



Module (Course Syllabus) Catalogue 2023-2024

College/ Institute	Bachelor's degree		
Department	Physiotherapy		
Module Name	Physiotherapy for Geriatric and Women		
Module Code	PHG802		
Semester	8 th semester		
Credits	6 ECTS		
Module type	Prerequisite Core	e Assist.	
Weekly hours			
Weekly hours (Theory)	(2)hr Class	(2)hr Workload	
Weekly hours (Practical)	(2)hr Class (4)hr Workload		
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Course Book

Course Description	This course provides in-depth and up to date information about Geriatrics Physical Therapy Covers Implications and Physiology of Age-Related and Lifestyle-Related Decline. These will include the impact of aging on different systems e.g. (the cardiovascular, pulmonary, the Musculoskeletal, and the central and peripheral nervous systems). This course will provide the student with the components of a patient medical history and principle of geriatric assessment according to the International Classification of Functioning, Disability and Health (ICF).
Course objectives	1. Identify the demographic trends affecting mortality and morbidity in the aging population. 2. Discuss the physiological changes that occur with aging on different systems (the cardiovascular, pulmonar, the Musculoskeletal, and the central and peripheral nervous) 3. Explain principle and concept of geriatric assessment including the International Classification of Functioning, Disability and Health (ICF. 4. Design a therapeutic plan for any selected case among elderly with prioritized problem (s), prioritized SMART goals, justified physical therapy modalities, and rational outcome measure (s) and suitable time frame according to relevant articles.
Student's obligation	Students should prepare their materials.Lab coat required during lab.
	Preparation of seminar, poster, report.
Required Learning	
Materials	 □ Lectures provide an introduction and summary of the topic area. Seminars/group work include discussion and use of information provided to support learning. □ Additionally, students are expected to engage in self - study. Their study time will be required to research and critically appraise information and to prepare for the module assessments.
	Scheduled learning includes lectures, seminars, practical skills sessions. Independent learning includes hours engaged with essential reading, poster preparation linking with the management approach selected for review. Use of practical experience gleaned whilst on placements will also be required to support discussion during the module.
	25% Mid Term (Theory and practical) 8% Quiz
Assessment scheme	2%class activity
	10% Assignment (report, paper, seminar)
	10% Lab activity and Report
	5% homework

	20% final practical			
	20% final theory			
Specific learning outcome:	1. Examine the reason for studying geriatric physical therapy and the need for modification of treatment and approaches for this specific segment of the population.			
	2. Relate the communication changes that occur in normal aging and describe how these changes affect older adult lives and the lives of their families.			
	3. Design interventions for reducing the effect of these communication changes on performance and safety.			
	4. Select the precautions and modifications that are necessary for exercise and the use of modalities for the geriatric patient.			
	5. Identify modifications in the treatment or training programs of the older adult patient with cardiopulmonary changes/disease.			
	6. Identify the types of cancer that commonly occur in the older adult population. Identify physical therapy interventions for patients with these types of cancer.			
	7. Discuss techniques that can enhance sexual participation for the older adult patient who may be confronted with pain, joint limitations, abnormal muscle tone, and fear of further injury.			
	8. Analyze the social and economic ramifications of our ever-growing older adult population and the impact this will have on health care in general and physical therapy specifically			
Course References:	• Guccione AA, Geriatric Physical Therapy, 3rd. Ed, Mosby 2012 • Guccione AA: Geriatric Physical Therapy, Mosby, 2 nd edition, 2000. • Multani NK.,and Verma SK.,Principles of geriatric physical therapy. Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers.1st ed.,2007. • Carole Bernstein Lewis: Aging The Health- Care Challenge, F.A.Davis Company,		nd edition, 2000. • nysical therapy. Carole Bernstein	
	Philadelphia, last edition. • Lewis C.B and BottomleyJ .Geriatric			
	Rehabilitation: A Clinical Appro	ach. Prentice Hall; 3	rd edition, 2007	
Course topics (Theor	ry)	Week	Learning Outcome	
	Rules. Assignment of head student.	1	1, 2 &5	
	information. Overview of the course			
goals and specification: Explana	tion of the students' assignment			
	information. Overview of the course	2	2,3&4	
goals and specification: Explana	tion of the students' assignment			
- Introduction in the principle o	f geriatric rehabilitation	3	1, 3, &5	

mplication of an aging population for rehabilitation : Demography, mortality, and morbidity	4	1,2,3,4&6
Age-related changes in cardiovascular system.	5	1&3
Age-related changes in pulmonary system.	6	1, 2, 4&6
Age-related changes in musculoskeletal system Sensory changes in older adults Student assignmen	7	1, 3& 5
Age-related changes in nervous system and cognition Student assignment	8	1,2&4
Physiological Response to exercise in Elderly - Principle and concept of geriatric Assessment	9	1,3,4 &5
Physiological changes of puberty and pregnancy	10	1,2&5
Stages of labar and physiological changes	11	1&5
Chronic Pelvic disorders	12	1.2.4&5
Practical Topics	Week	Learning Outcome
Establishment of Class Ground Rules. Assignment of head student. Collection of students' contact information. Overview of the course goals and specification: Explanation of the students' assignment	1	1, 2 &5
Collection of students' contact information. Overview of the course goals and specification: Explanation of the students' assignment	2	2,3&4
- Introduction in the principle of geriatric rehabilitation	3	1, 3, &5
mplication of an aging population for rehabilitation : Demography, mortality, and morbidity	4	1,2,3,4&6
Age-related changes in cardiovascular system.	5	1&3
Age-related changes in pulmonary system.	6	1, 2, 4&6
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Stages of labar and physiological changes	11	1&5
Chronic Pelvic disorders	12	1.2.4&5
Questions Example Design		
Q1- Choose the correct answer? (10 Marks	5)	
1- Radiological finding of osteoporosis:.		
A- bone space narrowing		
B- calcification at medial epicondyle		
C- decrease bone density		
D- All the above		
E- none of the above		
Q2- Filling the blanks?	(10 Marks)	
1- Principles of Geriatric rehabilitation		
A-		
B-		
C-		
D-		
E- Q3:		
Write short note on physiotherapy program of the following:	<u>.</u>	
Prime para lady pregnant.	•	
Extra notes:		
External Evaluator		