy and suturing
- Prepare Pap smear
- Conduct insertion/removal of IUCD
- Assist laparoscopic sterilization, vasectomy
- Malarial slide preparation
- Observation visits/field visits to ART centre, RNTCP unit
- Maintain log book for all practical activities

Method of Evaluation

Theory	Weightage
Sessional examinations (3)	50 %
Seminars	25%
Written assignments	25%
Total	100%
Practical	
Ongoing clinical evaluation	30%
Internal practical examination	25%
Clinical Assignments	45%
Total	100%

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NURSING MANAGEMENT

Placement: II Year

Hours of Instruction

Theory:150 Hours

Nurse Specialist :100 Hours

External:50 Hours

Practical: 200 Hours

Total: 350 Hours

Course Description

This course is designed to assist students to develop a broad understanding of principles, concepts, trends and issues related to nursing management. Further, it would provide opportunity to students to understand, appreciate and acquire skills in planning, supervision and management of nursing services at different levels to provide quality nursing services.

Objectives

At the end of the course, students will be able to:

- 1. Formulate the philosophy and objectives of the health care institutions at various levels.
- 2. Identify trends and issues in nursing
- 3. Discuss the public administration, health care administration and nursing administration
- 4. Describe the principles of administration applied to nursing
- 5. Explain the organization of health and nursing services at the various levels/institutions.
- 6. Discuss the planning, supervision and management of nursing workforce for various health care settings.
- 7. Discuss various collaborative models between nursing education and nursing service to improve the quality of nursing care
- 8. Identify and analyze legal and ethical issues in nursing administration
- 9. Describe the process of quality assurance in nursing services.
- 10. Demonstrate leadership in nursing at various levels.
- 11. Organize staff development programme.

COURSE CONTENT

Unit	Theory	Content			
I	10	Introduction			
	*EF5	Philosophy, purpose, elements, Principles, Concepts of Management-(Review).			
		Indian Constitution, Indian Administrative system health care delivery system:			
		National, State and Local			
		Organisation and functions of nursing services and education at			
		National, State, District and institutions: Hospital and Community			
		 Planning process: Five year plans, Various Committee Reports on health, State 			
		and National Health policies, national population policy, national policy on			
		AYUSH and plans			
II	10	Management			
	EF5	Functions of administration			
		Planning and control			
		Co-ordination and delegation			
		Decision making – decentralization basic goals of decentralization.			
		Concept of management			
		Nursing management			
		Concept, types, principles and techniques			
		Vision and Mission Statements			
		Philosophy, aims and objective			
		Current trends and issues in Nursing Administration			
		Theories and models			
		Application to nursing service and education			
III	15	Planning			
	EF5	Planning process: Concept, Principles, Institutional policies			
		Mission, philosophy, objectives,			
		Strategic planning			
		Operational plans			
		Management plans			
		Programme evaluation and review technique(PERT), Gantt chart,			
		Management by objectives(MBO)			
		Planning new venture			
		Planning for change			

		Innovations in nursing		
		Application to nursing service and education		
IV	15	Organisation		
1 4	EF5	Concept, principles, objectives, Types and theories, Minimum requirements for		
	LITS	organisation, Developing an organizational		
		Structure, levels, organizational Effectiveness and organizational, Climate,		
		Organising nursing services and patient care: Methods of patient assignment-		
		Advantages and disadvantages, primary nursing care,		
		Planning and Organising: hospital, unit and ancillary services(specifically central		
		sterile supply department, laundry, kitchen, laboratory services, emergency etc)		
		Disaster management: plan, resources, drill, etc		
		Application to nursing service and education		
V	15	Human Resource for health		
	EF5	Staffing		
		Philosophy		
		Norms: Staff inspection unit(SIU), Bajaj Committee, High power committee, Indian		
		nursing council (INC)		
		Estimation of nursing staff requirement- activity analysis		
		Various research studies		
		Recruitment: credentialing, selection, placement, promotion		
		Retention		
		Personnel policies		
		Termination		
		Staff development programme		
		Duties and responsibilities of various category of nursing personnel		
		Applications to nursing service and education		

VI	15	Directing
	EF5	Roles and functions
		Motivation: Intrinsic, extrinsic, Creating motivating climate,
		Motivational theories
		Communication: process, types, strategies, Interpersonal
		communication, channels, barriers, problems, Confidentiality,
		Public relations
		Delegation; common delegation errors
		Managing conflict: process, management, negotiation, consensus
		Collective bargaining: health care labour laws, unions, professional
		associations, role of nurse manager
		Occupational health and safety
		Application to nursing service and education
VII	10	Material management
		Concepts, principles and procedures
		Planning and procurement procedures : Specifications
		ABC analysis,
		VED (very important and essential daily use) analysis
		Planning equipments and supplies for nursing care: unit and
		hospital
		Inventory control
		Condemnation
		Application to nursing service and education
VIII	15	Controlling
	EF5	Quality assurance – Continuous Quality Improvement
		Standards
		Models
		Nursing audit
		Performance appraisal: Tools, confidential reports, formats,
		Management, interviews
		Supervision and management: concepts and principles
		Discipline: service rules, self discipline, constructive versus
		destructive discipline, problem employees, disciplinary proceedingsenquiry etc
		Self evaluation or peer evaluation, patient satisfaction, utilization review

		Application to nursing service and education
IX	15	Fiscal planning
	EF5	Steps
		Plan and non-plan, zero budgeting, mid-term appraisal, capital and
		revenue
		Budget estimate, revised estimate, performance budget
		Audit
		Cost effectiveness
		Cost accounting
		Critical pathways
		Health care reforms
		Health economics
		Health insurance
		Budgeting for various units and levels
		Application to nursing service and education
X	10	Nursing informatics
	EF5	Trends
		General purpose
		Use of computers in hospital and community
		Patient record system
		Nursing records and reports
		Management information and evaluation system (MIES)
		E- nursing, Telemedicine, telenursing
		Electronic medical records
XI	10	Leadership
		Concepts, Types, Theories
		Styles
		Manager behaviour
		Leader behaviour
		Effective leader: Characteristics, skills
		Group dynamics
		Power and politics
		lobbying
		Critical thinking and decision making

		Stress management	
		Applications to nursing service and education	
XII	10	Legal and ethical issues	
	EF5	Laws and ethics	
		Ethical committee	
		Code of ethics and professional conduct	
		Legal system: Types of law, tort law, and liabilities	
		Legal issues in nursing: negligence, malpractice, invasion of privacy,	
		defamation of character	
		Patient care issues, management issues, employment issues	
		Medico legal issues	
		Nursing regulatory mechanisms: licensure, renewal, accreditation	
		Patients rights, Consumer protection act(CPA)	
		Rights of special groups: children, women, HIV, handicap, ageing	
		Professional responsibility and accountability	
		Infection control	
		Standard safety measures	

*EF- External Faculty

PRACTICALS

- 1. Prepare prototype personal files for staff nurses, faculty and cumulative records
- 2. Preparation of budget estimate, revised estimate and performance budget
- 3. Plan and conduct staff development programme
- 4. Preparation of Organization Chart
- 5. Developing nursing standards/protocols for various units
- 6. Design a layout plan for specialty units /hospital, community and educational institutions
- 7. Preparation of job description of various categories of nursing personnel
- 8. Prepare a list of equipments and supplies for specialty units
- 9. Assess and prepare staffing requirement for hospitals, community and educational institutions
- 10. Plan of action for recruitment process
- 11. Prepare a vision and mission statement for hospital, community and educational institutions
- 12. Prepare a plan of action for performance appraisal

- 13. Identify the problems of the specialty units and develop plan of action by using problem solving approach
- 14. Plan a duty roster for specialty units/hospital, community and educational institutions
- 15. Prepare: anecdotes, incident reports, day and night reports, handing and taking over reports, enquiry reports, nurse's notes, official letters, curriculum vitae, presentations etc.
- 16. Prepare a plan for disaster management
- Observation visit to a multispecialty teaching hospital and College and School of Nursing

Methods of Teaching

- Lecture cum discussion
- Seminar / Presentations
- Workshop

Methods of evaluation

- Tests
- Presentation
- Written assignments

Internal Assessment Techniques	NO	Weightage (%)
Tests	3	50
Assignments		25
Seminar/presentations		25
Total		100%

Assignments

Theory

Statement of Philosophy, mission, vision and objective of a hospital.

Prepare Job Descriptions of Various Categories of Nursing Personnel.

Prepare Budget estimate for Nursing Department.

Compute Staffing Requirement of hospital (Yearly, Monthly, Weekly.)

Performance Appraisal Format for Nursing Staff.

Practical

Nursing Rounds 5
Clinical Teaching of Students 1
Staff Development Programme 1
Nursing Care Conference 1

Clinical Posting

Various Wards/ICUs of Hospital. - 4 Weeks

Office of Nursing Superintendent / Nursing Officer- 1 week

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CLINICAL SPECIALITY - II

MEDICAL SURGICAL NURSING-II

SUB SPECIALITY - CARDIO VASCULAR AND THORACIC NURSING

Placement: II year

Hours of Instruction

Theory: 150 hours.

Nursing Faculty:-125 hrs

External Faculty:-25 hrs

Practical: 1450 hours.

Total: 1600 hours.

Course Description

This course is designed to assist students in developing expertise and in-depth understanding in the field of cardiovascular and thoracic nursing. It will help students to develop advanced skills for nursing intervention in various cardio medical and surgical conditions. It will enable the student to function as Cardio vascular and Thoracic Nurse practitioner/specialist. It will further enable the student to function as educator, manager and researcher in the field of cardio vascular and thoracic nursing.

Objectives

At the end of the course the students will be able to:

- 1. Appreciate trends and issues related to cardio vascular and thoracic Nursing.
- 2. Describe the epidemiology, etiology, patho-physiology and diagnostic assessment of cardio vascular and thoracic conditions
- 3. Participate in national health programs for health promotion, prevention and rehabilitation of patients with cardio vascular and thoracic conditions
- 4. Perform physical, psychosocial & spiritual assessment
- 5. Assist in various diagnostic, therapeutic and surgical procedures
- Apply nursing process in providing comprehensive care to patients with cardio vascular and thoracic conditions
- 7. Demonstrate advance skills/competence in managing patients with cardio vascular and thoracic conditions including Advance Cardiac Life Support.

- 8. Describe the various drugs used in cardio vascular and thoracic conditions and nurses responsibility
- 9. Demonstrate skill in handling various equipments/gadgets used for critical care of cardio vascular and thoracic patients
- 10. Appreciate team work & coordinate activities related to patient care.
- 11. Practice infection control measures.
- 12. Identify emergencies and complications & take appropriate measures
- 13. Discuss the legal and ethical issues in cardio vascular and thoracic nursing
- 14. Assist patients and their family to cope with emotional distress, grief, anxiety and spiritual needs.
- 15. Appreciate the role of alternative system of medicine in care of patient
- 16. Incorporate evidence based nursing practice and identify the areas of research in the field of cardio vascular and thoracic nursing
- 17. Identify the sources of stress and manage burnout syndrome among health care providers.
- 18. Teach and supervise nurses and allied health workers.
- 19. Design a layout of ICCU and ICTU and develop standards for cardio vascular and thoracic nursing practice.

CONTENT OUTLINE

Unit	Hours	Content		
1	5	Introduction:		
		 Historical development, trends and issues in the field of cardiology. Cardio vascular and thoracic conditions – major health problem. Concepts, principles and nursing perspectives Ethical and legal issues Evidence based nursing and its application in cardio vascular and thoracic nursing(to be incorporated in all the units) 		
II	5	 Epidemiology Risk factors: hereditary, psycho social factors, hypertension, smoking, obesity, diabetes mellitus etc Health promotion, disease prevention, Life style modification National health programs related to cardio vascular and thoracic 		

		conditions
		Alternate system of medicine
		Complementary therapies
III	5	Review of anatomy and physiology of cardio vascular and
		respiratory system
		Review of anatomy and physiology of heart, lung, thoracic cavity
		and blood vessels. Embryology of heart and lung.
		Coronary circulation, Foetal Circulation
		Hemodynamics and electro physiology of heart.
		Bio-chemistry of blood in relation to cardio pulmonary function
IV	20	Assessment and Diagnostic Measures:
	EF5	History taking
		Physical assessment
		Heart rate variability: Mechanisms , measurements, pattern,
		factors, impact of interventions on HRV Diagnostic tests
		Hemodynamic monitoring: Technical aspects, monitoring,
		functional hemodynamic indices, ventricular function indices,
		output measurements (Arterial and swan Ganz monitoring). Blood
		gases and its significance, oxygen supply and demand
		Radiologic examination of the chest: interpretation, chest film
		findings
		Electro cardiography(ECG) : electrical conduction through the
		heart, basic electrocardiography, 12 lead electrocardiogram, axis
		determination - ECG changes in: intraventricular conduction
		abnormalities- Arrhythmias, ischemia, injury and infarction, atrial
		and ventricular enlargement, electrolyte imbalance,
		• Echocardiography: technical aspects, special techniques,
		echocardiography of cardiac structures in health and disease,
		newer techniques
		Nuclear and other imaging studies of the heart: Magnetic
		Resonance Imaging.
		Cardio electrophysiology procedures: diagnostic studies,
		interventional and catheter ablation, nursing care

		Exercise testing: indications and objectives, safety and personnel,
		pretest considerations, selection, interpretation, test termination,
		recovery period
		Cardiac catheterization: indications, contraindications, patient
		preparation, procedure, interpretation of data
		Pulmonary function test: Bronchoscopy and graphies
		Interpretation of diagnostic measures
		Nurse's role in diagnostic tests
		Laboratory tests using blood: Blood specimen collection, Cardiac
		markers, Blood lipids, Hematologic studies, Blood cultures, Coagulation
		studies, Arterial blood gases, Blood Chemistries, cardiac enzyme studies,
		Serum Concentration of Selected drugs. Interpretation and role of nurse.
V	25	Cardiac disorders and nursing management:
	EF4	Etiology, clinical manifestations, diagnosis, prognosis, related
		pathophysiology, newer treatment modalities and nursing management
		of:
		Hypertension
		Coronary Artery Disease.
		Angina of various types.
		Cardiomegaly
		Myocardial Infarction, Congestive cardiac failure
		Heart Failure, Pulmonary Edema, Shock.
		Rheumatic heart disease and other Valvular Diseases
		Inflammatory Heart Diseases, Infective Endocarditis,
		Myocarditis, Pericarditis.
		Cardiomyopathy, dilated, restrictive, hypertrophic.
		Arrhythmias, heart block
¥7¥	10	Associated illnesses
VI	10	Altered pulmonary conditions
	EF3	Etiology, clinical manifestations, diagnosis, prognosis, related
		pathophysiology, treatment modalities and nursing management of:
		• Bronchitis
		Bronchial asthma
		Bronchiectasis

		Pneumonias
		• Lung abscess, lung tumour
		Pulmonary tuberculosis, fibrosis, pneumoconiosis etc
		Pleuritis, effusion
		Pneumo, haemo and pyothorax
		Interstitial Lung Disease
		Cystic fibrosis
		• Acute and Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (conditions leading to)
		Cor pulmonale
		Acute respiratory failure
		Adult respiratory distress syndrome
		Pulmonary embolism
		Pulmonary Hypertension
VII	10	Vascular disorders and nursing management
	EF3	Etiology, clinical manifestations, diagnosis, prognosis, related
		pathophysiology, treatment modalities and nursing management of:
		• Disorders of arteries
		Disorders of the aorta
		Aortic Aneurysms,
		Aortic dissection
		Raynaud's phenomenon
		Peripheral arterial disease of the lower extremities
		• Venous thrombosis
		Varicose veins
		Chronic venous insufficiency and venous leg ulcers
		Pulmonary embolism
VIII	10	Cardio thoracic emergency interventions
	EF3	CPR- BLS and ALS
		Use of ventilator, defibrillator, pacemaker
		Post resuscitation care.
		Care of the critically ill patients
		Psychosocial and spiritual aspects of care
		Stress management; ICU psychosis

		Role of nurse
IX	10	Nursing care of a patient with obstructive airway
	EF3	Assessment
		Use of artificial airway
		Endotracheal intubation, tracheostomy and its care
		Complication, minimum cuff leak, securing tubes
X	10	Oxygen delivery systems.
	EF4	Nasal Cannula
		Oxygen mask, Venturi mask
		Partial rebreathing bag
		Bi-PAP and C-PAP masks
		Uses, advantages, disadvantages, nursing implications of each.
XI	10	Mechanical Ventilation
		Principles of mechanical ventilation
		Types of mechanical ventilation and ventilators.
		Modes of ventilation, advantage, disadvantage, complications.
		PEEP therapy, indications, physiology, and complications. Weaning off
		the ventilator.
		Nursing assessment and interventions of ventilated patient
XII	20	Congenital Heart Diseases
		Etiology, clinical manifestations, diagnois, prognosis, related
		pathophysiology, treatment modalities and nursing management of:
		Embryological development of heart.
		Classification – cyanotic and acyanotic heart disease.
		• Tetralogy of Fallots.
		Atrial Septal Defect, Ventricular Septal Defect., Eisenmenger's
		complex.
		Patent ductus arteriosus, AP window
		• Truncus Arteriosus.
		• Transposition of great arteries.
		Total Anomaly of Pulmonary Venous Connection.
		• Pulmonary stenosis, atresia.
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		Coarctation of aorta.
		• Ebstein's anomaly
		• Double outlet right ventricle, Single ventricle, Hypoplastic left
		heart syndrome.
XIII	5	Pharmacology
		Review
		Pharmacokinetics
		Analgesics/Anti inflammatory agents
		Antibiotics, antiseptics
		Drug reaction & toxicity
		Drugs used in cardiac emergencies
		Blood and blood components
		Antithrombolytic agents
		Inotropic agents
		Beta-blocking agents
		Calcium channel blockers.
		• Vaso constrictors
		• Vaso dilators
		• ACE inhibitors.
		Anticoagulents
		Antiarrhythmic drugs.
		• Anti hypertensives
		• Diuretics
		Sedatives and tranquilizers.
		• Digitalis.
		• Antilipemics
		Principles of drug administration, role and responsibilities of
		nurses and care of drugs
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XIV	5	Nursing Care of patient undergoing cardio thoracic surgery
		Indications, selection of patient
		Preoperative assessment and preparation; counseling.
		Intra-operative care: Principles of open heart surgery, equipment,

anesthesia, cardiopulmonary by pass.

Surgical procedures for Coronary Artery Bypass Grafting, recent advances and types of grafts, Valve replacement or reconstruction, cardiac transplant, Palliative surgery and different Stents, vascular surgery, other recent advances.

Thoracic surgery: lobectomy, pneumonectomy, tumour excision etc
Immediate postoperative care: assessment, post operative problems and
interventions: Bleeding, Cardiac tamponade, Low cardiac output,
Infarction, Pericardial effusion, Pleural effusion, Pneumothorax,
Haemothorax, Coagulopathy, Thermal imbalance, Inadequate
ventilation/perfusion, Neurological problems, renal problems,
Psychological problems.

Chest physiotherapy

Nursing interventions- life style modification, complementary therapy/alternative systems of medicine.

Intermediate and late post operative care after CABG, valve surgery, others.

Follow up care

Cardiac rehabilitation

Process

Physical evaluation

Life style modification

Physical conditioning for cardiovascular efficiency through exercise Counseling

Follow up care

Intensive Coronary Care Unit/intensive cardio thoracic unit:

Quality assurance

- Standards, Protocols, Policies, Procedures
- Infection control; Standard safety measures
- Nursing audit
- Design of ICCU/ICTU
- Staffing; cardiac team
- Burn out syndrome

Nurse's role in the management of I.C.C.U and ICTU.

Mobile coronary care unit.
Planning inservice educational programme and teaching

Practicals

Total – 1450 Hours

1 Weeks = 48 Hours

SL. No	Dept/ Unit	No.of
		weeks
1.	Cardio thoracic- Medical	4
	-Surgical	4
2	OT (cardiac & Thoracic)	4
3	Diagnostic Lab including eath Lab	2
4	ICCU	5
5	ICU	4
6	CCU	4
7	Paediatric Intensive Care	2
8	OPD	1
	Total	30

Internal Assessment

Theory weightage		Practical weightage	
Sessional exams -3	50%	Ongoing assessment	50%
Written assignments	25%	Clinical assignments	30%
	25%	Internal examination	20%
Seminars/Presentations			
Total	100%	TOTAL	100%

Essential Nursing Skills

Procedures to be observed

- 1. Echo cardiogram
- 2. Ultrasound
- 3. Monitoring JVP , CVP
- 4. CT SCAN
- 5. MRI

- 6. PET SCAN
- 7. Angiography
- 8. Cardiac catheterization
- 9. Angioplasty
- 10. Various Surgeries
- 11. Any other

I. Procedures to be assisted

- 1. Arterial blood gas analysis
- 2. Thoracentesis
- 3. Lung biopsy
- 4. Computer assisted tomography (CAT Scan)
- 5. M.R.I.
- 6. Pulmonary angiography
- 7. Bronchoscopy
- 8. Pulmonary function test
- 9. ET tube insertion
- 10. Tracheostomy tube insertion
- 11. Cardiac catheterization
- 12. Angiogram
- 13. Defibrillation
- 14. Treadmill test
- 15. Echo cardiography
- 16. Doppler ultrasound
- 17. Cardiac surgery
- 18. Insertion of chest tube
- 19. CVP Monitoring
- 20. Measuring pulmonary artery pressure by Swan-Ganz Catheter
- 21. Cardiac Pacing

II. Procedures to be Performed

- 1. Preparation of assessment tool for CT client (Cardiac, thoracic and vascular).
- 2. ECG Recording, Reading, Identification of abnormalities

- 3. Oxygen therapy Cylinder, central supply, Catheter, nasal canula, mask, tent, through ET and tracheostomy tube, manual resuscitation bag.
- 4. Mechanical ventilation
- 5. Spirometer
- 6. Tuberculin skin test
- 7. Aerosol therapy
- 8. Nebulizer therapy
- 9. Water seal drainage
- 10. Chest physiotherapy including Breathing Exercises, Coughing Exercises, Percussion & Vibration
- 11. Suctioning Oropharyngeal, nasotracheal, Endotracheal
- 12. Through tracheostomy tube
- 13. Artificial airway cuff maintenance
- 14. CPR
- 15. Care of client on ventilator
- 16. Identification of different Arrhythmias, abnormal pulses, respirations, B.P. Variation, Heart sounds, Breath sounds
- 17. Pulse oxymetry
- 18. Introduction of intracath
- 19. Bolus I.V. Injection
- 20. Life line
- 21. Maintenance of "Heplock"
- 22. Subcutaneous Injection of Heparin
- 23. Obtaining leg measurements to detect early swelling in thrombophlebetis
- 24. Identification of Homans sign
- 25. Buergen Allen exercises

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CLINICAL SPECIALITY - II

MEDICAL SURGICAL NURSING - CRITICAL CARE NURSING

Placement: II Year

Hours of instruction

Theory: 150 hours Nursing Faculty:-115 hrs External Faculty:-35 hrs Practical: 1450 hours

Total: 1600 hours

Course Description

This course is designed to assist students in developing expertise and in-depth knowledge in the field of Critical Care Nursing. It will help students to develop advanced skills for nursing intervention in caring for critically ill patients. It will enable the student to function as critical care nurse practitioner/ specialist. It will further enable the student to function as educator, manager and researcher in the field of Critical Care Nursing.

Objectives

At the end of the course the students will be able to

- 1. Appreciate trends and issues related to Critical Care Nursing.
- 2. Describe the epidemiology, etiology, pathophysiology and diagnostic assessment of critically ill patients
- 3. Describe the various drugs used in critical care and nurses responsibility
- 4. Perform physical, psychosocial & spiritual assessment
- 5. Demonstrate advance skills/competence in managing critically ill patients including Advance Cardiac Life Support.
- 6. Demonstrate skill in handling various equipments/gadgets used for critical care
- 7. Provide comprehensive care to critically ill patients.
- 8. Appreciate team work & coordinate activities related to patient care.
- 9. Practice infection control measures.
- 10. Assess and manage pain.
- 11. Identify complications & take appropriate measures.
- 12. Discuss the legal and ethical issues in critical care nursing
- 13. Assist patients and their family to cope with emotional distress, spiritual, grief and anxiety

- 14. Assist in various diagnostic, therapeutic and surgical procedures
- 15. Incorporate evidence based nursing practice and identify the areas of research in the field of critical care nursing
- 16. Identify the sources of stress and manage burnout syndrome among health care providers.
- 17. Teach and supervise nurses and allied health workers.
- 18. Design a layout of ICU and develop standards for critical care nursing practice.

Content Outline

Unit Content O	Hours	Content
I	5	Introduction to Critical Care Nursing
		Historical review- Progressive patient care(PPC)
		Review of anatomy and physiology of vital organs, fluid and
		electrolyte balance, Concepts of critical care nursing, Principles of
		critical care nursing, Scope of critical care nursing, Critical care
		unit set up including equipments supplies, use and care of various
		type of monitors & ventilators, flow sheets.
II	10	Concept of Holistic care applied to critical care nursing practice
		Impact of critical care environment on patients:-
		• Risk factors, Assessment of patients, Critical care psychosis,
		prevention & nursing care for patients affected with psycho
		physiological & psychosocial problems of critical care unit, Caring
		for the patient's family, family teaching, The dynamics of healing in
		critical care unit:-therapeutic touch, Relaxation, Music therapy,
		Guided Imagery, acupressure,
		Stress and burnout syndrome among health team members.
		Prevention & nursing care for patients affected with psycho
		physiological & psychosocial problems of critical care unit.
		Caring for the patient's family, family teaching
III	14	Review
		Pharmacokinetics
		Analysics/Anti inflammatory agents
		Antibiotics, antiseptics
		Drug reaction & toxicity
		Drugs used in critical care unit (inclusive of ionotropic, life saving
		drugs)
		Drugs used in various body systems
		IV fluid and electrolytes
		Blood and blood components
		Principles of drug administration ,role of nurses and care of drugs.

IV	5	Pain Management
		Pain & Sedation in Critically ill patients
		Theories of pain, Types of pain, Pain assessment, Systemic
		responses to pain
		pain management-pharmacological and non-pharmacological
		measures
		Placebo effect
V	5	Infection control in intensive care unit
		Nosocomial infection in intensive care unit; methycilline resistant,
		staphylococcus aureus (MRSA), Disinfection, Sterilization,
		Standard safety measures, Prophylaxis for staff
VI	10	Gastrointestinal System
	EF3	Causes, Pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical features,
		diagnosis, Prognosis, Management: Medical, Surgical and Nursing
		management of:-Acute Gastrointestinal Bleeding, Abdominal
		injury, Hepatic Disorders:-Fulminent hepatic failure, Hepatic
		encephalopathy, Acute Pancreatitis, Acute intestinal obstruction,
		perforative peritonitis
VII	10	Renal System
	EF3	Causes, pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical features,
		diagnosis, Prognosis, Management: Medical, Surgical and Nursing
		management of:-Acute Renal Failure, Chronic Renal Failure, Acute
		tubular necrosis, Bladder trauma
		Management Modalities: Hemodialysis, Peritoneal Dialysis,
		Continuous Ambulatory Peritoneal Dialysis, Continuous arterio
		venus hemodialysis, Renal Transplantation
VIII	10	Nervous System
	EF4	Causes, pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical
		features, diagnosis, Prognosis, Management: Medical, Surgical and
		Nursing management of:-Common Neurological Disorders:-
		Cerebrovascular
		disease, Cerebrovascular accident, Seizure disorders, GuilleinBarre-
		Syndrome, Myasthenia Gravis, Coma, Persistent vegetative state,
		Encephalopathy, Head injury, Spinal Cord injury

		Manager Madalitica Assessment of Tetranspiral assessment	
		Management Modalities: Assessment of Intracranial pressure,	
		Management of intracranial hypertension, Craniotomy, Problems	
		associated with neurological disorders: Thermo	
		regulation, Unconsciousness, Herniation syndrome	
IX	5	Endocrine System	
	EF3	Causes, Pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical features, diagnosis,	
		Prognosis, Management: Medical, Surgical and Nursing	
		Management of :-Hypoglycemia, Diabetic Ketoacidosis, Thyroid	
		crisis, Myxoedema, Adrenal crisis, Syndrome of Inappropriate/	
		hypersecretion of Antidiuretic Hormone (SIADH)	
X	15	Management of other Emergency Conditions	
	EF4	Mechanism of injury, Thoracic injuries, Abdominal injuries, pelvic	
		fractures, complications of trauma, Head injuries	
		Shock: Shock syndrome, Hypovolemic, Cardiogenic, Anaphylactic,	
		Neurogenic and Septic shock	
		Systemic inflammatory Response: The inflammatory response,	
		Multiple organ dysfunction syndrome	
		Disseminated Intravascular Coagulation	
		Drug Overdose and Poisoning,	
		Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome (AIDS)	
		Ophthalmic: Eye injuries, Glaucoma, retinal detachment	
		Ear Nose Throat: Foreign bodies, stridor, bleeding, quincy, acute	
		allergic conditions	
		Psychiatric emergencies;, suicide, crisis intervention	
XI	20	Cardiovascular emergencies	
	EF6	Principles of Nursing in caring for patient's with	
		Cardiovascular disorders	
		Assessment: Cardiovascular system: Heart sounds,	
		Diagnostic studies:- Cardiac enzymes studies,	
		Electrocardiographic monitoring, Holter monitoring, Stress	
		test. Echo cardiography,	
		 Coronary angiography, Nuclear medicine studies 	
		 Causes, Pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical features 	
		Diagnostic Prognosis, Management : Medical, Surgical &	

Nursing

management of:-Hypertensive crisis,
Coronary artery disease, Acute Myocardial
infarction, Cardiomyopathy, Deep vein
thrombosis, Valvular diseases, Heart block, Cardiac
arrhythmias & conduction disturbances, Aneurysms,
Endocarditis, Heart failure, Cardio pulmonary resuscitation
BCLS/ ACLS

Management Modalities: Thrombolytic therapy, Pacemaker
 —temporary & permanent, Percutaneous transluminal
 coronary, angioplasty, Cardioversion, Intra Aortic Balloon
 pump monitoring, Defibrillations, Cardiac surgeries,
 Coronary Artery Bypass Grafts (CABG/MICAS), Valvular
 surgeries, Heart Transplantation, Autologous blood
 transfusion, Radiofrequency Catheter Ablation

XII

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Respiratory System

EF4

- Acid-base balance & imbalance
- Assesment : History & Physical Examination
- Diagnostic Tests:Pulse Oximetry, End –Tidal Carbon
 Dioxide,Monitoring, Arterial blood gas studies, chest
 radiography,pulmonary Angiography, Bronchoscopy,
 Pulmonary function Test, Ventilation perfusion scan, Lung
 ventilation scan
- Causes Pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical features, Prognosis, Management: Medical, Surgical and Nursing, management of Common pulmonary disorders:-Pneumonia, Status asthmaticus, interstitial drug disease, Pleural effusion, Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, Pulmonary tuberculosis, Pulmonary edema, Atelectasis, Pulmonary embolism, Acute respiratory failure, Acute respiratory distress syndrome (ARDS), Chest Trauma Haemothorax, Pneumothorax
- Management Modalities:-Airway Management

		Ventilatory Management:-Invasive, non- invasive, long term
		mechanical ventilations
		Bronchial Hygiene:-Nebulization, deep breathing exercise,
		chest physiotherapy, postural drainage, Inter Costal
		Drainage, Thoracic, surgeries
XIII	7	Burns
	EF2	Clinical types, classification, pathophysiology, clinical
		features, assessment, diagnosis, prognosis, Management:
		Medical, Surgical and Nursing management of burns
		• Fluid and electrolyte therapy – calculation of fluids and its
		administration
		Pain management
		Wound care
		Infection control
		Prevention and management of burn complications
		Grafts and flaps
		Reconstructive surgery
		Rehabilitation
XIV	5	
AIV	Obstetrical Emergencies EF2	
	Er 2	• Causes, Pathophysiology, Clinical types, clinical
		features, diagnostic Prognosis, Management: Medical,
		Surgical and Nursing management of :Antepartum
		haemorrhage, Preeclampsia, eclampsia, Obstructed labour
		and ruptured uterus, Post partum haemorrhage, Peurperal
		sepsis, Obstetrical shock
XV	10	
	EF4	Neonatal Paediatric emergencies
		Causes, pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical
		features, diagnostic, Prognosis, Management: medical,
		surgical and Nursing, management of
		 Neonatal emergencies
		Asphyxia Neonatarum, Pathological Jaundice in Neonates,

		Neonatal seizures, Metabolic disorders, Intra cranial		
		Hemorrhage, Neonatal Sepsis, RDS/HMD (Respiratory		
		Distress Syndrome/Hyaline Membrane Disease),		
		Congenital disorders:-		
		 Cyanotic heart disease, tracheo oesophageal fistula, 		
		congenital hypertropic pyloric stenosis, imperforate		
		anus		
		o Pediatric emergencies		
		Dehydration, Acute broncho pneumonia, Acute respiratory		
		distress, syndrome, Poisoning, Foreign bodies, seizures,		
		traumas, Status asthmaticus		
XVI	2			
		Legal and ethical issues in critical care-Nurse's role		
		Brain death		
		Organ donation & Counselling		
		Do Not Resuscitate(DNR)		
		Euthanasia		
XVII	2	Living will		
		Quality assurance		
		Standards, Protocols, Policies, Procedures		
		Infection control; Standard safety measures		
		Nursing audit		
		• Staffing		
		Design of ICU/CCU		
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Practical

Total = 1450 Hours

1 Week = 48 Hours

SL.NO	Dept/ Unit	No .of
		Weeks
1	Burns ICU	2
2	Medical I.C.U	6
3	Surgical I.C.U	12

4.	CCU	2
5	Emergency Department	3
6	Dialysis Unit	2
7	Transplant Room	2
8	Paediatric/NICU	1
	Total	30

Internal Assessment

Theory weightage		Practical weightage	
Sessional exams -3	50%	Ongoing assessment	50%
Written assignments	25%	Clinical assignments	30%
	25%	Internal examination	20%
Seminars/Presentations			
Total	100%	TOTAL	100%

ESSENTIAL CRITICAL CARE NURSING SKILLS

I. Procedures to be observed

- 1. CT Scan
- 2. MRI
- 3. EEG
- 4. Hemodialysis
- 5. Endoscopic Retrograde cholangio Pancreaticogram(ERCP)
- 6. Heart/ Neuro/GI./ Renal Surgeries

II. Procedures to be assisted

- 1. Advanced life support system
- 2. Basic cardiac life support
- 3. Arterial line/arterial pressure monitoring/blood taking
- 4. Arterial blood gas
- 5. ECG recording
- 6. Blood transfusion
- 7. IV cannulation therapy
- 8. Arterial Catheterization
- 9. Chest tube insertion
- 10. Endotracheal intubations
- 11. Ventilation

- 12. Insertion of central line/cvp line
- 13. Connecting lines for dialysis

III. Procedure to be Performed

- 1. Airway management
- a. Application of oropharyngeal airway
- b. Oxygen therapy
- c. CPAP (Continuous Positive Airway pressure)
- d. Care of tracheostomy
- e. Endotracheal extubation
- 2. Cardiopulmonary resuscitation, Basic cardiac life support, ECG
- 3. Monitoring of critically ill patients clinically with monitors, capillary refill time (CRT) assessment of jaundice, ECG.
- 4. Gastric lavage
- 5. Assessment of critically ill patients

Identification & assessment of risk factors, Glasgow coma scale, and dolls eye movement, arterial pressure monitoring, cardiac output/pulmonary artery pressure monitoring, and detection of life threatening abnormalities

- 6. Admission & discharge of critically ill patients
- 7. Nutritional needs gastrostomy feeds, pharyngeal feeds, jejunostomy feeds, TPN, formula preparation & patient education.
- 8. Assessment of patient for alteration in blood sugar levels monitoring blood sugar levels periodically & administering insulin periodically.
- 9. Administration of drugs: IM, IV injection, IV cannulation & fixation of infusion pump, calculation of dosages, use of insulin syringes/ tuberculin, monitoring fluid therapy, blood administration.
- 10. Setting up dialysis machine and starting, monitoring and closing dialysis
- 11. Procedures for prevention of infections:

Hand washing, disinfection & sterilization surveillance, and fumigation universal precautions.

- 12. Collection of specimen.
- 13. Setting, use & maintenance of basic equipment, ventilator, O2 analyzer, monitoring equipment, transducers, defibrillator, infusion & syringe pumps, centrifuge machine.

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CLINICAL SPECIALITY-II

MEDICAL SURGICAL NURSING- ONCOLOGY NURSING

Placement : II Year

Hours of Instruction

Theory: 150 hours

Nursing Facculty:-125hrs

External Faculty:-25hrs

Practicals : 1450 hours

Total: 1600 hours

Course Description

This course is designed to assist students in developing expertise and indepth understanding in the field of oncology Nursing. It will help students to develop advanced skills for nursing intervention in various oncological conditions. It will enable the student to function as oncology nurse practitioner/specialist and provide quality care. It will further enable the student to function as educator, manager, and researcher in the field of oncology nursing

Objectives

- 1. Explain the prevention, screening and early detection of cancer
- Describe the epidemiology, etiology, pathophysiology and diagnostic assessment of oncological disorders of various body systems
- 3. Describe the psychosocial effects of cancer on patients and families.
- 4. Demonstrate skill in administering/assisting in various treatment modalities used for patients with cancer
- 5. Apply nursing process in providing holistic care to patients with cancer.
- 6. Apply specific concepts of pain management
- 7. Appreciate the care of death and dying patients and value of bereavement support.
- 8. Describe the philosophy, concept and various dimensions of palliative care.
- 9. Appreciate the role of alternative systems of medicine in care of cancer patients.
- 10. Appreciate the legal & ethical issues relevant to oncology nursing
- 11. Recognize and manage Oncological emergencies
- 12. Counsel the patients with cancer and their families

- 13. Incorporate evidence based nursing practice and identify the areas of research in the field of oncology nursing
- 14. Recognize the role of oncology nurse practitioner as a member of oncology team.
- 15. Collaborate with other agencies and utilize resources in caring for cancer patients.
- 16. Teach and supervise nurses and allied health workers.
- 17. Design a layout and develop standards for management of oncology units/hospitals and nursing care.

Content outline

UNIT	HOURS	CONTENT	
I	4	Introduction	
		Epidemiology-Incidence, Prevalence – Global, National,	
		State and Local	
		Disease burden, concept of cancer, risk factors	
		Historical perspectives	
		Trends and issues	
		Principles of cancer management	
		Roles and responsibilities of oncology nurse	
II	5	The Nature of Cancer	
	EF5	Normal cell biology	
		The Immune system	
		Pathological and pathophysiological changes in tissues	
		 Biology of the cancer cell 	
		 Clone formation Transformation 	
		 Tumor stem lines 	
		 Structure of a solid tumor 	
		 Products produced by the tumor 	
		 Systemic effects of tumor growth 	
111	4	Etiology of Cancer	
		Carcinogenesis	
		Theories of cancer causation	
		Risk factors	
		Carcinogens – genetic factors, chemical carcinogens,	
		radiation, viruses, Immune system failure, rapid tissue	

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		proliferation	
		Hormone changes, diet, emotional factors.	
IV	10	Diagnostic Evaluation	
	EF5	Health assessment: History taking, physical	
		examination,	
		 Staging and grading of tumors, 	
		TNM Classification	
		Common diagnostic tests	
		o Blood investigation: Haemetological, Bio-	
		chemical, Tumor markers, Hormonal assay	
		 Cytology:Fine needle aspiration 	
		cytology(FNAC)	
		o Histopathology: Biopsy	
		o Radiological assessment: MRI, Ultrasound,	
		Computed tomography, Mammography, Positron	
		emission tomography(PET), Radio nuclide	
		imaging, Functional metabolism imaging	
		 Endoscopies 	
		Nurses responsibilities in diagnostic measures	
V	10	Levels of prevention and care	
		• Primary prevention – Guidelines for cancer detection,	
		general measures, Warning signs of cancer	
		Self examination-Oral, Breast, Testicular	
		 Secondary prevention – early diagnosis. 	
		• Screening	
		 Tertiary prevention – disability limitation, 	
		Rehabilitation :Mobility , Speech, Bowel and bladder,	
		Ostomies etc	
		 Patient and family education, 	
		 Discharge instruction, follow-up care and use of 	
		community resources.	

VI	25	Cancer Treatment Modalities and Nurse's Role
	EF10	• Surgery
		Principles of surgical oncology
		Current surgical strategy,
		Determining surgical risk
		Special surgical techniques
		Pre-intra-postoperative nursing care
		Acute and chronic surgical complications
		Future directions and advances
		• Chemotherapy
		Principles and classification of chemotherapeutics
		Pharmacology of antineoplastic drugs- Mechanism of action,
		absorption, protein binding, Bio-transformation, excretion,
		common side effects, drug toxicity
		Calculating drug doses,
		Therapeutic response to chemotherapy-Tumor variables, drug
		resistance,
		Safety precautions
		• Radiation Therapy
		Physics of radiotherapy
		Types of ionizing rays
		Radiation equipments:Linear accelerator,cobalt,
		Implants, Isotopes,
		• Types of therapies: Oral, Brachy therapy, tele therapy,
		selectron therapy
		• Effects of radiation on the body tissue,
		• Radiation biology – cell damage hypoxic cells, alteration of
		tumor kinetics.
		• Approaches to radiation therapy –
		• External radiotherapy
		• Internal radiotherapy – unsealed, Sealed sources.
		• Effectiveness of radiotherapy-Radiosensitivity, treatment
		effects
		Complications of radiotherapy

		Radiation safety: Standards of Bhaba Atomic Research		
		Centre(BARC)		
		■ Bone Marrow Transplantation/Stem Cell		
		Transplantation		
		 Types, Indications, Transplntation 		
		procedure, complications and		
		nursing management		
		 Types and donor sources 		
		 Preparation and care of donor and 		
		recipient		
		Bone marrow bank		
		 Legal and ethical issues 		
		8		
		■ Immunotherapy (Biotherapy)		
		 Concepts and Principles 		
		 Classification of agents 		
		 Treatment and applications 		
		Gene Therapy		
		 Current Concepts and practices 		
		 Alternative and Complementary Therapies 		
		 Current Practices 		
VII	10	Pain management:- Theories, types and		
		Nature of cancer pain		
		Pathophysiology of pain		
		• Pain threshold		
		Assessment of pain		
		Principles of cancer pain control		
		Pharmacological: Opioid and non-opioid analgesic therapy		
		Patient controlled analgesia(PCA)		
		Other invasive techniques of pain control		
		• Recent developments in Cancer pain		
		Non- Pharmacological pain relief technique-		

		Complementary therapies(Music, massage, meditation,
		relaxation techniques, biofeed back etc)
		Psychological intervention in pain control
		Alternative system of medicines
		Role of nurse
VIII	5	Palliative care
		Definition and scope, philosophy
		Concept and elements of palliative care
		Global and Indian perspective of palliative care
		Quality of life issues
		Communication skill
		Nursing perspective of palliative care and its elements
		Home care
		Hospice care
		Role of nurse in palliative care
IX	2	Infection control:
		Process of infection, risk of hospitalization, nosocomial
		infections- prevention and control of infection in acute, long
		term care facility and community based care
		Standard safety measures
T 7	20	
X	30	Nursing Care of Patients With Specific Malignant Disorders
		Malignancies of G.I. system-oral, oesophagus, stomach,
		rectal, liver & pancreas, care of ostomies/stoma
		 Respiratory malignancies, Genito urinary system malignancies, prostate Bladder
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		renal, testicular malignancies, Gynecological
		malignancies-cervix, uterus, ovary, Hematological
		malignancies-Lymphomas, Leukemias. Malignancies of musculoskeletal system. Endocrine
		Wanghaneles of museuloskeletal system, Endocrine
		malignancies
		■ Skin

		 Head and Neck -brain tumors,
		 Other malignancies – Breast cancer, AIDS related
		Malignancies(Kaposi's Sarcoma)
XI	10	Paediatric malignancies
		 Leukemia, Lymphoma, Neuro- blastoma
		 Wilm's tumor, Soft tissue sarcoma, Retinoblastoma
		 Nursing Management of children with Paediatric
		Malignancies
XII	15	Nursing Management of Physiological Conditions and
		Symptoms of Cancer Patient
		 Nutrition: - effects of cancer on nutritional Status and its
		consequences:-Anemia, Cachexia, Xerostomia,
		mucositis, Dysphagia, nausea and vomiting,
		constipation, diarrhoea, electrolyte imbalances, taste
		alterations
		 Impaired mobility: Decubitus ulcer, pathologic fractures,
		thrombophlebitis, pulmonary embolism, contractures,
		footdrop.
		Other symptoms
		 Dyspepsia & hiccup, dyspnoea
		intestinal obstruction,
		Fungating wounds,
		 Anxiety & depression,
		■ insomnia,
		 Lymph edema
		Impact of cancer on sexuality:
		 Effects of radiotherapy/ chemotherapy/surgery on
		sexuality of the cancer patient.
		 Nursing management of cancer patients experiencing
		sexual dysfunction
		 Sexual counseling

XIII	10	Cancer Emergencies	
	EF5	 Disseminated intravascular coagulation(DIC) 	
		 Malignant pleural effusion 	
		 Neoplastic cardiac tamponade and septic shock spinal 	
		cord compression	
		 Superior venacava syndrome 	
		 Metabolic emergency: hyper and hypo calcemia. 	
		 Surgical emergency 	
		 Urological emergency 	
		 Hemorrhage 	
		 Organ obstruction 	
		Brain metastasis	
		 Nurses role in managing oncologic emergencies 	
XIV	8	Psycho-Social Aspects of Nursing Care	
		 Psychological responses of patients with cancer 	
		 Psychosocial assessment – 	
		 Crisis intervention, coping mechanisms 	
		 Stress management, spiritual/cultural care and needs 	
		Counseling: individual and family	
		 Maximizing quality of life of patient and family 	
		Ethical, moral and legal issues-	
		■ End of life care	
		 Grief and grieving process 	
		 Bereavement support 	
		 Care of Nurses who care for the dying. 	
		Layout and Design of an oncology institution/ ward, OPD,	
XV	2	chemotherapy unit, Bone marrow transplantation unit, Pain	
		clinic etc	
		 Practice Standards of oncology nursing 	
		Policies and Procedures	
		Establishing Standing orders and Protocols	
		Quality Assurance Programme in oncology units	
		Nursing audit	

Clinical Experience

Total Hours-1450

1 Week= 48 hours

Sl.No	Dept./Unit	No. of weeks
1.	Medical oncology ward	6
2.	Surgical oncology ward	6
3.	Bone marrow transplant unit	2
4.	Operation theatre	2
5.	Radiotherapy unit	2
6.	Chemotherapy unit	4
7.	OPD and pain clinic	2
8.	Paediatric oncology ward	2
9.	Palliative care ward	2
10.	Community oncology	1
11.	Hospice	1
	Total	30

Internal Assessment

Theory weightage		Practical weightage	
Sessional exams -3	50%	Ongoing assessment	50%
Written assignments	25%	Clinical assignments	30%
Seminars/Presentations	25%	Internal examination	20%
Total	100%	TOTAL	100%

Procedures to be observed

- 1. CT Scan
- 2. MRI
- 3. PET Scan(Positron Emission Tomography)
- 4. Ultra sound
- 5. Mammography
- 6. Radio Nuclide Imaging

- 7. Bone Scan
- 8. Thyroid Function Test
- 9. Functional and Metabolic Imaging
- 10. Transportation of radioactive materials

Procedures to be assisted

- 1. IV cannulation Open method
- 2. Chemotherapy
- 3. Radiotherapy Brachytherapy Low Density Radiation, High Densit Radiation.
- 4. Interstitial implantation
- 5. Bio-therapy and Gene therapy
- 6. Teletherapy Treatment planning
- 7. Bone marrow aspiration and biopsy
- 8. Biopsy tissue
- 9. FNAC Fine Needle Aspiration Cytology and biopsy
- 10. Advance Cardiac life support
- 11. Endotracheal intubation
- 12. Defibrillation Ventilation
- 13. Tracheostomy
- 14. Thoracentesis
- 15. Paracentesis
- 16. Lumbar Puncture
- 17. Arterial Blood Gas
- 18. Nerve Block
- 19. Chest tube insertion
- 20. Intercostal drainage
- 21. CVP monitoring

Procedure to be Performed

- 1. Screening for cancer
- 2. Assessment of pain
- 3. Assessment of Nutritionsl status
- 4. Care of Tracheostomy
- 5. Endotracheal intubation
- 6. Gastric gavage
- 7. Pap smear

- 8. IV cannulation
- 9. Care of surgical flaps
- 10. Care of ostomies
- 11. Blood transfusion and component therapy
- 12. Counseling
- 13. Practice standard safety measures
- 14. Care of dead body and mortuary formalities

Other procedures

(As per the institutional protocol):

1. Alternative therapies

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CLINICAL SPECIALITY - II

MEDICAL SURGICAL NURSING- NEUROSCIENCES NURSING

Placement: II Years

Hours of Instruction

Theory – 150 Hours

Nursing Faculty:-110hrs

External Faculty:-40hrs

Practical- 1450 Hours

Total: 1600 Hours

Course Description

This course is designed to assist students in developing expertise and indepth knowledge in the field of neurology and neurosurgical Nursing. It will help students to develop advanced skills for nursing intervention in caring for patients with neurological and neurosurgical disorders. It will enable the student to function as neuroscience nurse practitioner/specialist. It will further enable the student to function as educator, manager and researcher in the field of neurology and neurosurgical Nursing.

Objectives

At the end of the course the students will be able to

- 1. Appreciate trends and issues related to Neurology and Neurosurgical Nursing.
- 2. Review the anatomy and physiology of Nervous system
- Describe the epidemiology, etiology, pathophysiology and diagnostic assessment of patients with Neurological and Neurosurgical disorders
- 4. Perform Neurological assessment and assist in diagnostic procedures
- 5. Describe the concepts and principles of Neuroscience nursing
- 6. Describe the various drugs used in neurosciences and nurses responsibility
- 7. Assist in various therapeutic and surgical procedures in Neuroscience nursing.
- 8. Demonstrate advance skills/competence in managing patients with neurological and neurosurgical disorder following nursing process approach
- 9. Identify psychosocial problems of patients with disabilities and assist patients and their family to cope with emotional distress, spiritual, grief and anxiety
- 10. Participate in preventive, promotive and rehabilitative services for neurological and neurosurgical patients.

- 11. Explain the legal and ethical issues related to brain death, organ transplantation and practice of neuroscience nursing
- 12. Incorporate evidence based nursing practice and identify the areas of research in the field of neuroscience nursing
- 13. Organise and conduct inservice education program for nursing personnel.
- 14. Develop standards of care for quality assurance in neuroscience nursing practice
- 15. Identify the sources of stress and manage burnout syndrome among health care providers.
- 16. Teach and supervise nurses and allied health workers.
- 17. Plan and develop physical layout of neuro intensive care unit

Unit	Hours	Content	
I	5	Introduction	
		• Introduction to neuroscience(neurological and neurosurgical)	
		nursing	
		• History-Development in neurological and neurosurgical nursing,	
		Service & education	
		• Emerging trends and issues in neurology and Neurosurgery and its	
		implication to nursing.	
		• Neurological and Neurosurgical problems –	
		 Concepts, principles and nursing perspectives 	
		• Ethical and legal issues	
		• Evidence based nursing and its application in Neurological and	
		neurosurgical nursing.	
II	5	Epidemiology	
		 Major health problems- 	
		Risk factors associated with neurological conditions- Hereditary,	
		Psychosocial factors, smoking, alcoholism, dietary habits,	
		cultural and ethnic considerations, occupational and infections.	
		Health promotion, disease prevention, lifestyle modification and	
		its implications to nursing.	
		Alternate system of medicine/complementary therapies	
III	10	Review of Anatomy and physiology	
		• Embryology	
		• Structure and functions of Nervous system- CNS, ANS,	

		cereberal circulation, cranial and spinal nerves and reflexes,		
		motor and sensory functions.		
		Sensory organs		
IV	15	Assessment and diagnostic measures		
	EF4	• Assessment		
		History taking		
		Physical assessment, psychosocial assessment		
		Neurological assessments, Glasgow coma scale		
		interpretation & its relevance to nursing.		
		Common assessment abnormalities		
		Diagnostic measures		
		Cerebro spinal fluid analysis		
		• Radiological studies-Skull and spine X-ray Cerebral Angiography,		
		CT Scan, Single Photon Emission Computer		
		Tomography(SPECT), MRI (Magnetic Resonance Imaging),		
		MRA, MRS, Functional MRI, Myelography, PET (Positron		
		Emission Test), Interventional radiology.		
		• Electorgraphic studies- Electro encephalo graphy, MEG, EMG		
		,video EEG		
		Nerve conduction studies-Evoked potentials, visual evoked		
		potentials, brain stem auditory evoked potentials, somatosensory		
		evoked potentials		
		Ultrasound studies-Carotid duplex, transcranial Doppler		
		sonography,		
		Immunological studies		
		• Biopsies – muscle, nerve and Brain.		
		Interpretation of diagnostic measures		
		Nurse's role in diagnostic tests		
V	5	Meeting Nutritional needs of neurological patients		
		 Basic nutritional requirements 		
		 Metabolic changes following injury and starvation 		
		 Nutritional assessment 		
		 Common neurological problems that interfere with nutrition and 		
		strategies for meeting their nutritional needs		

		 Special metabolic and electrolyte imbalances 		
		 Chronic fatigue syndrome 		
VI	5	Drugs used in neurological and neurosurgical disorders		
		 Classification 		
		 Indications, contraindications, actions and effects, toxic effects 		
		Role of nurse		
VII	10	Traumatic conditions.		
	EF3	 Causes, pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical features, 		
		diagnosis, Prognosis, Management: medical, surgical and		
		Nursing management of		
		Cranio cerebral injuries.		
		 Spinal & Spinal cord injuries. 		
		• Peripheral nerve injuries.		
		• Unconsciousness		
VIII	10	Cerebro vascular disorders.		
	EF3	 Causes, pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical features, 		
		diagnosis, Prognosis, Management: medical, surgical and		
		Nursing management of		
		• Stroke & arterio venous thrombosis.		
		Arterio venous fistula.		
		Brain tumours		
		Diseases of cranial nerves; Trigeminal neuralgia, Facial palsy,		
		Bulbar palsy.		
IX	10	Degenerating and demyelinating disorders		
	EF5	 Causes, pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical features, 		
		diagnostic, Prognosis, Management: medical, surgical and		
		Nursing management of		
		Motor neuron diseases.		
		Movement disorders- Tics, dystonia, chorea, wilson's		
		disease,essential tremors		
		• Dementia.		
		Parkinson's disease.		
		Multiple sclerosis.		
		• Alzemier's		

X	10	Neuro infections			
	EF5	 Causes, pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical features, 			
		diagnostic, Prognosis, Management: medical, surgical and			
		Nursing management of Neuro infections			
		Meningitis-types			
		• Encephalitis.			
		• Poliomyelitis.			
		 Parasitic infections. 			
		Bacterial infections			
		 Neurosyphilis. 			
		• HIV & AIDS.			
		• Brain abscess.			
XI	10	Paroxysmal disorders.			
	EF2	 Causes, pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical features, 			
		diagnosis, Prognosis, Management: medical, surgical and			
		Nursing management of			
		• Epilepsy and seizures.			
		Status epilepticus.			
		• Syncope.			
		Menier's syndrome.			
		Cephalgia.			
XII	10	Developmental disorders.			
	EF5	 Causes, pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical features, 			
		diagnostic, Prognosis, Management: medical, surgical and			
		Nursing management of			
		Hydrocephalus.			
		Craniosynostosis.			
		• spina bifida- Meningocele, Meningomyelocele			
		encephalocele			
		• syringomyelia.			
		 Cerebro vascular system anomalies. 			
		• Cerebral palsies.			
		Down's syndrome			

XIII	10	Neuro muscular disorders.	
	EF5	• Causes, pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical features,	
		diagnostic, Prognosis, Management: medical, surgical and	
		Nursing management of	
		 Polyneuritis – G B Syndrome. 	
		Muscular dystrophy.	
		Myasthenia gravis.	
		Trigeminal neuralgia.	
		Bell's palsy.	
		Menier's disease	
		Carpal tunnel syndrome	
		Peripheral neuropathies	
XIV	5	Neoplasms – surgical conditions.	
	EF2	• Causes, pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical features,	
		diagnostic, Prognosis, Management: medical, surgical and	
		Nursing management of	
		Space occupying lesions -types	
		Common tumors of CNS	
XV	5	Other disorders	
		 Causes, pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical features, 	
		diagnostic, Prognosis, Management: medical, surgical and	
		Nursing management of	
		Metabolic disorders- diabetes insipidus, metabolic	
		encephalopathy	
		Sleep disorders	
		Auto immune disorders- multiple sclerosis, inflammatory	
		myopathies	
XVI	10	Neuro emergencies	
	EF4	Causes, pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical features,	
		diagnostic, Prognosis, Management: medical, surgical and	
		Nursing management of	
		Increased intracranial pressure	
		• Unconscious	

		Herniation syndrome	
		• Seizures	
		Severe head injuries	
		Spinal injuries	
		Cerebro vascular accidents	
XVII	5	Rehabilitation.	
	EF2	Concept and Principles of Rehabilitation.	
		 Factors affecting quality of life and coping 	
		Rehabilitation in acute care setting, and following stroke, head	
		injury and degenerative disorders of brain	
		• Physiotherapy.	
		• Counselling	
		• Care giver's role	
		Speech & Language.	
		Neurogenic communication disorders, Speech Therapy	
XVIII	5	Ethical and legal issues in neuroscience nursing	
		Brain death and organ transplantation	
		Euthanasia	
		Negligence and malpractice	
		 Nosocomial infections 	
XIX	5	Quality assurance in neurolgical nursing practice	
		Role of advance practitioner in neurological nursing	
		 Professional practice standards 	
		Quality control in neurologic nursing	
		Nursing audit	
		Neuro ICU	
		 Philosophy, aims and objectives 	
		 Policies, staffing pattern, design and physical plan of 	
		neuro ICU	
		Team approach, functions	
		 Psychosocial aspects in relation to staff and clients of 	
		neuro ICU	
		• In-service education.	

Practical

Total =1450 Hours

1 Week = 48 Hours

SL.No	Dept/ Unit	Weeks
1.	O.P.D	1
2.	Casualty	2
3.	Diagnostics	1
4.	Neuro Psychiatry	2
5.	Pediatric Neuro ward	2
6.	Neuro Surgical Ward	3
7.	Head Injury Ward	3
8.	I.C.U Nero Medicine	4
9	I.C.U Nero Surgical	4
10	Neuro Medical Ward	4
11	Rehabilitation	2
12	OT	2
	Total	30

Internal Assessment

	Practical weightage	
50%	Ongoing assessment	50%
25%	Clinical assignments	30%
25%	Internal examination	20%
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	25%	50% Ongoing assessment 25% Clinical assignments 25% Internal examination

ESSENTIAL NEURO NURSING SKILLS

I. Procedures to be observed

- 1. CT scan
- 2. MRI
- 3. PET

- 4. EEG
- 5. EMG
- 6. Sleep pattern studies/Therapy
- 7. Radiographical studies
- 8. Neuro surgeries
- 9. Nerve conduction studies
- 10. Ultrasound studies

II. Procedures to be assisted

- 1. Advanced Cardiac life support
- 2. Lumbar Puncture
- 3. Biopsies muscle, nerve and Brain
- 4. Arterial Blood Gas
- 5. ECG Recording
- 6. Blood transfusion
- 7. IV cannulation open method
- 8. Endotracheal intubation
- 9. Ventilation
- 10. Tracheostomy
- 11. ICP monitoring
- 12. Gama Knife
- 13. Cereberal angiography
- 14. Myelography
- 15. Neuro surgeries

III. Procedures to be Performed:

- 1. Airway management
 - a. Application of Oro Pharyngeal Airway
 - b. Care of Tracheostomy
 - c. Conduct Endotracheal Intubation
 - d. use of AMBU bag, artificial respirators
 - e. Setting of Ventilators and Care of patients on ventilators
- 2. Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation -Defibrillation
- 3. Neurological assessment -Glasgow coma scale
- 4. Gastric Lavage
- 5. IV Cannulation

- 6. Administration of emergency IV Drugs, fluid
- 7. Care of patients with incontinence, bladder training, Catheterization
- 8. Care of patients on traction related to the neurological conditions
- 9. Blood Administration.
- 10. Muscle strengthening exercises
- 11. Guidance and counseling
- 12. Monitoring management and care of monitors.

IV. Other Procedures if any:

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CLINICAL SPECIALITY – II

MEDICAL SURGICAL NURSING- NEPHRO-UROLOGY NURSING

Placement: II Year

Hour of Instruction

Theory: 150 Hours

Nursing Faculty:-105hrs

External Faculty:-45hrs

Practical: 1450 Hours

Total: 1600 Hours

Course Description

This course is designed to assist students in developing expertise and indepth understanding in the field of Nephro and urological Nursing. It will help students to develop advanced skills for nursing intervention in various nephro and urological conditions. It will enable the student to function as nephro and urology nurse practitioner/specialist and provide quality care. It will further enable the student to function as educator, manager, and researcher in the field of nephro and urology nursing

Objectives

At the end of the course the students will be able to:

- 1. Appreciate trends and issues related to nephro and urological nursing.
- 2. Describe the epidemiology, etiology, pathophysiology and diagnostic assessment of nephro and urological conditions
- 3. Perform physical, psychosocial & spiritual assessment.
- 4. Assist in various diagnostic, therapeutic and surgical interventions.
- 5. Provide comprehensive nursing care to patients with nephro and rological conditions.
- 6. Describe the various drugs used in nephro and urological conditions and nurses responsibility.
- 7. Demonstrate skill in handling various equipments/gadgets used for patients with nephro and urological conditions.

- 8. Appreciate team work & coordinate activities related to patient care.
- 9. Practice infection control measures.
- 10. Identify emergencies and complications & take appropriate measures.
- 11. Assist patients and their family to cope with emotional distress, grief, anxiety and spiritual needs.
- 12. Discuss the legal and ethical issues in nephro and urological nursing
- 13. Identify the sources of stress and manage burnout syndrome among health care providers.
- 14. Appreciate the role of alternative system of medicine in the care of patient.
- 15. Incorporate evidence based nursing practice and identify the areas of research in the field of nephro and urological nursing.
- 16. Teach and supervise nurses and allied health workers.
- 17. Design a layout of kidney transplant unit and dialysis unit.
- 18. Develop standards of nephro urological nursing practice.

COURSE CONTENT

Unit	Hours	Content
	Hours	Content
Ι	5	Introduction
		 Historical development: trends and issues in the field of nephro and urological nursing. Nephro and urological problems Concepts,principles & nursing perspectives Ethical and legal issues Evidence based nursing and its application in nephro & urological nursing (to be incorporated in all the units)
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П	5	 Epidemiology Major health problems- urinary dysfunction, urinary tract infections, Glomuerular disorders, obstructive disorders ad other urinary disorders. Risk factors associated with nephro and urological conditions - Hereditary, Psychosocial factors, smoking, alcoholism, dietary habits, cultural and ethnic considerations.

		 Health promotion, disease prevention, life style modification and its implications to nursing. Alternate system of medicine/complementary therapies 			
III	5	Review of anatomy and physiology of urinary system			
		■ Embryology			
		Structure and functions			
		Renal circulation			
		Physiology of urine formation			
		■ Fluid and electrolyte balance			
		 Acid base balance 			
137	20	Immunology specific to kidney			
IV	20	Assessment and diagnostic measures			
	EF12	History taking			
		 Physical assessment, psychosocial assessment 			
		Common assessment abnormalities-dysurea, frequency, enuresis, urgency besistancy hematuria pain retention burning on			
		urgency, hesistancy, hematuria, pain, retention, burning on			
		urination, pneumaturia, incontinence, nocturia, polyurea, anuria, oliguria,			
		 Diagnostic tests-urine studies, blood chemistry, radiological 			
		procedures-KUB,IVP, CT scan nephrotomogram,retrograde			
		pylogram, renal arteriogram, renalultrasound, , MRI, cystogram,			
		renal scan, biopsy, endoscopy-cystoscopy, urodynamics studies-			
		cystometrogram, urinary flow study, sphincter			
		electromyography, voiding pressure flow study,			
		videourodynamics, Whitaker study. Interpretation of diagnostic			
		measures.			
		 Nurse's role in diagnostic tests. 			
V	5	Renal immunopathy/Immunopathology			
	EF5	 General Concept of immunopathology. 			
		 Immune mechanism of glomerual vascular disease. 			
		 Role of mediater systems in glomerula vascular disease. 			

VI	15	Urological Disorders and Nursing Management					
	EF5	■ Etiology,clinical manifestations, diagnosis,prognosis, related					
		pathophysiology,medical,surgical & nursing management of					
		 Urinary tract infections- pyelonephritis, lower urinary tract 					
		infections.					
		 Disorders for ureters, bladder and urethra. 					
		 Urinary tract infections. 					
		 Urinary dysfunctions- urinary retention, urinary incontinence, 					
		urinary reflux.					
		 Bladder disorders- neoplasms, calculi, neurogenic bladder, 					
		trauma,congenital abnormalities.					
		 Benign prostrate hypertrophy(BPH). 					
		 Ureteral disorders: ureteritis, ureteral trauma, congenital anomalies 					
		of ureters.					
		 Uretheral disorders- tumours, trauma, congenital anomalies of 					
		ureters.					
VII	25	Glomerular disorders and nursing management					
	EF5	 Etiology, clinical manifestations, diagnosis, prognosis, related 					
		pathophysiology, medical, surgical and nursing management of					
		 Glomuerulo nephritis- chronic, acute, nephrotic syndrome. 					
		 Acute Renal failure and chronic renal failure. 					
		 Renal calculi. 					
		Renal tumours-benign and malignant.					
		Renal trauma.					
		 Renal abscess. 					
		 Diabetic nephropathy. 					
		 Vascular disorders. 					
		 Renal tuberculosis. 					
		Polycystic.					
		 Congenital disorders. 					
		Hereditary renal disorders.					
V111	10	Management of Renal emergencies					
	EF4	• Anuria					
		Acute Renal failure					

		 Poisoning 					
		■ Trauma					
		Urine retention					
		Acute graft rejection					
		Hematuria					
		Nurse's role					
		Traise stole					
1X	10	Drugs used in urinary disorders					
		Classification					
		 Classification Indications, contraindications, actions & effects, toxic effects 					
		 Role of nurse. 					
X	10	Dialysis					
21	EF4	 Dialysis- Historical, types, Principles, goals 					
	DI 4	Hemodialysis- vascular access sites- temporary					
		and permanent • Peritoneal dialysis					
		Peritoneal dialysis Dialysis Procedures stops againments maintanenes					
		Dialysis Procedures- steps, equipments, maintenance. Pole of purse pre-dialysis intra and post dialysis.					
		 Role of nurse – pre dialysis, intra and post dialysis, 					
		■ Counseling					
		Counseling Patient education					
		Patient education Records and reports					
XI	10	Records and reports.Kidney transplantation					
211	EF6	 Nursing management of a patient with kidney transplantation 					
		 Kidney transplantations- a historical review 					
		 Immunology of graft rejections The recipient of a repul transplant 					
		The recipient of a renal transplantRenal preservations.					
		 Human Leucocytic Antigen(HLA) typing matching and cross 					
		matching in renal transplantation					
		 Surgical techniques of renal transplantations. 					
		 Chronic renal transplant rejection Complication after KTP: Vascular and lymphatic, Urological, 					
		cardiovascular, liver and neurological, infectious complication.					
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		 KTP in children and management of pediatric patient with KTP 					
		 KTP in developing countries 					
		 Results of KTP 					
		 Work up of donor and recipient for renal transplant 					
		 Psychological aspect of KTP and organ donations 					
		 Ethics in transplants, Cadaveric transplantation. 					
XII	5	Rehabilitation of patient with nephrological problems					
		 Risk factors and prevention. 					
		 Rehabilitation of patients on dialysis and after kidney transplant 					
		 Rehabilitation of patients after urinary diversions 					
		 Family and patient teaching 					
XIII	10	Pediatric urinary disorders					
	EF4	 Etiology, clinical manifestations, diagnosis, prognosis, related 					
		pathophysiology, medical, surgical and nursing management of					
		children with Renal Diseases -UTI, ureteral reflux,					
		glomerulonephritis, nephrotic syndrome infantile nephrosis,					
		cystic kidneys,familial factors in renal diseases in childhood,					
		Haemolytic uraemic syndrome. Benign recurrent haemturia,					
		nephropathy, wilms tumour.					
XIV	5	Critical care units- dialysis , KTP unit					
		 Philosophy, aims and objectives 					
		 Policies, staffing pattern, design and physical plan of Dialysis 					
		and KTP units,					
		 Team approach, functions, 					
		 Psychosocial aspects in relation to staff and clients of ICU, 					
		dialysis unit,					
		 In-service education, 					
		 Ethical and legal issues. 					
XV	5	Quality assurance in nephrological nursing practice					
		 Role of advance practioner in nephrological nursing. 					
		 Professional practice standards 					
		 Quality control in nephrological nursing 					
		 Nursing audit. 					
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Practicals

Total = 1450 Hours

1 Week = 48 Hours

SL.No	Dept/Unit	Weeks	Hours
1.	Nephrology Ward	6	288
2.	Pediatrics	2	96
3.	Critical Care Unit	2	96
4.	Urology Ward	6	288
5.	Dialysis Unit	4	192
6.	Kidney Transplantation Unit	2	96
7	Uro OT	2	96
8.	Emergency Wards	2	96
9	Uro/ Nephro OPDs	3	144
10	Diagnostic Labs	1	40
	Total	30	1450

Internal Assessment

Theory weightage		Practical weightage	
Sessional exams -3	50%	Ongoing assessment	50%
Written assignments	25%	Clinical assignments	30%
Seminars/Presentations	25%	Internal examination	20%
Total	100%	TOTAL	100%

Procedures to be observed

I. Procedures Observed

- 1. CT Scan
- 2. MRI
- 3. Radiographic studies
- 4. Urodynamics
- 5. Hemodialysis
- 6. Renal Surgeries

II. Procedures to be assisted

- 1. Blood transfusion
- 2. I V cannulation therapy
- 3. Arterial Catheterization
- 4. Insertion of central line/cvp line
- 5. Connecting lines for dialysis
- 6. Peritoneal dialysis
- 7. Renal biopsy
- 8. Endoscopies- Bladder, urethra

III. Procedures to be performed

- 1. Health assessment
- 2. Insertion of urethral and suprapubic catheters
- 3. Urine analysis
- 4. Catheterisation
- 5. Peritoneal dialysis
- 6. Bladder irrigation
- 7. Care of ostomies
- 8. Care of urinary drainage
- 9. Bladder training
- 10. Care of vascular access
- 11. Setting up dialysis machine and starting, monitoring and closing dialysis
- 12. Procedures for prevention of infections:
- 13. Hand washing, disinfection & sterilization surveillance, fumigation and universal precautions.
- 14. Collection of specimen.
- 15. Administration of drugs: IM, IV injection, IV cannulation & fixation of infusion pump, calculation of dosages, blood administration. Monitoring -fluid therapy, electrolyte imbalance.
- 16. Nutritional needs, diet therapy & patient education.
- 17. Counselling

IV. OTHER PROCEDURES IF ANY:

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CLINICAL SPECIALITY - II

MEDICAL SURGICAL NURSING - ORTHOPEDIC NURSING

Placement : II Year Hours of Instruction

Theory: 150 Hours

Nursing Faculty:- 110hrs

External Faculty:- 40hrs

Practical:1450 Hours

Total: 1600 Hours

Course Description

This course is designed to assist students in developing expertise and indepth understanding in the field of orthopedic nursing. It will help students to develop advanced skills for nursing intervention in various orthopedic conditions. It will enable the student to function as orthopedic nurse practitioner/specialist providing quality care. It will further enable the student to function as educator, manager, and researcher in the field of orthopedic nursing.

Objectives

At the end of the course the students will be able to:

- 1. Appreciate the history and developments in the field of orthopedic nursing
- 2. Identify the psycho-social needs of the patient while providing holistic care.
- 3. Perform physical and psychological assessment of patients with orthopedic conditions and disabilities.
- 4. Describe various disease conditions and their management
- 5. Discuss various diagnostic tests required in orthopedic conditions
- 6. Apply nursing process in providing care to patients with orthopedic conditions and those requiring rehabilitation.
- 7. Recognize and manage orthopedic emergencies.
- 8. Describe recent technologies and treatment modalities in the management of patients with orthopedic conditions and those requiring rehabilitation.
- 9. Integrate the concept of family centered, long term care and community based rehabilitation to patients with orthopedic conditions.
- 10. Counsel the patients and their families with orthopedic conditions
- 11. Describe various orthotic and prosthetic appliances

- 12. Appreciate the legal and ethical issues pertaining to patients with orthopedic conditions and those requiring rehabilitation.
- 13. Appreciate the role of alternative system of medicine in care of patients with orthopedic conditions
- 14. Incorporate evidence based nursing practice and identify the areas of research in the field of orthopedic nursing.
- 15. Recognize the role of orthopedic nurse practitioner and as a member of the orthopedic and rehabilitation team.
- 16. Teach orthopedic nursing to undergraduate students and in-service nurses.
- 17. Prepare a design and layout of orthopedic and rehabilitative units.

COURSE CONTENT

UNIT	HOURS	CONTENT
I	5	Introduction
		 Historical perspectives – History and trends in orthopedic nursing
		 Definition and scope of orthopedic nursing
		 Anatomy and physiology of Musculo-skeletal system
		 Posture,Body landmarks Skeletal system, Muscular system,Nervous
		system - Main nerves
		 Healing of - Injury, bone injury,
		 Repair of ligaments
		Systemic response to injury
		 Ergonomics,Body mechanics,biomechanical measures
		Orthopedic team
II	8	Assessment of Orthopedic Patient
		 Health Assessment: History, physical examination-
		inspection, palpation, movement, Measurement, muscle strength
		testing.
		 Diagnostic studies – Radiological studies, Muscle
		enzymes,serologic studies.
III	10	Care of patients with devices
	EF3	 Splints, braces, various types of plaster cast
		 Various types of tractions,
		 Various types of orthopedic beds and mattresses

		 Comfort devices
		 Implants in orthopedic
		 Prosthetics and Orthotics
IV	15	Injuries
	EF5	Trauma & Injuries
		 Causes, pathophysiology, clinical types, clinical features, diagnosis,
		prognosis, management, medical surgical and nursing management
		of:
		Early management of Trauma
		• Fractures
		• Injuries of the Shoulder and arm, Elbow,
		fore arm, wrist, hand, Hip, thigh, knee, leg,
		ankle, foot, Spine.
		Head injury
		■ Chest injury.
		• Polytrauma
		Nerve injuries
		Vascular injuries
		Soft tissue injuries
		• Sports injuries
		• Amputation
V	8	Infections of Bones and Joints
	EF3	 Causes, pathophysiology, clinical types, clinical features, diagnosis,
		prognosis, management, medical surgical and nursing management
		of:
		• Tuberculosis
		• Osteomyelitis
		• Arthritis
		• Leprosy
V1	5	Bone Tumours
	EF2	 Causes, pathophysiology, clinical types, clinical features, diagnosis,
		prognosis, management, medical surgical and nursing management
		of:

		Bone tumors – Benign, Malignant and metastatic
		Different types of therapies for tumors
VII	10	Deformities
	EF5	 Causes, pathophysiology, clinical types, clinical features, diagnosis,
		prognosis - medical surgical and nursing management of:Scoliosis,
		Kyphosis,Lordosis
		 Congenital disorders: Congenital dislocation of hip(CDH),
		Dislocation of patella, knee.
		 Varus and valgus deformities.
		 Deformities of digits, Congenital torticollis
		 Meningocele, meningomyelocele, spina bifida
		 Chromosomal disorders, Computer related deformities.
VIII	5	Disorders of the spine
	EF2	 Intervertebral disc prolapse, Fracture of the spine
		 Low back disorder – Low back pain, PND, spinal stenosis,
		spondylosis
IX	5	Nutritional/Metabolic and Endocrine Disorders
	EF2	 Causes, pathophysiology, clinical types, clinical features, diagnosis,
		prognosis, medical surgical and nursing management of:
		• Rickets,
		• Scurvy,
		Hypervitaminosis A and D,
		Osteomalacia,
		Osteoporosis
		• Paget's disease,
		• gout
		Gigantism, Dwarfism, Acromegaly.
		• Therapeutic diets for various orthopedic disorders.
X	8	Neuro-Muscular Disorders:
	EF3	 Causes, pathophysiology, clinical types, clinical features, diagnosis,
		prognosis, medical, surgical and nursing management of:
		Poliomyelitis, Cerebral Palsy
		Myasthenia gravis

		• Spina bifida.
		• Peripheral nerve lesion,
		Paraplegia, Hemiplegia, Quadriplegia.
		Muscular dystrophy
XI	8	Chronic/Degenerative Diseases of Joints and Autoimmune Disorders:
	EF3	 Causes, pathophysiology, clinical types, clinical features, diagnosis,
		prognosis, medical, surgical and nursing management of:
		Osteo Arthritis
		Rheumatoid Arthritis
		Ankylosing spondylitis.
		Spinal disorders.
		Systemic Lupus Erythematosus
XII	5	Orthopedic Disorders in Children:
	EF2	 General and special consideration on pediatric orthopedics
		 Genetic disorders
		 Congenital anomalies
		 Growth disorders
		 Genetic counseling
		 Nurses role in genetic counseling
XIII	5	Geriatric Problems
		 Geriatric population, types of disabilities, causes, treatment and
		management - Hospitalization, rest, physiotherapy, involvement of
		family members, social opportunities.
		■ Care at home – involvement of family and community, follow up
		care and rehabilitation
XIV	6	Pharmacokinetics
		 Principles of drug administration
		 Analgesics and anti inflammatory agents
		 Antibiotics, Antiseptics
		 Drugs used in orthopedics & neuromuscular disorders
		 Blood and blood components
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		 Care of drugs and nurses role
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XV	EF10	Nurses Role in Orthopedic Conditions
		■ Gait analysis
		 Urodynamic studies
		 Prevention of physical deformities
		 Alteration of body temperature regulatory system and immune
		systems
		 Immobilization – cast, splints, braces and tractions
		 Prevention and care of problems related to immobility
		 Altered sleep patterns
		■ Impaired communication
		 Self care and activities of daily living
		 Bladder and bowel rehabilitation
		 Sensory function rehabilitation
		 Psychological reaction related to disabilities & disorders.
		 Coping of individual & family with disabilities and disorders
		Maintaining sexuality
		■ Spirituality – A rehabilitative prospective
		Orthopedic Reconstructive Surgeries
		 Replacement surgeries – Hip, Knee, Shoulder, Spine surgeries,
		Grafts & flaps surgery, Deformity correction.
		Physiotherapy
		 Concepts, Principles, purpose
		Mobilization – Exercises: types, re-education in
		walking: Crutch walking, wheel chair, Transfer
		techniques.
		Types of gaits: Non-weight bearing, partial weight
		bearing, four point crutch, tripoid, walking with
		sticks, calipers
		• Forms of therapies: Hydrotherapy, electrotherapy,
		wax bath, heat therapy, ice, helio therapy, radiant
		heat.
		Chest physiotherapy

XVI	8	Rehabilitation
		 Principles of rehabilitation, definition, philosophy, process
		 Various types of therapies, Special therapies and alternative
		therapies
		 Rehabilitation counseling
		 Preventive and restorative measures.
		 Community based rehabilitation (CBR)
		 Challenges in rehabilitation
		 Role of the nurse in rehabilitation.
		 Legal and ethical issues in rehabilitation nursing
		 Occupational therapy.
XVII	5	National Policies and Programmes
		 National programmes for rehabilitation of persons with disability -
		National Institutes, artificial limbs manufacturing
		corporation, District rehabilitation centers and their schemes,
		Regional rehabilitation centers etc.
		 Public policy in rehabilitation nursing
		 The persons with disabilities act 1995
		 Mental rehabilitation & Multiple disabilities act 1992
		 The National Trust Rules 1999 and 2000
		 Rehabilitation Council of India
		 Legal and ethical aspects in orthopedic nursing
		 Rehabilitation health team and different categories of team
		members.
XVIII	4	Quality assurance
		Standards, Protocols, Policies, Procedures, Nursing audit, Staffing,
		Design of orthopedic, physiotherapy and rehabilitation unit.

Practicals

- 1. Clinical practice in Orthopedic, physiotherapy& rehabilitation units.
- 2. Application of tractions and plaster casts and removal of tractions and plaster casts and other appliances.

- 3. Apply Theories and Nursing Process in the management of patients with orthopedic conditions.
- 4. Provide various types of physical and rehabilitative therapies
- 5. Provide health education on related disease conditions.
- 6. Unit management and plan designing

Clinical Experience

Total = 1450 Hours

1 Week =48 Hours

SL.NO	Dept/ Unit	Weeks
1.	Orthopedic Ward	8
2	Orthopedic OT	4
3	Neuro Surgical Ward	2
4	Orthopedic O.P.D	2
5	Casualty/ Emergency/ Trauma	4
6	Rehabilitation Unit	2
7	Physiotherapy Unit	4
8	Pediatric/ pediatric Surgery Unit	2
9	Field Visit	2
	Total	30

Internal Assessment

Theory weightage		Practical weightage	
Sessional exams -3	50%	Ongoing assessment	50%
Written assignments	25%	Clinical assignments	30%
Seminars/Presentations	25%	Internal examination	20%
Total	100%	TOTAL	100%

Procedures to be observed

- 1. X Ray
- 2. Ultrasound
- 3. MRI
- 4. C T Scan/bone scan

- 5. Arthroscopy
- 6. Electrothermally assisted capsule shift or ETAC (Thermal capsulorrhaphy)
- 7. Fluroscopy
- 8. Electromyography
- 9. Myelography
- 10. Discography
- 11. Others

Procedures to be assisted

- 1. Blood Transfusion
- 2. IV cannulation and therapy
- 3. Ventilation
- 4. Various types of tractions
- 5. Orthopedic surgeries- Arthrocentesis, Arthroscopy, Bone lengthening, Arthrodesis, grafting, Fractures fixation, reconstructive, reimplantation, replanation, spinal decompression, transplantation of bone, muscle or articular cartilage, autografting, allografting.
- 6. Injection Intra articular, intra osseous.
- 7. Advance Life Support

Peocedures to be Performed

- 1. Interpretation of X ray films.
- 2. Application and removal of splints, casts, and braces.
- 3. Care of tractions skin and skeletal traction, pin site care.
- 4. Cold therapy.
- 5. Heat therapy
- 6. Hydrotherapy
- 7. Therapeutic exercises
- 8. Use of TENS (Transcutaneous electrical nerve stimulation)
- 9. Techniques of transportation
- 10. Crutch walking, walkers, wheel chair.
- 11. Use of devices for activities of daily living and prevention of deformities.
- 12. Administration of drugs: IV injection, IV cannulation, and Blood transfusion.
- 13. Procedures for prevention of infections: disinfection and sterilization, surveillance, fumigation.
- 14. Special skin/ part preparations for orthopedic surgeries.

- 15. Surgical dressings Debridement.
- 16. Bladder and bowel training

Other Procedures if any.

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CLINICAL SPECIALITY - II

MEDICAL SURGICAL NURSING - GASTRO ENTEROLOGY NURSING

Placement : II Year Hours of Instruction

Theory: 150 hrs.

Nursing Faculty:-110hrs

External Faculty:-40hrs

Practical: 1450 hrs.

Total: 1600 hrs.

Course Description

This course is designed to assist students in developing expertise and in-depth understanding in the field of gastro enterology Nursing. It will help students to develop advanced skills for nursing intervention in various gastro enterology conditions. It will enable the student to function as gastro enterology nurse practitioner/specialist and provide quality care. It will further enable the student to function as educator, manager, and researcher in the field of gastro enterology nursing.

Objectives

At the end of the course the students will be able to

- 1. Appreciate trends and issues related to gastro enterology Nusing
- 2. Describe the epidemiology, etiology, pathophysiology and diagnostic assessment of gastrointestinal conditions.
- 3. Participate in national health programmes for health promotion, prevention and rehabilitation of patients with gastrointestinal conditions.
- 4. Perform physical, psychosocial & spiritual assessment.
- 5. Assist in various diagnostic, therapeutic and surgical procedures.
- 6. Provide comprehensive care to patients with gastrointestinal conditions.
- 7. Describe the various drugs used in gastrointestinal conditions and nurses responsibility.
- 8. Demonstrate skill in handling various equipments/gadgets used for patients with gastrointestinal conditions.
- 9. Appreciate team work & coordinate activities related to patient care.
- 10. Practice infection control measures.
- 11. Identify emergencies and complications & take appropriate measures.

- 12. Assist patients and their family to cope with emotional distress, grief, anxiety and spiritual needs.
- 13. Discuss the legal and ethical issues in Gastro Enterology nursing.
- 14. Identify the sources of stress and manage burnout syndrome among health care providers.
- 15. Appreciate the role of alternative system of medicine in care of patient.
- 16. Incorporate evidence based nursing practice and identify the areas of research in the field of gastrointestinal nursing.
- 17. Teach and supervise nurses and allied health workers.
- 18. Design a layout of Gastro entrology intensive care unit (GEICU) , liver care/transplant unit.

Course Content

UNIT	HOURS	CONTENT
I	5	Introduction
		Historical development: trends and issues in the field of
		gastroenterology.
		Gastro enterological problems
		Concepts, principles and nursing perspectives
		Ethical and legal issues
		Evidence based nursing and its application in
		gastrointestinal nursing(to be incorporated in all the units)
II	5	Epidemiology
		 Risk factors associated with GE conditions- Hereditary,
		Psychosocial factors, smoking, alcoholism, dietary
		habits, cultural and ethnic considerations.
		 Health promotion, disease prevention, life style
		modification and its implications to nursing.
		 National health programmes related to gastro enterology.
		Alternate system of medicine/complementary therapies.
III	5	Review of anatomy and physiology of gastrointestinal system
		Gastrointestinal system
		Liver, biliary and pancreas
		Gerontologic considerations

		Embryology of GI system	
		Immunology specific to GI system.	
IV	15	Assessment and diagnostic measures	
	EF5	History taking	
		Physical assessment, psychosocial assessment	
		Diagnostic tests	
		Radiological studies:Upper GIT- barium swallow,	
		lower GIT- Barrium enema,	
		Ultra sound:	
		Computed tomography	
		• MRI	
		Cholangiography:	
		Percutaneous transheptatic Cholangiogram(PTC)	
		Magnetic Resonance Cholangio pancreotography	
		(MRCP)	
		Nuclear imaging scans(scintigraphy)	
		• Endoscopy	
		• Colonoscopy	
		 Proctosigmoidoscopy 	
		Endoscopic Retrogrde Cholongio pancreotography	
		(ERCP)	
		Endoscopic ultrasound	
		Peritonoscopy(Laproscopy)	
		Gastric emptying studies	
		Blood chemistries: Serum amylase, serum lipase	
		Liver biopsy	
		Miscellaneous tests: Gastric analysis, fecal analysis	
		• Liver function tests: Bile formation and excretion,	
		dye excretion test, Protein metabolism,	
		haemostatic functions- prothrombin, vitamin K	
		production, serum enzyme tests, Lipid metabolism-	
		serum cholesterol	
		Interpretation of diagnostic measures	
		Nurse's role in diagnostic tests	

V	25	Gastro intestinal disorders and nursing management
	EF10	Etiology, clinical manifestations, diagnosis, prognosis,
		related pathophysiology, medical, surgical and nursing
		management of
		Disorders of the mouth: Dental caries, Peridontal
		disease, Acute tooth infection, Stomatitis, Thrush
		(moniliasis), Gingivitis, Leukoplakia, Inflammation
		of the parotid gland, Obstruction to the flow of
		saliva, Fracture of the jaw.
		Disorders of the oesophagus: Reflux oesophagitis,
		Oesophageal achalasia, Oesoophageal varices, Hiatus
		hernia, Diverticulum.
		Disorders of the stomach and duodenum: Gastritis,
		Peptic ulcer, Dumping of the stomach, Food
		poisoning, idiopathic gastroparesis, Aerophagia and
		belching syndrome, Ideopathic cyclic nausea and
		vomiting, Rumination syndrome, Functional
		dyspepsia, Chronic on specific (functional)
		abdominal pain.
		Disorders of the small intestine
		-Malabsorption syndrome – tropical sprue
		-Gluten – sensitive enteropathy (Coeliac disease)
		-Inflammatory diseases of intestines and abdomen,:
		appendicitis, Peritonites, Intestinal obstruction,
		Abdominal TB, Gastrointestinal polyposis
		syndrome
		-Chronic inflammatory bowel disease, Ulcerative
		colitis, crohn's disease
		-Infestations and infections – Worm infestations,
		Typhoid, Leptospirosis
		-Solitary rectal ulcer syndrome
		-Alteration in bowel elimination (diarrhoea,
		constipation, fecal impaction, fecal incontinence,
		Irritable bowel syndrome, Chronic idiopathic

		constipation, Functional diarrhea		
		Anorectal Conditions: Hemorrhoids, Anal fissure, Anal fistula,		
		Abscess, Strictures, Rectal prolapse, Pruritis ani, Pilonidal		
		disease, Anal condylomas, Warts		
VI	15	Disorder of liver, pancreas gall bladder and nursing		
	EF10	management		
		Disorders of liver biliary tract		
		• Viral Hepatitis – A, B, C, D & E		
		Toxic hepatitis		
		Cirrhosis of liver, liver failure, Liver		
		transplantation		
		Non cirrhotic portal fibrosis		
		• Liver abscess,;		
		Parasitic and other cysts of the liver		
		Disorders of the Gall Bladder and Bile Duct:		
		Cholecystitis, Cholelithiasis and		
		Choledocholilethiasis		
		• Disorders of the pancreas: Pancreatitis, Benign		
		tumors of islet cells		
		Disorders of the Peritoneum.		
		- Infections of the peritoneum		
		-Surgical peritonitis		
		-Spontaneous bacterial peritonitis		
		-Tuberculosis peritonitis		
		Disorders of the Diaphragm.		
		- Diaphragmatic hernia		
		- Congenital hernias		
		- Paralysis of diaphragm		
		- Tumors of the diaphragm		
		- Hiccups		
VII	15	Gastro intestinal emergencies and nursing interventions		
	EF5	Etiology, clinical manifestations, diagnosis, prognosis,		
		related pathophysiology, medical, surgical and nursing		
		management of:		

		Esophageal varices
		Ulcer perforation
		Acute cholecystitis
		Diverticulitis
		Fulminant hepatic failure
		Biliary obstruction
		Bowel obstruction
		Gastroenteritis
		• Intussusception
		Acute intestinal obstruction, perforation
		Acute pancreatitis
		Cirrhosis of liver complications
		Liver , spleen, stomach pancreatic, mesenteric, bowel
		and
		greater vessel injuries
		Acute appendicitis /peritonitis
		Acute abdomen
		Food poisoning
VIII	15	o Congenital Anomalies of Esophagus
	EF5	Esophageal atresia
		Tracheo esophageal fistula
		• Esophageal stenosis
		Esophageal duplications
		Dysphagia – Lusoria – aberrent right subclavian artery
		compressing esophagus
		• Esophageal rings – schalzki ring
		• Esophageal webs
		o Congenital Anomalies of Stomach
		Gastric atresia
		Micro gastria
		Gastric diverticulum
		Gastric duplication
		• Gastric teratoma
		Gastric volvulus

		Infantile hypertrophic pyloric stenosis
		Adult hypertrophic pyloric stenosis
		o Congenital Anomalies of Duodenum
		Duodenal Atresia or stenosis
		Annular pancreas
		Duodenal duplication cysts
		Malrotation and mid gut volvolus
		Developmental anomalies of the intestine:
		Abdominal wall defects (omphalocele and Gastroschisis)
		Meckel's diverticulum
		Intestinal atresia
		○ Hirschsprung's disease
IX	15	Pharmo Kinetics
		Drugs used in GIT
		Principles of administration
		Roles responsibilities of nurses
		Drugs in Peptic ulcer disease
		Proton Pump inhibitors
		➤ H2 Receptor Antagonists
		Cytoprotective Agents
		Drugs used in Diarrhea
		Drugs used in constipation
		 Drugs used in Inflammatory Bowel Disease,
		Aminosalicylates
		Corticosteroids
		> Immunomodulators
		> Chemotherapy
		> Antibiotics
		> Antiemetics
		Anticholinergics
		Antihistaminics
		> Antihelminthics
		Vitamin Supplements.
X	10	Nutrition and nutritional problems related to GI system

		Nutritional assessment and nursing interventions
		➤ Therapeutic diets
		Adverse reactions between drugs and various foods.
		Malnutrition- etiology , clinical manifestations and
		management
		Tube feeding, parenteral nutrition, total parenteral
		nutrition
		 Obesity- etiology, clinical manifestations and management
		 Eating disorders- anorexia nervosa, bulimia nervosa
		Recent advances in nutrition
XI	15	Malignant disorders of gastro intestinal system
	EF5	o Etiology, clinical manifestations, diagnosis, prognosis, related
		pathophysiology, medical, surgical, other modalities and
		nursing management of:
		Malignancy of oral cavity, Lip, Tongue, buccal mucosa,
		oropharynx, Salivary gland.
		• Esophageal , Gastric , Carcinoma of bowel - Small bowel,
		Colorectal and Anal carcinoma,
		Liver, biliary tract and Pancreatic carcinoma
XII	5	Administration and management of GE unit
		Design & layout
		➤ Staffing
		Equipment, supplies
		Infection control; Standard safety measures.
		Quality Assurance:-Nursing audit –records /reports,
		Norms, policies and protocols
		Practice standards.
XIII	5	Education and training in GE care
		 Staff orientation, training and development
		 In-service education program
		Clinical teaching programs.
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1 Week =48 Hours

SL. No	Dept/ Unit	No .of
		Weeks
1.	Diagnostic Lab	1
2.	Emergency & Casualty	2
3.	Liver Transplant Unit	1
4.	GE Medical Ward	6
5.	GE Surgical Ward	8
6.	OT	2
7.	ICU	4
8.	Pediatric Gastroenterology	2
9.	Oncology	2
10.	GE OPD	2
	Total	30

Internal Assessment

Theory weightage		Practical weightage	
Sessional exams -3	50%	Ongoing assessment	50%
Written assignments	25%	Clinical assignments	30%
Seminars/Presentations	25%	Internal examination	20%
Total	100%	TOTAL	100%

Procedures to be assisted

- 1. Endoscopy room Upper G.I. Endoscopy (Diagnostic and therapeutic).
- 2. Sigmoidoscopy
- 3. Colonoscopy
- 4. Polypectomy
- 5. Endoscopic retrograde cholangio pancreatography (ERCP)
- 6. Liver biopsy
- 7. Percutaneous catheter drainage (PCD) of Pseudocyst pancreas
- 8. Abdominal paracentesis
- 9. Percutaneous aspiration of liver abscess
- 10. GE Lab: PT, HbsAg, Markers A, B, C virus, CBP, ESR, Stool Test

Procedures to be performed

- 1. History and Physical assessment
- 2. RT intubation / extubation / aspiration/suction
- 3. Gastric lavage and gavage
- 4. Bowel wash
- 5. Therapeutic Diets

- 6. Ostomy feeding
- 7. Stoma care
- 8. Monitoring vital parameters
- 9. Plan of inservice education programme for nursing staff and Class-IV employees
- 10. Counseling

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CLINICAL SPECIALTY -II CHILD HEALTH (PAEDIATRIC) NURSING-II

Placement: II Year

Hours of Instruction

Theory 150 hours

External – 50 hours

Internal – 100 hours

Practical 1450 hours

Total: 1600 hours

Course Description

This course is designed to assist students in developing expertise and in-depth understanding in the field of Child Health Nursing. It will help students to develop

advanced skills for nursing intervention in various pediatric medical and surgical conditions. It will enable the student to function as pediatric nurse practitioner/specialist. It

will further enable the student to function as educator, manager, and researcher in the field

of Child Health Nursing

Objectives

At the end of the course the students will be able to:

1. Apply the nursing process in the care of ill infants to adolescents in hospital and

Community.

2. Demonstrate advanced skills/competence in nursing management of children with

medical and surgical problems.

3. Recognize and manage emergencies in children.

4. Provide nursing care to critically ill children.

5. Recognize and manage emergencies in neonates.

6. Identify various treatment modalities in the management of high risk

neonates/children.

7. Prepare a design for layout and describe standards for management of pediatric

units/hospitals.

8. Identify areas of research in the field of Child Health Nursing.

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COURSE CONTENT

I II	60 EF 30	Content Introduction Current & Future role of pediatric nurse in various settings -Expanded and Extended Medical conditions Pathophysiology, assessment(including interpretation of
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		various invasive and non-invasive diagnostic procedures),
		treatment modalities and nursing intervention in selected
		pediatric medical disorders
		Child with respiratory disorders:
		- Upper respiratory tract: choanal atresia, tonsillitis, epistaxis, aspiration.
		- Lower respiratory tract: Broncheolitis,
		Bronchopneumonia, Asthma, croup, cystic fibrosis
		Child with gastro-intestinal disorders:
		- Diarrheal diseases, gastro-esophageal reflux.
		- Hepatic disorders: Hepatitis, Indian childhood
		cirrhosis, Wilson's disease, Reyes Syndrome, Celiac Disease
		- Malabsorption syndrome, Malnutrition, Deficiency disorders
		Child with renal/ urinary tract disorders: Nephrotic
		syndrome, Nephritis, Hydronephrosis, hemolytic-uremic syndrome, ARF
		Child with cardio-vascular disorders:
		- Acquired: Rheumatic fever, Rheumatic heart disease, Kawasaki's
		disease, Cardiomyopathy
		- Congenital: Cynotic and acynotic
		Child with endocrine/metabolic disorders: Diabetes
		insipidus, Diabetes Mellitus – hyper and
		hypo thyroidism, inborn errors of metabolism
		Child with Neurological disorders: seizure disorders
		Meningitis, encephalitis, Guillian- Barre syndrome, Reyes syndrome
		Child with oncological disorders: Leukemias,
		Lymphomas, Wilms' tumor,
		neuroblastomas, Rhabdomyosarcoma, retinoblastoma,
		hepatoblastoma, bone tumors, brain tumors
		Child with blood disorders: Anemias, thalassemias,

hemophilia, polycythemia, thrombocytopenia, and disseminated intravascular coagulation • Child with skin disorders: scabies, staphylococeal scalded skin syndrome, vascular lesions • Common Eye and ENT disorders – congenital malformations, otitis media • Common Communicable diseases: TB, Polio, Diptheria, pertusis, tetanus, chicken pox, measles, mumps, rubella, HIV/AIDS, H₁N₁, Chikkun gunia, leptospirosis, dengue, IMN Ш 50 **Surgical conditions EF 20** Assessment(including interpretation of various invasive and non-invasive diagnostic procedures), treatment modalities including cosmetic surgery and nursing interventions in selected pediatric surgical problems/ Disorders • Gastrointestinal system: Cleft lip, cleft palate and conditions requiring plastic surgery, Tracheo esophageal fistula/atresia, Hirschsprungs' disease/megacolon, malrotation, intestinal obstruction, duodenal atresia, pyloric stenosis, gastrochisis, exomphalus, anorectal malformation, omphalocele, diaphragmatic hernia • Anomalies of the nervous system: Spina bifida, Meningocele, Myelomeningocele, hydrocephalus • Anomalies of the genito-urinary system: Hypospadias, Epispadias, Undescended Exstrophy testes, bladder Obstructive uropathy, Hydronephrosis, • Anomalies of the skeletal system – Talipus, Hip dislocation • Nursing management of the child with traumatic injuries: General principles of managing Pediatric trauma - Head injury, abdominal injury, poisoning, foreign body obstruction, burns - Bites & Stinges Organ transplantation Liver Kidney

• Management of stomas, catheters and tubes

		Management of wounds and drainages
IV	20	Intensive care for pediatric clients
		Resuscitation, and post resuscitation management
		Care of critically ill child – physical, physiological, psychological
		Legal and ethical issues in pediatric intensive care
		Intensive care procedures, central line, intra osteus, endotracheal
		intubation, tracheostomy care, peritoneal dialysis
		Documentation- ICU flow sheet
V	10	Administration and management of pediatric care unit
		Design & layout
		Staffing,
		Equipment, supplies,
		Norms, policies and protocols
		Practice standards for pediatric care unit
		Organization of neonatal care, services(Levels), transport,
		neonatal intensive care unit, organization and
		management of nursing services in NICU
		Documentation
VI	5	Education and training in Pediatric care Staff orientation, training and development,
		In-service education program,
		Clinical teaching programs.

Practical

Total = 1450 Hours

1 Week = 48 Hours

Sl.No	Dept/ Unit	No. Of Weeks
1.	Pediatric Medical I.C.U	4
2.	Pediatric Surgical I.C.U	5
3.	NICU	2
4.	Pediatric OT	3
5.	Pediatric Medical Ward	5
6.	Pediatric Surgical Ward	5
7.	Emergency/ Casualty	6
	Total	30

Theory weighta	ge	Practical weightag	e
Sessional exams (30)	50%	Ongoing assessment	40%
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Essential

I. Procedures to be Observed:

- Echo cardiogram
- Ultrasound
- ROP screening (Retinopathy of prematurity)
- Any other

II. Procedures to be Assisted

- Advanced neonatal life support
- Lumbar Puncture
- · Arterial Blood Gas
- ECG Recording

III. Procedures to be Performed:

- Airway Management
- Application of Oro Pharyngeal Airway
- Oxygen therapy
- CPAP(Continuous Positive Airway Pressure)
- Care of Tracheostomy
- Endotracheal Intubation
- Neonatal Resuscitation
- Monitoring of Neonates clinically & with monitors, CRT(Capillary

Refill Time), assessment of jaundice

• Gastric Lavage

Assignments

Clinical presentations

Clinical teaching

Patient care profile

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CLINICAL SPECIALTY-11

MENTAL HEALTH (PSYCHIATRIC) NURSING-11

Placement- II Year

Hours of Instruction

Theory -150 Hrs Practical -1450 Hrs. Total -1600 Hrs.

Resource Persons

Psychiatric Nursing Faculty-100 Hrs
Psychiatrist -30 Hrs
Psychologist -10 Hrs
Psychiatric social worker-10 Hrs

Course Description:

The course is designed to develop in depth knowledge in advanced concepts in psychiatry and psychiatric nursing and apply this knowledge in rendering comprehensive care to clients in different settings by collaborating psychiatric nursing with other disciplines and to assume expanded roles as nurse therapist, counselor educator, administrator and researcher in various settings.

Objectives:

- 1. Demonstrate advanced skills and competence in nursing management of patients with mental disorders in various settings.
- 2. Identify and care for special groups like children, adolescents, women, elderly abused and neglected, people living with HIV/AIDS.
- 3. Identify and manage psychiatric emergencies
- 4. Provide nursing care to critically ill patients with mental disorders.
- 5. Utilize the recent technology and various treatment modalities in management of patients with mental disorders.
- 6. Demonstrate skills in carrying out crisis intervention.
- 7. Incorporate evidence based nursing practices and identify the areas of research in the field of psychiatric nursing.
- 8. Prepare, design and layout for psychiatric units/emergency units.
- 9. Teach psychiatric nursing to undergraduate students.
- 10. Plan and organize in service education programmes in psychiatric nursing.

UNIT	TIME (HRS)	CONTENT
I	10	CRISIS INTERVENTION
		Crisis: definition, types, phases.
		Crisis Intervention strategies
		Prevention of crises.
		Role of crisis intervention
		Effects of disaster, war violence, terrorism, trauma in
		individuals and group.
		 Post traumatic stress disorder(PTSD)
II	15	PSYCHIATRIC EMERGENCIES
	(Psychi-5)	Common psychiatric emergencies and management.
		The Suicidal Client
		Epidemiological factors
		Risk factors
		 Predisposing factors: theories of suicide,
		biological, psychological, sociological
		Nursing management
III	5	MEDICAL CONDITIONS DUE TO
	(Psychi-5)	PSYCHOLOGICAL FACTORS
		• Asthma
		Coronary heart disease
		Cancer peptic ulcer
		Essential hypetension
		Migraine head ache
		Rheumatoid arthritis
		Ulcerative colitis
		Treatment and nursing management
IV	10	SOMATOFORM AND SLEEP DISORDERS
		Somatoform Disorders
		Historical aspects
		Epidemiology
		Pain disorders

		Hypochondriasis
		Conversion disorders
		Body dysmorphic disorders
		Sleep Disorders
		Treatment modalities and nursing management
V	5	DISSOCIATIVE DISORDERS AND MANAGEMENT
		Historical aspects
		Epidemiological factors
		Treatment modalities and nursing management
VI	5	SEXUAL AND GENDER IDENTITY DISORDERS
		Development of human Sexuality
		Sexual Disorders
		Variation in sexual orientation
		Treatment and nursing management
VII	5	EATING DISORDERS
		Epidemiological factors
		Predisposing factors: Anorexia Nervosa
		Bulimia Nervosa and obesity
		 Psychopharmacology
		Treatment and nursing management
VIII	5	ADJUSTMENT AND IMPULSE CONTROL DISORDERS
		Epidemiological factors
		Adjustment disorders
		Impulse Control Disorders
		Treatment and nursing management
IX	15	PERSONALITY DISORDERS
	(Psychi-5)	Epidemiological factors
		Types of Personality Disorders
		 Paranoid Personality Disorder
		 Schizoid Personality Disorder
		 Antisocial Personality disorder
		 Borderline Personality Disorder
		 Histrionic Personality Disorder

		 Narcissistic Personality Disorder
		 Avoidance Personality Disorder
		 Dependent Personality Disorder
		 Obsessive -compulsive Personality Disorder
		 Passive -Aggressive Personality Disorder
		Identification, diagnosis, symptoms
		 Psychopharmacology
		Treatment and nursing management
X	20	DISORDERS OF INFANCY, CHILDHOOD, AND
	(Psychi.10)	ADOLESCENCE
		Review of theories of child and adolescent development
		Psychiatric illness in children and adolescents- concepts
		General response
		Mental retardation
		- Predisposing factors
		- Management
		Prevention
		Rehabilitation
		Autistic disorders
		Attention deficit hyper active disorders
		Tourette's disorders
		Separation anxiety disorders
		Conduct Disorders
		Mixed Disorders of conduct and emotion
		Disorders of social functioning with onset specific to
		childhood and adolescence.
		Tic disorders
		Other emotional and behavioural disorders with onset
		usually occurring in childhood and adolescence.
XI	10	GERIATRIC MENTAL HEALTH
	(Psychi-5)	Theories of ageing
		Biological, psychological, and socio-cultural aspects of
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		Special concerns of elderly population.	
		Psychiatric problems among elderly population.	
		Treatment and nursing management.	
		Rehabilitation	
XII	5	WOMEN AND MENTAL HEALTH	
	(Psycho.)	Psychological problems related to menstruation,	
		menopause, conception, pregnancy and puerperium.	
		Counseling- premarital, marital, and genetic	
		Other psychosocial problems.	
XIII	5	CLIENT WITH HIV/AIDS	
	(Psycho-5)	Psycho- social problems of clients with HIV/AIDS	
		• Counseling	
		Nursing management	
XIV	10	COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH NURSING	
	(PSW-5H)	Concepts and models of community mental health	
		The community as Client	
		o Primary Prevention	
		o Populations at Risk	
		 Secondary prevention 	
		o Tertiary Prevention	
		The Role of the Nurse	
		National Mental Health programme (NMHP)	
		District Mental Health Programme (DMHP)	
		Community mental health centers: organization and	
		functions.	
XV	5	CLIENTS WITH LIFE THRETENING ILLNESSNESS	
		Loss and bereavement	
		Stages of grief and grief response	
		Adaptive and mal adaptive response to grief	
		Psychosocial concerns of clients and families with life	
		threatening and debilitating illnesses	
		Nursing management	

XVI	5	PROBLEMS RELATED TO ABUSE , VIOLENCE AND		
		NEGLECT		
		Vulnerable groups, Women, Children, elderly,		
		psychiatric patients, under privileged, differentially able.		
		Prevention and management		
		Counseling		
XVII	5	PSYCHOSOCIAL REHABILITATION		
	(PSW)	Principles of rehabilitation		
		Disability assessment		
		Community based rehabilitation		
		 Day care centers 		
		 Half way homes 		
		 Sheltered workshops 		
		 Correctional homes 		
		 Self help groups 		
		Training and support to care givers		
		• Role of nurse		
XVIII	5	ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT OF		
		PSYCHIATRIC UNITS		
		INCLUDING EMERGENCY UNITS		
		Design & layout		
		Planning, equipment, staffing and budgeting		
		 Norms, policies and protocols for management of 		
		psychiatric patients in different settings		
		Quality assurance		
		Documentation		
XIX	5	EDUCATION AND RESEARCH IN PSYCHIATRIC CARE		
		In-service education programmes		
		Clinical teaching programs.		
		• Scope, problems, and future perspectives of research in		
		psychiatric nursing		
		Evidence based practice		

PRACTICAL

Total -1450 Hours

SL NO	AREA OF POSTING	NO. OF WEEKS
1	Acute psychiatric ward	4
2	Chronic psychiatric ward	4
3	De- addiction unit	2
4	Psychiatric emergency unit	4
5	OPD	3
6	Child psychiatric unit and child guidance clinic	2
7	Family psychiatry	2
8	Filed visits	2
9	Rehabilitation/ occupational therapy	2
10	Community mental health	4
11	In-service education programme	1
	Total	30

^{*}NIMHANS, Bangalore -8 weeks posting to be included in the area of posting

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

• History taking - Weekly one

• Mental Status Examination - Weekly one

• Nursing care plan - Weekly one

• Psycho education - 1

• Case presentation - 4

• Case study - 2

- Participating in various therapies Phramco therapy, ECT, Social/recreation therapy
- Family therapy
- Group therapy
- Counseling
- Cognitive Behavioral therapy
- Project work based on community care setting
- Field visits
- Play therapy

Method of Evaluation

Theory	Weightage
Sessional examinations – 3	50 %
Seminar	25 %
Term paper – 1	25 %
Total	100%
Practical	
Ongoing clinical evaluation	30 %
Clinical assignments	20 %
Project	20 %
Internal practical examination	30 %
Total	100%

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CLINICAL SPECIALITY - II

OBSTETRIC AND GYNAECOLOGICAL NURSING-II

Placement: II year

Hours of Instruction

Theory:150 hours

External- 50 hours

Internal- 100 hours

Practical: 1450 hours

Total:1600Hours.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course is designed to assist students in developing expertise and in depth understanding in the field of Obstetric and Gynaecological Nursing. It will help the student to develop advanced nursing skills for nursing interventions in various obstetrical and gynaecological conditions. It will further enable the students to function as midwifery nurse practitioner/specialist, educator, manager and researcher in the field of obstetric and gynecological nursing.

Objectives

At the end of the course the student will be able to:

- 1. Describe the epidemiology, etiology, pathophysiology and diagnostic assessment of women with obstetric and gynaecological conditions.
- 2. Demonstrate competence in caring for women with obstetrical and gynaecological conditions
- 3. Demonstrate competence in caring for high risk newborn.
- 4. Identify and manage obstetrical and neonatal emergencies as per protocol
- 5. Practice infection control measures
- 6. Utilize recent technology and various diagnostic, therapeutic modalities in the management of obstetrical, gynaecological and neonatal care
- 7. Demonstrate skill in handling various equipments/gadgets used for obstetrical, gynaecological and neonatal care
- 8. Teach and supervise nurses and allied health workers
- 9 .Design a layout of specialty units of obstetrics and gynaecology
- 10 .Develop standards for obstetrical and gynaecological nursing practice.

- 11 .Counsel women and families
- 12. Incorporate evidence based nursing practice and identify the areas of research in the field of obstetrical and gynaecological nursing
- 13. Function as independent midwifery nurse practitioner

Unit	Hours	Content
Ι	25	Management of problems of women during pregnancy
	EF8	Risk approach- obstetrical nursing care concepts & goals
		Screening of high-risk pregnancy, newer modalities of diagnosis.
		Nursing management of high risk pregnancies
		Pernicious Vomiting
		Bleeding in early pregnancy, abortion, ectopic pregnancy, and
		gestational trophoblostic diseases.
		Bleeding during late pregnancy: antepartum hemorrhage-
		placenta praevia, abruptio placenta
		 Hypertensive disorders in pregnancy-Gestational hypertention,
		pre-eclampsia, eclampsia,)
		Iso-immune disease, Rh & ABO incompatibility
		Hematological problems in pregnancy
		Hydramnios , oligohydramnios
		 Prolonged pregnancy-post term, post maturity
		Multiple pregnancy.
		• Intra uterine growth retardation (IUGR), Premature Rupture of
		Membrane(PROM).
		• Intra uterine death,Loss, grief & bereavement.
II	15	Pregnancies at risk-due to pre-existing health problems
	EF8	Diabetes Mellitus
		Anemia and nutritional deficiencies
		> Hepatitis
		Cardio-vascular disease
		Thyroid diseases
		➤ Epilepsy
		Haematological disorders
		Chronic renal failure
		Tropical diseases

		➤ Psychiatric disorders			
		➤ Infections- Toxoplasmosis, Rubella, Cytomegalo virus, Herpes			
		(TORCH), STD, HIV/AIDS, vaginal infections, Leprosy, Tuberculosis.			
		> Other risk factors: Age-Adolescents, elderly; unwed mothers, sexual			
		abuse, substance use.			
		> Pregnancies complicating with tumors, uterine anomalies, prolapse,			
		ovarian cyst.			
III	20	Abnormal labour, & obstetrical emergencies			
	EF10	Etiology, pathophysiology and nursing management of			
		Uncoordinated uterine actions- Atony of uterus, Preterm			
		labour,precipitate labour, prolonged labour			
		Abnormal presentations.			
		Contracted pelvis-CPD; dystocia			
		Obstetrical emergencies- obstetrical shock, vasa praevia, inversion of			
		uterus, amniotic fluid embolism, rupture uterus, cord presentation and			
		prolapse cord.			
		Medical and surgical induction			
		Obstetrical operation: Forceps delivery, Ventouse, Caesarian section,			
		Destructive operations			
		Genital tract injuries-Perineal tear, VVF, RVF			
		Complications of third stage of labour:			
		Post partum Hemorrhage			
		Retained placenta, adherent placenta			
		Manual removal of placenta			
		Critical care in obstetrics- role of the nurse			
IV	15	High risk Puerperium			
	EF5	Nursing management of			
		Puerperal infections, puerperal sepsis, urinary			
		complications, venous thrombosis, Thrombophlebitis and			
		pulmonary embolism.			
		Sub involution of uterus			
		Breast complications.			
		Psychological complications-Postpartum blues, depression,			

		psychosis.	
V	25	High Risk Newborn	
	EF8	- Concept, goals, assessment, principles.	
		- Nursing management of	
		• Pre-term, small for gestational age, post-mature infant and baby of	
		diabetic and substance use mothers.	
		• Respiratory complications; Asphyxia neonatorum, neonatal apnoea,	
		meconium aspiration syndrome, pneumo thorax, pneumo	
		mediastinum.	
		Icterus neonatorum.	
		Birth injuries.	
		Hypoxic ischaemic encephalopathy.	
		Congenital anomalies.	
		 Neonatal seizures. 	
		Neonatal hypocalcaemia, hypoglycemia, hypomagnesaemia.	
		 Neonatal heart diseases. 	
		Neonatal hemolytic diseases.	
		• Neonatal infections, neonatal sepsis, opthalmia neonatorum.	
		Congenital syphilis, HIV/ AIDS.	
		• Hematological conditions – erythroblastosis fetalis, hemorrhagic	
		disorders in newborn.	
		• Organization of neonatal care, services (Levels), transport, neonatal	
		intensive care unit, organization and management of nursing services	
		in NICU	
		Advanced neonatal procedures.	
		Calculation of fluid requirements	
VI	15	HIV / AIDS	
	EF4	HIV positive mother and her baby	
		Epidemiology	
		• Screening	
		• Parent to child transmission (PTCT)	
		 Prophylaxis for mother and baby 	
		Standard safety measures	

		• Counseling		
		Breast feeding issues		
		National policies and guidelines		
		Issues: Legal, ethical, psychological and rehabilitation		
		Role of nurse		
VII	25	Gynecological problems and nursing management		
	EF7	Gynaecological assessment, Psychosocial factors of gynaecologic care.		
		Gynaecological procedures.		
		Etiology, pathophysiology, diagnosis, and nursing management of		
		- Menstrual irregularities		
		- Menopause		
		- Diseases of genital tract		
		- Endometriosis, Adenomyosis		
		-Displacement of the uterus		
		-Genital prolapse		
		-Uterine malformation-		
		-Uterinefibroid, ovariantumors, PID,		
		reproductive tract malignancies,		
		-Hysterectomy-Abdominal and vaginal		
		- Laparoscopic surgery		
VIII	5	Administration and management of obstetrical and gynaecological unit		
		Design and layout		
		• Staffing		
		• Equipment, supplies,		
		Infection control; Standard safety measures		
		• Quality Assurance: Obstetric auditing – records / reports, norms,		
		policies and protocols		
		Practice standards for obstetrical and gynaecolgical unit.		
IX	5	Education and training in obstetrical and gynaecological care		
		Staff orientation, training, and development		
		In-service education programme		
		Clinical teaching programs		

Practical

Total = 1450 Hours

1 Week=48 hours

Sl.No	Dept./Unit	Weeks
1	Antenatal OPD including infertility clinics/	2
	Reproductive medicine, Family welfare and	
	post partum clinic / PPTCT	
2	Antenatal	4
3	Labour Room	5
4	Post natal ward	5
5	Obstetric / Gynae Operation Theatre	2
6	Gynaec Ward	2
7	Post operative ward	6
8	Neonatal Intensive Care Unit	2
9	Community midwifery	2
	Total	30

Procedures to be observed

- Ultra sonography
- MRI

Procedures to be assisted

- Assisted Reproductive technology procedures.
- Amniocentesis.
- Cervical & vaginal cytology.
- Fetoscopy.
- Hysteroscopy
- Surgical diathermy.
- Cryosurgery.
- Obstetric & Gynaecological operations
- Abnormal deliveries Forceps application, Ventouse, Breech
- High risk cases- 30
- Exchange blood transfusion
- Culdocscopy

- Cystoscopy
- Laproscopy
- Endometrial Biopsy
- Tubal patent test
- Chemotherapy
- Radiation therapy
- Dilatation & Curettage
- Hysterectomy- Abdominal, Vaginal
- Caesarean Section

Procedures to be performed

- High risk antenatal assessment : 20
- High risk intranatal assessment : 20
- High risk postnatal assessment : 20
- High risk new born assessment : 20
- Pelvic examination
- Assessment of foetal well being Biochemical ,biophysical
- Per Vaginal examination pregnancy, labour, post partum.
- Medical & Surgical induction
- Conduct of delivery
- Episiotomy suturing
- Postnatal assessment
- Post natal Counseling
- High risk new born assessment; physical and neurological
- Neonatal resuscitation
- Gastric Lavage of newborn
- Kangaroo mother care.
- Feeding technique: naso /orogastric, Total parenteral nutrition.
- Chest physiotherapy
- Setting of operation theatre.
- Pap smear
- Vaginal smear
- Insertion of pessaries

- Insertion of IUD and removal
- Care of new born in ventilator and incubator
- Plan and organize in service education programme for staff nurses
- Critical analysis of selected research studies.

Assignments

• Nursing care analysis - 5

• Nursing care studies - 5

Antenatal

Intranatal

Postnatal

Newborn

Gynaecology

• Clinical profile - 5 clinical conditions

• Clinical teaching 10

• Planned health education - 5

• Design floor plan of obstetric unit. - 1

Evaluation Methods

- Assignments
- Theory & Practical Exam
- Ongoing evaluation
- Record of practical work

Theory	Weightage	Practical	Weightage
Tests (3)	50%	Ongoing evaluation	50%
Assignments	25%	Clinical assignment	25%
Seminars	25%	Int. Practical exam	25%
Total	100%	Total	100%

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CLINICAL SPECIALITY – II COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSING - II

Placement – II year Hours of Instruction

Theory:150hours External:-20hours Internal:-130hours

Practical :1450hours Total :1600 hours

Course Description

This course is designed to facilitate students to gain indepth knowledge and develop skill in the administration and management of community health services. It will further enable students to develop leadership qualities and practice as a community health nurse specialist, educator, researcher and manager.

Objectives:

On completion of the course student will be able to:

- **1.** Review the health planning in India
- 2. Explain the administration and organization of health system in India
- 3. Plan, organize, implement and evaluate community-oriented programs
- 4. Participate effectively as a team member in the health planning at local, regional, state and national level
- 5. Apply epidemiological concepts and principles in community health nursing practice
- 6. Demonstrate leadership qualities in the field of community health nursing
- 7. Supervise and guide the nursing personnel working in community health settings
- 8. Demonstrate competencies in guiding undergraduate students in community health nursing specialty
- 9. Conduct individual and group research projects in the field of community health nursing.
- 10. Demonstrate competency in providing independent family centered nursing care
- 11. Teach and supervise community health nurses and allied health workers

COURSE CONTENT:

Unit	Hours	Content	
I	20	Health Planning and Management:	
	(EF	Planning, purpose, advantages of planning, planning cycle	
	20)	Management – Types and methods	
		National development planning	
		Health planning in India	
		Health committees and recommendations	
		Planning commission	
		• Five year plans	
		National Health Policies	
		Health system in India at centre, state, district and local level	
		Panchayati Raj and rural development	
		• Health economics – definition, concepts, financing in health care	
		sector	
		 Evaluation of health services 	
II	20	Health care delivery system in India:	
		Concept of health care	
		Levels of health care	
		• Primary health care - integration of primary health care in	
		developing countries	
		HFA concept, Millennium Development Goals	
		Indian public health standards	
		Concept of health promotion	
		• Health care delivery system: Urban, rural, national, state, district,	
		CHC, PHC,Referral system.	
		• sub centre – functions, staffing, patterns of assistance, roles and	
		responsibilities of DPHN	
		• Critical review of functioning at different levels, evaluation studies,	
		recommendations and nursing perspectives	
		Alternative systems of medicine	
		Health agencies: NGOs; roles and functioning	
		Intersectoral coordination	

		Public private partnership		
		Challenges of health care delivery system		
III	25	National Health Programmes and Health Services in India:		
111	23	Objectives, Organization/manpower/resources. Activities, Goals		
		Review and critique of national health programs and services –		
		responsibilities of community health nurse		
		❖ National vector borne diseases control program		
		❖ National filariasis control program		
		❖ National leprosy eradication program		
		 Revised national TB control program 		
		 National program for control of blindness 		
		 National iodine deficiency disorders control program 		
		 National mental health program 		
		❖ National AIDS control program		
		 National cancer control control program 		
		RCH I and II		
		❖ Noncommunicable disase programs		
		❖ NRHM		
		❖ Integrated disease surveillance program		
		 School health services 		
		❖ Adolescent health		
		 National family welfare program 		
IV	15	Occupational Health:		
		• Introduction: Trends, issues, definition, aims, objectives, workplace		
		safety		
		Ergonomics and solutions		
		Occupational environment – physical, social		
		 Occupational hazards for different categories of workers – physical, 		
		chemical, biological, mechanical, accidents.		
		Occupational diseases and disorders		
		 Measures for health promotion of workers; prevention and control of 		
		occupational diseases, disability limitation and rehabilitation		
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		Women and occupational health			
		Health education and counseling			
		Violence at workplace			
		Child labour			
		Disaster preparedness and management H. O. H. WHO. H. WHO. H. W. WHO.			
		• Legal issues: legislation, labour unions, ILO and WHO			
		recommendations, factories act, ESI act			
		Occupational health team			
		Role of community health nurse			
V	10	Community Geriatrics:			
		Concept, trends, problems and issues			
		Aging process and changes			
		Theories of aging			
		Health problems and needs			
		 Psycho-physiological stressors and disorders 			
		Myths and facts of aging			
		Health assessment			
		Home for aged – various agencies			
		Rehabilitation of elderly			
		Care of elderly			
		Elderly abuse			
		Training and supervision of care givers			
		 Government welfare measures and programmes for elderly, role of 			
		N.G.Os.			
		Roles and responsibilities of geriatric nurse in the community			
VI	10	Community Mental Health			
		Magnitude, trends and issues			
		National mental health program—community mental health program			
		The changing focus of care			
		The public health model			
		 Case management – collaborative care 			
		Crisis intervention			
		Welfare agencies			

		Population at risk		
		• The community as client		
		Primary prevention		
		Secondary prevention		
		Tertiary prevention		
		Community based rehabilitation		
		Human rights of mentally ill		
		Substance abuse		
		Mentally challenged groups		
		Role of community health nurse		
VII	10	Community Rehabilitation:		
		Introduction: Concepts, principles, trends, issues		
		Rehabilitation team		
		Models, methods		
		Community based rehabilitation		
		• Ethical issues		
		Rehabilitation council of India		
		Disability and rehabilitation – use of various prosthetic devices		
		Psychosocial rehabilitation		
		Rehabilitation of chronic diseases		
		Restorative rehabilitation		
		Vocational rehabilitation		
		Role of voluntary organizations		
		Guidance and counseling		
		Welfare measures		
		 Role and responsibilities of community health nurse 		
VIII	20	Community Health Nursing Administration and management:		
		Organization of community health nursing practice		
		Design of sub centre, Primary health centre and Community health		
		centre		
		• Staffing, supervision and monitoring – performance appraisal		
		 Leadership and team approach 		
		Budgeting		

		Material management
		 Quality assurance – standards, protocols, policies and procedures
		Nursing audit
		Public relations
		Documentation and reporting
		Planning in-service educational programme and teaching
		Roles and responsibilities of personnel in community health
		• Training of various categories of health workers- preparation of
		manuals
IX	15	International Health:
		Global burden of disease
		Global health rules to halt disease spread
		Global health priorities and programmes
		International quarantine
		Health tourism
		International co-operation and assistance
		International travel and trade
		Health and food legislation
		International health regulations
		Migration
		International health agencies
		International health issues and problems
		International nursing practice standards
		International health vis-à-vis national health
		International health days and their significance
X	5	Community Oriented Research
		 Need for research in community health nursing
		 Critical review of the selected research studies in community health
		nursing

PRACTICAL

Total = 1450 Hours

1 Week = 48 Hours

Sl.	Department/unit	No. of weeks		
No				
1	Urban and rural community	8 weeks		
2	Sub centre	4 weeks		
3	PHC – Participation in all the relevant health programmes	8 weeks		
4	Administration of PHC, CHC and District Office	4 weeks		
5	Psychiatric unit and community mental health centers	2 weeks		
6	Home for the aged and hospice	1 week		
7	Community rehabilitation centres and Occupational health unit	1 week		
8	Rural health training centre	2 weeks		
	Total 30 weeks			

Categorization of practical activities

Observation Visits

- MCH office and DPHN Office
- CHC /First Referral Unit (FRU)
- Child guidance clinic
- Institute for mentally challenged
- District TB centre
- Community based rehabilitation unit
- Cancer centers
- Palliative care
- Home of old age
- Community Mental health units
- De-addiction centers

- Selected industrial health centers
- ESI unit
- Municipality / Corporation office

Assisted activities

- Laparoscopic sterilization
- Vasectomy
- Monitoring of national health and family welfare programmes
- School health programmes

Activities to be performed

- Conduct various clinics
- School health assessment
- Specific Health survey
- Health assessment
- Drug administration as per the Govt. protocols(MDA and Malarial drug administration)
- Treatment of minor ailments
- Investigating outbreak of epidemic
- Screening for leprosy, TB and non-communicable disease
- Counselling services
- Report writing- Monthly report of subcentre and PHC
- Referrals
- Material management requisition for indent, condemnation, inventory maintenance,
- Supervision of various categories of personnel
- Organize one in service education Programmes to JPHN/LHI/LHS
- Liaison with NGO's

Method of Evaluation

Theory	Weightage
Sessional examinations (3)	50 %
Seminars	25%
Term paper-1	25%
Total	100%
Practical	
Ongoing clinical evaluation	30%
Internal practical examination	25%
Clinical Assignments	45%
Total	100%

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Annexure-1

Proforma for Submission of M. Sc Nursing Dissertation Proposal/

Synopsis

1. Name & Address of Student:

II.) Synopsis of the study (maximum 4-6 pages)

	2. Email ID of the Student:		
	3. Registration Number:		
	4. Name & Address of Recognized Institution:		
	5. Title of the Dissertation:		
	6. Name of the Guide:		
	7. Address, phone number and E-mail ID of the Guide:		
	8. Educational Qualification of the Guide:		
	9. Experience of teacher in guiding postgraduate students. (in years):		
	10. Experience of teacher in guiding M.Phil/Ph.D students if any. (in years):		
	11. Synopsis of the study: Attached – Yes/No		
Date:	Signature of the Guide		
Enclos	sures:		
I.) Bio	o- Data of the Guide		

Proposal/Synopsis Outline

- 1. Title
- 2. Background /significance of the problem.
- 3. Purpose of the study
- 4. Statement of the problem
- 5. Objectives of the study
- 6. Operational Definitions
- 7. Conceptual Framework
- 8. Assumptions/ Hypotheses
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