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#### **PREFACE**

All the norms prescribed by the Indian Nursing Council (INC) vide "Revised M.Sc. (N) Syllabus", are adhered to by the university and incorporated into the Ordinance. The regulations so framed are subject to modifications from time to time by INC.

To ensure seamless education and to achieve academic excellence, the University lays down further regulations, as deemed necessary. These regulations will be in addition to the norms prescribed by the regulatory body (INC).

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## **SYLLABUS AND REGULATIONS**

M.Sc. (NURSING)



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## **Philosophy**

National Health Policy(NHP) 2002 emphasizes the need to prepare nurses to function in super-speciality areas who are required in tertiary care institutions, entrusting some limited public health functions to nurses after providing adequate training, and increase the ratio of degree holding vis a vis diploma holding nurses.

It is observed that there is an acute shortage of nursing faculty in under graduate and post graduate nursing programme in India

Indian Nursing Council believes that:

Post Graduate programme is essential to prepare nurses to improve the quality of nursing education and practice in India. .

Post graduate programme in nursing builds upon and extends competence acquired at the graduate levels, emphasizes application of relevant theories into nursing practice, education, administration and development of research skills.

The programme prepares nurses for leadership position in nursing and health fields who can function as nurse specialists, consultants, educators, administrators and researchers in a wide variety of professional settings in meeting the National priorities and the changing needs of the society.

This programme provides the basis for the post masteral programme in nursing. Further the programme encourages accountability and commitment to life long learning which fosters improvement of quality care.

#### Aim

The aim of the postgraduate program in nursing is to prepare graduates to assume responsibilities as nurse specialists, consultants, educators, administrators in a wide variety of professional settings

## **Objectives**

On Completion of the two year M.Sc Nursing programme, the graduate will be able to:-

- 1. Utilize/apply the concepts, theories and principles of nursing science
- 2. Demonstrate advance competence in practice of nursing
- 3. Practice as a nurse specialist.
- 4. Demonstrate leadership qualities and function effectively as nurse educator and manager.
- 5. Demonstrate skill in conducting nursing research, interpreting and utilizing the findings from health related research.

- 6. Demonstrate the ability to plan and effect change in nursing practice and in the health care delivery system.
- 7. Establish collaborative relationship with members of other disciplines
- 8. Demonstrate interest in continued learning for personal and professional advancement.

## Other Staff (Minimum requirements)

(To be reviewed and revised and rationalized keeping in mind the mechanization and contract service)

•	Minister a) c) d) e)	rial Administrative Officer Office Superintendent PA to Principal Accountant/Cashier	1 1 1 1
•	Upper I	Division Clerk	2
•	Lower I	Division Clerk	2
•	Store Ko a) b) c) d)	eeper Maintenance of stores Classroom attendants Sanitary staff Security Staff	1 1 2 As per the physical space As per the requirement
•	Peons,	Office attendants	4
•	Library a) b)	y Librarian Library Attendants	2 As per the requirement
•	Hostel a) b) c) d) e)	Wardens Cooks, Bearers, Sanitary Staff Ayas /Peons Security Staff Gardeners & Dhobi (desirable)	2 As per the requirement As per the requirement As per the requirement Depends on structural facilities

## **Eligibility Criteria/Admission Requirements:**

- 1. The candidate should be a Registered Nurse and Registered midwife or equivalent with any State Nursing Registration Council.
- 2. The minimum education requirements shall be the passing of :

  B.Sc. Nursing / B.Sc. Hons. Nursing / Post Basic B.Sc. Nursing with minimum of 55% aggregate marks.
- 3. The candidate should have undergone in B.Sc. Nursing / B.Sc. Hons. Nursing / Post Basic B.Sc. Nursing in an institution which is recognized by Indian Nursing Council.
- 4. Minimum one year of work experience after Basic B.Sc. Nursing.
- 5. Minimum one year of work experience prior or after Post Basic B.Sc. Nursing.
- 6. Candidate shall be medically fit.
- 7. 5% relaxation of marks for SC/ST candidates may be given.

## **Entrance/Selection test**

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

## **Regulations for examination:**

#### Eligibility for appearing for the examination:

75% of the attendance for theory and practicals. However 100% of attendance for practical before the award of degree

#### Classification of results:

- 50% pass in each of the theory and practical separately.
- 50-59% Second division
- 60-74% first division
- 75% and above is distinction
- For declaring the rank aggregate of 2 years marks to be considered

If the candidate fails in either practicals or theory paper he/she has to reappear for both the papers (theory and practical)

Maximum no. of attempts per subject is three (3) 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

#### **Practicals**

- 4 hours of practical examination per student.
- Maximum number of 10 students per day per speciality.
- The examination should be held in clinical area only for clinical specialities
- One internal and external should jointly conduct practical examination
- Examiner Nursing faculty teaching respective speciality area in M.Sc nursing programme with minimum 3 years experience after M.Sc nursing.

#### Dissertation

Evaluation of the dissertation should be done by the examiner prior to viva Duration: Viva-voce -minimum 30 minutes per student

## **Guidelines for Dissertation**

Tentative Schedule for dissertation

S. No.	Activities	Scheduled Time
1.	Submission of the research proposal	End of 9 <sup>th</sup> month of 1 <sup>st</sup> year
2.	Submission of dissertation – Final	End of 9 <sup>th</sup> month of II <sup>nd</sup> Year

Note: - Administrative approval and ethical clearance should be obtained

#### A. Research Guides

#### a) Qualification of Guide

Main guide: Nursing faculty / nursing expert in the same clinical speciality 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 city.)

#### b) Guide - Students Ratio

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

#### c) Research Committee

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

#### **Duration**

Duration of the course is 2 years for M.Sc. (N)

Total hours for 2 years	3440 hours
40 hours per week	1720 hours
Total weeks available	43 weeks
Gazetted holidays	3 weeks
Examination	2 weeks
Vacation	4 weeks
Available	52 weeks

#### **Course of Instruction**

Theory

**Practical** 

	(hrs)	(hrs)
1st year		
Nursing education	150	150
Advance nursing practice	150	200
Nursing Research and statistics	150	100
*Clinical speciality –I	150	650

Total	600	1100
II nd Year	1	
Nursing Management	150	150
Nursing Research(Dissertation)		300
*Clinical Speciality-II	150	950
Total	300	1400

#### Educational visit 2 weeks

\*Clinical Speciality – Medical Surgical Nursing (Cardio Vascular & Thoracic Nursing, Critical care Nursing, Oncology Nursing, Neurosciences Nursing, Nephro-Urology Nursing, Orthopedic Nursing, Gastro Enterology Nursing,)Obstetric & Gynaecological Nursing, Child Health (Paediatric) Nursing, Mental Health(Psychiatric) Nursing, Community Health Nursing, Psychiatric (Mental Health) Nursing etc.

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

#### **Scheme of Examination**

	Theory			Practical		
1st year	Hours	Internal	External	Hours	Internal	External
Nursing education	3	25	75		50	50
Advance nursing practice	3	25	75			
Nursing Research and statistics	3	25**	75*			
Clinical speciality -I	3	25	75		100	100
Total		100	300		150	150
II nd Year						
Nursing Management	3	25	75			
Dissertation & Viva					100	100
Clinical Speciality-II	3	25	75		100	100
Total		50	150		200	200

<sup>\*</sup> Nursing research=50 and statistics=25

- 1. Minimum pass marks shall be 50 % in each of the Theory and practical papers separately.
- 2. A candidate must have minimum of 80% attendance (irrespective of the kind of absence) in theory and practical in each subject for appearing for examination.
- 3. A candidate must have 100% attendance in each of the practical areas before award of degree
- 4. A candidate has to pass in theory and practical exam separately in each of the paper.
- 5. If a candidate fails in either theory or practical paper he/she has to re-appear for both the papers (Theory and practical).
- 6. Maximum no. of attempts permitted for each paper is 3 including first attempt.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Nursing research=15 and statistics=10

- 7. The maximum period to complete the course successfully should not exceed 4 (four) years
- 8. A candidate failing in more then two subjects will not be promoted to the IInd year.
- 9. No candidate shall be admitted to the subsequent IInd year examination unless the candidate has passed the Ist year examination.
- 10. Maximum number of candidates for all practical examination should not exceed 10 per day.
- 11. Provision of Supplementary examination should be made.
- 12. All practical examinations must be held in the respective clinical areas.
- 13. One internal and One external examiners(outside the University) should jointly conduct practical examination for each student
- 14. An examiner should be M.Sc (N) in concerned subject and have minimum of 3 (three) years post graduate teaching experience.
- 15. One internal and One external examiners(outside the University) should evaluate dissertation and jointly conduct viva-voce for each student
- 16. For Dissertation Internal examiner should be the guide and external examiner should be Nursing faculty / nursing expert in the same clinical speciality 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.

#### **Admission Strength**

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

#### **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) Free medical care during illness and / provision of health insurance should be made.
- (d) A complete health record should be kept in respect of each individual students. The question of continuing the training of a student, with long term chronic illness, will be decided by the individual college.

#### **CURRICULUM**

#### NURSING EDUCATION

Placement: Ist Year

Hours of Instruction Theory 150 Hours 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 health: 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**

Units	Hours		Course Content
	Theory	Practical	
I	10		<ul> <li>Introduction:         <ul> <li>Education :Definition, aims, concepts, philosophies &amp; their education implications,</li> <li>Impact of Social, economical, political &amp; technological changes on education:</li></ul></li></ul>
II	20	30	Teaching – Learning Process  Concepts of teaching and learning: Definition, theories of teaching and learning, relationship between teaching and learning.  Educational aims and objectives; types, domains, levels, elements and writing of educational objectives  Competency based education(CBE) and outcome based education(OBE)  Instructional design: Planning and designing the lesson, writing lesson plan: meaning, its need and importance, formats.  Instruction strategies – Lecture, discussion, demonstration, simulation, laboratory, seminar, panel, symposium, problem solving, problem based learning (PBL), workshop, project, role- play(sociodrama), clinical teaching methods, programmed instruction, self directed learning(SDL), microteaching, computer assisted instruction(CAI), computer assisted learning (CAL)

Units	Hours		Course Content
	Theory	Practical	
III	10	10	<ul> <li>Instructional media and methods</li> <li>Key concepts in the selection and use of media in education</li> <li>Developing learning resource material using different media</li> <li>Instructional aids – types, uses, selection, preparation, utilization.</li> <li>Teacher's role in procuring and managing instructional Aids – Project and non-projected aids, multi media, video-tele conferencing etc</li> </ul>
IV	10		<ul> <li>Measurement and evaluation:         <ul> <li>Concept and nature of measurement and evaluation, meaning, process, purposes, problems in evaluation and measurement.</li> <li>Principles of assessment, formative and summative assessment- internal assessment external examination, advantages and disadvantages.</li> <li>Criterion and norm referenced evaluation,</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
V	12	10	<ul> <li>Standardized and non-standardized tests:         <ul> <li>Meaning, characteristics, objectivity, validity, reliability, usability, norms, construction of tests-</li> <li>Essay, short answer questions and multiple choice questions.</li> <li>Rating scales, checklist, OSCE/OSPE(Objective structured clinical/practical examination)</li> <li>Differential scales, and summated scales, sociometry, anecdotal record, attitude scale, critical incident technique</li> <li>Question bank-preparation, validation, moderation by panel, utilization</li> <li>Developing a system for maintaining confidentiality</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
VI	8	5	Administration, Scoring and Reporting  Administering a test; scoring, grading versus marks  Objective tests, scoring essay test, methods of scoring, Item analysis.
VII	12	6	Standardized Tools  Tests of intelligence aptitude, interest, personality, achievement, socio-economic status scale, tests for special mental and physical abilities and disabilities.

Units	Hours		Course Content
	Theory	Practical	
VIII	5	6	Nursing Educational programs  □ Perspectives of nursing education: Global and national.  □ Patterns of nursing education and training programmes in India. Non-university and University programs: ANM, GNM, Basic B.Sc. Nursing, Post Certificate B.Sc. Nursing, M.Sc(N) programs, M.Phil and Ph.D) in Nursing, post basic diploma programs, nurse practitioner programs.
IX	12	25	<ul> <li>Continuing Education in Nursing</li> <li>Concepts - Definition, importance, need scope, principles of adult learning, assessments of learning needs, priorities, resources.</li> <li>Program planning, implementation and evaluation of continuing education programs.</li> <li>Research in continuing education.</li> <li>Distance education in nursing.</li> </ul>
X	10	10	<ul> <li>Curriculum Development</li> <li>□ Definition, curriculum determinants, process and steps of curriculum development, Curriculum models, Types and framework.</li> <li>□ Formulation of philosophy, objectives, selection and organization of learning experiences; master plan, course plan, unit plan.</li> <li>□ Evaluation strategies, process of curriculum change, role of students, faculty, administrators, statutory bodies and other stakeholders.</li> <li>□ Equivalency of courses: Transcripts, credit system.</li> </ul>
XI	8	4	<ul> <li>Teacher preparation</li> <li>Teacher – roles &amp; responsibilities, functions, characteristics, competencies, qualities,</li> <li>Preparation of professional teacher</li> <li>Organizing professional aspects of teacher preparation programs</li> <li>Evaluation: self and peer</li> <li>Critical analysis of various programs of teacher education in India.</li> </ul>

Units	Hours		Course Content
	Theory	Practical	
XII	10	5	Guidance and counseling  □ Concept, principles, need, difference between guidance and counseling, trends and issues.  □ 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.
XIII	15	10	<ul> <li>Administration of Nursing Curriculum</li> <li>Role of curriculum coordinator – planning, implementation and evaluation.</li> <li>Evaluation of educational programs in nursing-course and program.</li> <li>Factors influencing faculty staff relationship and techniques of working together.</li> <li>Concept of faculty supervisor (dual) position.</li> <li>Curriculum research in nursing.</li> <li>Different models of collaboration between education and service</li> </ul>
XIV	10		Management of nursing educational institutions  □ Planning, organizing, staffing, budgeting, recruitment, discipline, public relation, performance appraisal, welfare services, library services, hostel,
XV	5	5	<ul> <li>Development and maintenance of standards and accreditation in nursing education programs.</li> <li>Role of Indian Nursing Council, State Registration Nursing Councils, Boards and University.</li> <li>Role of Professional associations and unions.</li> </ul>

#### **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.

- Educational visits.
- Field visits (INC/SNRC) to get familiar with recognition/registration process.
- 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**

Techniques	Weightage
Test- (2 tests)	50
Assignment	25
Seminar/presentation	25
	100

#### **Practical - Internal assessment**

Learning resource material	25
Practice Teaching	50
Conduct Workshop	25
/Short Term Course	

## **Practical - external assessment**

Practice teaching- 1-	50
Preparation/use of learning resource material-1	25
Construction of tests/rotation plan.	25

#### ADVANCE NURSING PRACTICE

Placement: 1ST Year

Hours of Instruction Theory 150 Hours Practical 200 Hours

Total: 350 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. Appreciate and analyze the development of nursing as a profession.
- 2. Describe ethical, legal, political and economic aspects of health care delivery and 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. Describe scope of nursing practice.
- 6. Provide holistic and competent nursing care following nursing process approach.
- 7. Identify latest trends in nursing and the basis of advance nursing practice.
- 8. Perform extended and expanded role of nurse.
- 9. Describe alternative modalities of nursing care.
- 10. Describe the concept of quality control in nursing.
- 11. Identify the scope of nursing research.
- 12. Use computer in patient care delivery system and nursing practice.
- 13. Appreciate importance of self-development and professional advancement.

## **Course Content**

Unit	Hours	Content
I	10	Nursing as a Profession
		<ul> <li>History of development of nursing profession, characteristics, criteria of the profession, perspective of nursing profession-national, global</li> <li>Code of ethics(INC), code of professional conduct(INC), autonomy and accountability, assertiveness, visibility of nurses, legal considerations,</li> <li>Role of regulatory bodies</li> <li>Professional organizations and unions-self defense, individual and collective bargaining</li> <li>Educational preparations, continuing education, career opportunities, professional advancement &amp; role and scope of nursing education.</li> <li>Role of research, leadership and management.</li> <li>Quality assurance in nursing (INC).</li> <li>Futuristic nursing.</li> </ul>
II	5	Health care delivery
11	J	<ul> <li>Health care environment, economics, constraints, planning process, policies, political process vis a vis nursing profession.</li> <li>Health care delivery system- national, state, district and local level.</li> <li>Major stakeholders in the health care system-Government, non-govt, Industry and other professionals.</li> <li>Patterns of nursing care delivery in India.</li> <li>Health care delivery concerns, national health and family welfare programs, inter-sectoral coordination, role of non-governmental agencies.</li> <li>Information, education and communication (IEC).</li> <li>Tele-medicine.</li> </ul>
III	10	<ul> <li>Genetics</li> <li>□ Review of cellular division, mutation and law of inheritance, human genome project ,The Genomic era.</li> <li>□ Basic concepts of Genes, Chromosomes &amp; DNA.</li> <li>□ Approaches to common genetic disorders.</li> <li>□ Genetic testing – basis of genetic diagnosis, Pre symptomatic and predisposition testing, Prenatal diagnosis &amp; screening, Ethical, legal &amp; psychosocial issues in genetic testing.</li> <li>□ Genetic counseling.</li> <li>□ Practical application of genetics in nursing.</li> </ul>
IV	10	Epidemiology
		<ul> <li>Scope, epidemiological approach and methods,</li> <li>Morbidity, mortality,</li> <li>Concepts of causation of diseases and their screening,</li> <li>Application of epidemiology in health care delivery, Health survelliance and health informatics</li> <li>Role of nurse</li> </ul>

Unit	Hours	Content
V	20	Bio-Psycho social pathology  Pathophysiology and Psychodynamics of disease causation  Life processes, homeostatic mechanism, biological and psycho-social dynamics in causation of disease, life style  Common problems: Oxygen insufficiency, fluid and electrolyte imbalance, nutritional problems, hemorrhage land shock, altered body temperature, unconsciousness, sleep pattern and its disturbances, pain, sensory deprivation.  Treatment aspects: pharmacological and pre- post operative care aspects,  Cardio pulmonary resuscitation.  End of life Care  Infection prevention (including HIV) and standard safety measures, bio-medical waste management.  Role of nurse- Evidence based nursing practice; Best practices  Innovations in nursing
VI	20	<ul> <li>Philosophy and Theories of Nursing</li> <li>Values, Conceptual models, approaches.</li> <li>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 parsce, etc and their applications,</li> <li>Health belief models, communication and management, etc</li> <li>Concept of Self health.</li> <li>Evidence based practice model.</li> </ul>
VIII	10	<ul> <li>Nursing process approach</li> <li>Health Assessment- illness status of patients/clients (Individuals, family, community), Identification of health-illness problems, health behaviors, signs and symptoms of clients.</li> <li>Methods of collection, analysis and utilization of data relevant to nursing process.</li> <li>Formulation of nursing care plans, health goals, implementation, modification and evaluation of care.</li> </ul>
IX	30	Psychological aspects and Human relations  Human behavior, Life processes & growth and development, personality development, defense mechanisms,  Communication, interpersonal relationships, individual and group, group dynamics, and organizational behavior,  Basic human needs, Growth and development, (Conception through preschool, School age through adolescence, Young & middle adult, and Older adult)  Sexuality and sexual health.  Stress and adaptation, crisis and its intervention,  Coping with loss, death and grieving,  Principles and techniques of Counseling.

Unit	Hours	Content
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 and institutions.
		<ul> <li>Health promotion and primary health care.</li> </ul>
		□ Independent practice issues,- Independent nurse-midwifery
		practitioner.
		<ul> <li>Collaboration issues and models-within and outside</li> </ul>
		nursing.
		□ Models of Prevention,
		□ Family nursing, Home nursing,
		<ul> <li>Gender sensitive issues and women empowerment.</li> </ul>
		□ Disaster nursing.
		<ul> <li>Geriatric considerations in nursing.</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Evidence based nursing practice- Best practices</li> </ul>
		Trans-cultural nursing.
XI	25	Computer applications for patient care delivery system and
		nursing 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.

#### **Practical**

Clinical posting in the following areas:

• Specialty area- in-patient unit - 2 weeks

• Community health center/PHC - 2 weeks

• Emergency/ICU - 2 weeks

#### **Activities**

- Prepare Case studies with nursing process approach and theoretical basis
- Presentation of comparative picture of theories
- Family case- work using model of prevention
- Annotated bibliography
- Report of field visits (5)

#### **Methods of Teaching**

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

#### **Methods of evaluation:**

- Tests
- Presentation
- Seminar
- Written assignments

#### **Advance nursing Procedures**

Definition, Indication and nursing implications;

• CPR, TPN, Hemodynamic monitoring, Endotrcheal intubation, Tracheostoma, mechanical ventilation, Pacemaker, Hemodialysis, Peritonial dialysis, LP, BT Pleural and abdominal parecentasis OT techniques, Health assessment, Triage, Pulse oxymetry

#### **Internal Assessment**

Techniques	Weightage
Test- (2 tests) Assignment	50 25
Seminar/presentation	25
	100

#### **CLINICAL SPECIALITY - I**

#### MEDICAL SURGICAL NURSING

Placement: 1st Year

Hours of instruction Theory: 150 Hours Practical: 650 Hours Total: 800 Hours

#### **Course Description**

This course is common for the students undergoing clinical speciality-II in neuro science nursing/cardiovascular & thoracic nursing/critical care nursing/oncology nursing/orthopaedic and rehabilitation nursing/nephro & urology nursing, gastroenterology nursing/ geriatric nursing.

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 Medical-Surgical 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 speciality.
- 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 with Medical- Surgical patients.
- 8. Describe various recent technologies & treatment modalities in the management of critically ill patients.
- 9. Appreciate the legal & ethical issues relevant to Medical Surgical Nursing.
- 10. Prepare a design for layout and management of Medical Surgical Units.

- 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 in the field of Medical Surgical Nursing.
- 13. Recognize the role of Nurse practitioner as a member of the Medical Surgical health team.
- 14. Teach Medical Surgical Nursing to undergraduate nursing students & in-service nurses.

#### **COURSE CONTENT:**

Unit	Hours	Content
I	5	<ul> <li>Introduction:</li> <li>Historical development of Medical- Surgical Nursing in India.</li> <li>Current status of health and disease burden in India.</li> </ul>
		<ul><li>Current concept of health.</li><li>Trends &amp; issues in Medical – Surgical Nursing.</li></ul>
		Ethical & cultural issues in Medical – Surgical Nursing.
		Rights of patients.  National health policy appaid layer 8 and papers relating to older.
		<ul> <li>National health policy, special laws &amp; ordinances relating to older people.</li> </ul>
		□ National goals.
		□ Five year plans.
		□ National health programs related to adult health.
II	20	Health Assessment of patients
		<ul><li>History taking.</li><li>Physical examination of various systems.</li></ul>
		<ul> <li>Physical examination of various systems.</li> <li>Nutritional assessment.</li> </ul>
		Related investigations and diagnostic assessment.
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III	5	Care in hospital settings:  □ Ambulatory care.
		□ Acute and Critical care.
		□ Long term care.
		□ Home Health Care.
		<ul> <li>Characteristics, care models, practice settings, interdisciplinary team.</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Hospitalization- effects of hospitalization on the patient &amp; family.</li> </ul>
		□ Stressors & reactions related to disease process.
		<ul> <li>Nursing care using Nursing process approach.</li> </ul>
IV	10	Management of patients with disorders of Gastro intestinal tract
		□ Review of anatomy and physiology.
		<ul> <li>Common Disorders-etiology, Patho physiology, Clinical manifestations, complications, prognosis.</li> </ul>
		Health assessment- History taking, physical examination,
		investigation and diagnostic assessment.
		□ Treatment modalities and trends.
		<ul><li>Nursing management.</li><li>Related research studies.</li></ul>
		Evidence based nursing practice.
		□ Rehabilitation and follow-up.

Unit	Hours	Content
V	10	<ul> <li>Management of patients with disorders of nervous system</li> <li>Review of anatomy and physiology.</li> <li>Common Disorders- etiology, Patho physiology, Clinicalmanifestations, complications, prognosis.</li> <li>Health assessment-History taking, physical examination, investigation and diagnostic assessment.</li> <li>Treatment modalities and trends.</li> <li>Nursing management.</li> <li>Related research studies.</li> <li>Evidence based nursing practice.</li> <li>Rehabilitation and follow-up.</li> </ul>
VI	10	<ul> <li>Management of patients with disorders of respiratory system</li> <li>Review of anatomy and physiology.</li> <li>Common Disorders- etiology, Patho physiology, Clinicalmanifestations, complications, prognosis.</li> <li>Health assessment-History taking, physical examination, investigation and diagnostic assessment.</li> <li>Treatment modalities and trends.</li> <li>Nursing management.</li> <li>Related research studies.</li> <li>Evidence based nursing practice.</li> <li>Rehabilitation and follow-up.</li> </ul>
VII	10	<ul> <li>Management of patients with disorders of cardio vascular system</li> <li>Review of anatomy and physiology.</li> <li>Common Disorders- etiology, Patho physiology, Clinical manifestations, complications, prognosis.</li> <li>Health assessment-History taking, physical examination, investigation and diagnostic assessment.</li> <li>Treatment modalities and trends.</li> <li>Nursing management.</li> <li>Related research studies.</li> <li>Evidence based nursing practice.</li> <li>Rehabilitation and follow-up.</li> </ul>
VIII	5	<ul> <li>Management of patients with disorders of blood</li> <li>Review of anatomy and physiology.</li> <li>Common Disorders- etiology, Patho physiology, Clinical manifestations, complications, prognosis.</li> <li>Health assessment-History taking, physical examination, investigation and diagnostic assessment.</li> <li>Treatment modalities and trends.</li> <li>Nursing management.</li> <li>Related research studies</li> <li>Evidence based nursing practice</li> <li>Rehabilitation and follow-up</li> </ul>
IX	10	<ul> <li>Management of patients with disorders of genito urinary system</li> <li>□ Review of anatomy and physiology.</li> <li>□ Common Disorders- etiology, Patho physiology, Clinical manifestations, complications, prognosis.</li> </ul>

Unit	Hours	Content
		<ul> <li>Health assessment-History taking, physical examination, investigation and diagnostic assessment.</li> <li>Treatment modalities and trends.</li> <li>Nursing management.</li> <li>Related research studies.</li> <li>Evidence based nursing practice.</li> <li>Rehabilitation and follow-up.</li> </ul>
X	10	Management of patients with disorders of endocrine system  Review of anatomy and physiology.
		<ul> <li>Common Disorders- etiology, Patho physiology, Clinical manifestations, complications, prognosis.</li> <li>Health assessment-History taking, physical examination, investigation and diagnostic assessment.</li> <li>Treatment modalities and trends.</li> <li>Nursing management.</li> <li>Related research studies.</li> <li>Evidence based nursing practice.</li> <li>Rehabilitation and follow-up.</li> </ul>
XI	10	Management of patients with disorders of musculo-skeletal
		<ul> <li>system</li> <li>Review of anatomy and physiology.</li> <li>Common Disorders- etiology, Patho physiology, Clinical manifestations, complications, prognosis.</li> <li>Health assessment-History taking, physical examination, investigation and diagnostic assessment.</li> <li>Treatment modalities and trends.</li> <li>Nursing management.</li> <li>Related research studies.</li> <li>Evidence based nursing practice.</li> <li>Rehabilitation and follow-up.</li> </ul>
XII	8	<ul> <li>Management of patients with disorders of integumentory system</li> <li>Review of anatomy and physiology.</li> <li>Common Disorders- etiology, Patho physiology, Clinical manifestations, complications, prognosis.</li> <li>Health assessment-History taking, physical examination, investigation and diagnostic assessment.</li> <li>Treatment modalities and trends.</li> <li>Nursing management.</li> <li>Related research studies.</li> <li>Evidence based nursing practice.</li> <li>Rehabilitation and follow-up.</li> </ul>
XIII	5	Management of patients with disorders of Eye and ENT
		<ul> <li>Review of anatomy and physiology.</li> <li>Common Disorders-etiology, Patho physiology, Clinical manifestations, complications, prognosis.</li> <li>Health assessment-History taking, physical examination, investigation and diagnostic assessment.</li> <li>Treatment modalities and trends.</li> </ul>

Unit	Hours	Content
		Nursing management.
		□ Related research studies.
		Evidence based nursing practice.
		Rehabilitation and follow-up.
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XIV	8	Management of patients with disorders of reproductive system
		Review of anatomy and physiology.
		□ Common Disorders- etiology, Patho physiology, Clinical
		manifestations, complications, prognosis.
		□ Health assessment-History taking, physical examination,
		investigation and diagnostic assessment.
		□ Treatment modalities and trends.
		□ Nursing management.
		□ Related research studies.
		□ Evidence based nursing practice.
		□ Rehabilitation and follow-up.
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XV	8	Geriatric nursing
		<ul> <li>Nursing Assessment-History and Physical assessment.</li> </ul>
		□ Ageing;
		□ Demography; Myths and realities.
		□ Concepts and theories of ageing.
		□ Cognitive Aspects of Ageing.
		□ Normal biological ageing.
		□ Age related body systems changes.
		□ Psychosocial Aspects of Aging.
		□ Medications and elderly.
		□ Stress & coping in older adults.
		□ Common Health Problems & Nursing Management;
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		Role of nurse for care of elderly: ambulation, nutritional,
		communicational, psychosocial and spiritual.
		□ Role of nurse for caregivers of elderly.
		<ul> <li>Role of family and formal and non formal caregivers.</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Use of aids and prosthesis (hearing aids, dentures,</li> </ul>
		□ Legal & Ethical Issues.
		□ Provisions and Programmes for elderly; privileges, Community
		Programs and health services;
		□ Home and institutional care.
		□ Issues, problems and trends.
XVI	8	Management of patients with communicable and sexually
		transmitted diseases:
		Review of immune system.
		Common Discordance Circum and a state HIM/AIDC
		Review of infectious disease process.  Communicable Disease process.
		Communicable Diseases- etiology, Patho physiology, Clinical
		manifestations, complications, prognosis.
		□ Health assessment-History taking, physical examination,
		investigation and diagnostic assessment.
		□ Treatment modalities and trends.

Unit	Hours	Content
		<ul> <li>Nursing management.</li> <li>Related research studies.</li> <li>Evidence based nursing practice.</li> <li>Rehabilitation and follow-up.</li> </ul>
XVII	8	<ul> <li>Emergency, trauma and multi-system organ failure</li> <li>DIC (disseminated intravascular coagulation)</li> <li>Trauma, burns, poisoning</li> <li>Etiology, Patho physiology, Clinical manifestations, complications, prognosis.</li> <li>Health assessment-History taking, physical examination, investigation and diagnostic assessment.</li> <li>Treatment modalities and trends.</li> <li>Nursing management.</li> <li>Related research studies.</li> <li>Evidence based nursing practice.</li> <li>Rehabilitation and follow-up.</li> </ul>

## **Practical**

## Total = 660 Hours 1 Week = 30 Hours

S.No.	Dept/Unit	No. of Week	Total Hours
	General Medical Ward	4	120 Hours
	General Surgical Ward	4	120 Hours
	ICUs	4	120 Hours
	Oncology	2	60 Hours
	Ortho	2	60 Hours
	Cardio	2	60 Hours
	Emergency Department	2	60 Hours
	Neuro	2	60 Hours
	Total	22 Weeks	660 Hours

#### **Student Activities:**

- Clinical presentations
- History taking
- Health Assessment
- Nutritional Assessment
- Health Education related to disease conditions
- Case studies
- Project work
- Field visits

#### **CLINICAL SPECIALITY-I**

#### OBSTETRIC AND GYNAECOLOGICAL NURSING

Placement: 1st year

Hours of Instruction Theory: 150 Hours. Practical: 650 Hours. Total: 800 Hours.

#### **Course Description**

This course is designed to assist students in developing expertise and indepth 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. Appreciate the trends in the field of midwifery, obstetrics and gynaecology as a speciality.
- 2. Describe the population dynamics and indicators of maternal and child health
- 3. Describe the concepts of biophysical, psychological and spiritual aspects of normal pregnancy, labor and puerperium.
- 4. Provide comprehensive nursing care to women during reproductive period and newborns.
- 5. Integrate the concepts of family centered nursing care and nursing process approach in obstetric and gynaecological nursing.
- 6. Identify and analyze the deviations from normal birth process and refer appropriately.
- 7. Describe the pharmacological agents, their effects during pregnancy, child birth, puerperium, lactation and the role of nurse
- 8. Counsel adolescents, women and families on issues pertaining to pregnancy, child birth and lactation
- 9. Describe the role of various types of complementary and alternative therapies in obstetric and gynaecological nursing.
- 10. Incorporate evidence based nursing practice and identify the areas of research in the field of obstetric and gynaecological nursing.
- 11. Describe the recent advancement in contraceptive technology and birth control measures
- 12. Appreciate the legal and ethical issues pertaining to obstetric and gynaecological nursing

## **Course Content**

Units	Hours	Content	
I	10	Introduction  — Historical and contemporary perspectives	
		□ Epidemiological aspects of maternal and child health	
		<ul> <li>Magnitude of maternal and child health problems</li> <li>Issues of maternal and child health: Age, Gender, Sexuality,</li> </ul>	
		psycho Socio cultural factors  - Preventive obstetrics	
		<ul> <li>National health and family welfare programmes related to maternal and child health: health care delivery system- National Rural health mission, Role of NGO's</li> <li>Theories, models and approaches applied to midwifery practice</li> <li>Role and scope of midwifery practice: Independent Nurse midwifery practitioner</li> </ul>	
		<ul> <li>Legal and Ethical issues: Code of ethics and standards of midwifery practice, standing orders</li> </ul>	
		□ Evidence based midwifery practice	
		□ Research priorities in obstetric and gynaecological nursing.	
II	15	Human reproduction  □ Review of anatomy and physiology of human reproductive system: male and female  □ Hormonal cycles □ Embryology □ Genetics, teratology and counseling	
		□ Genetics, teratology and counseling □ Clinical implications	
III	25	<ul> <li>Pregnancy         <ul> <li>Maternal adaptation: Physiological, psychosocial</li> <li>Assessment – Maternal and foetal measures Maternal measures: History taking, exmanination-General, physical and obstetrical measure, identification of high risk,</li> <li>Foetal measure- clinical parameters, biochemical- human estriol, Maternal Serum Alfa Feto Protein, Acetyl Choline esterase (AchE), Triple Test Aminocentesis, Cordocentesis, chorionic villus sampling (CVS)),</li> <li>Biophysical- (US IMAGING, Foetal movement count, Ultra Sonography, Cardiotocography, cardiotomography, Non Stress Test(NST), Contraction stress test(CST), amnioscopy, foetoscopy,</li> <li>Radiological examination,</li> <li>Interpretation of diagnostic tests and nursing implications</li> <li>Nursing management of the pregnant women, minor disorders of pregnancy and management, preparation for child birth and parenthood, importance of institutional delivery, choice of birth setting, importance and mobilizing of transportation, prenatal</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
		counseling, role of nurse and crisis intervention, identification of high risk pregnancy and refer  Alternative/complementary therapies	

Units	Hours	Content			
IV	25	Normal Labour and nursing management:			
		□ Essential factors of labour			
		□ Stages and onset			
		First stage: Physiology of normal labour			
		Use of partograph: Principles, use and critical analysis,			
		evidence based studies			
		<ul> <li>Analgesia and anaesthesia in labour</li> </ul>			
		Nursing management			
		Second stage			
		<ul> <li>Physiology , intrapartum monitoring</li> </ul>			
		Nursing management.			
		<ul> <li>Resuscitation, immediate newborn care and initiate breast feeding (Guidelines of National neonatalogy forum of India)</li> </ul>			
		Third stage • Physiology and nursing management			
		Fourth stage - Observation, critical analysis and Nursing			
		<ul> <li>wanagement.</li> <li>Various child birth practice: water birth, position change etc</li> </ul>			
		<ul> <li>Evidence based practice in relation to labour intervention</li> </ul>			
		Evidence based practice in relation to labour intervention			
		Role of nurse midwifery practitioner			
		Alternative/complementary therapies			
V	20	Normal puerperium and nursing management			
		□ Physiology of puerperium			
		<ul> <li>Physiology of lactation, lactation management, exclusive breast</li> </ul>			
		feeding, Baby friendly hospital intitative(BFHI)			
		<ul><li>Assessment of postnatal women .</li><li>Minor discomforts and complications of puerperium</li></ul>			
		□ Minor discomforts and complications of puerperium □ Management of mothers during puerperium: Postnatal			
		exercises Rooming in, bonding, warm chain			
		□ Evidence based studies			
		Role of nurse midwifery practitioner			
		Alternative/complementary therapies			
VI	20	Normal Newborn			
		<ul> <li>Physiology and characteristics of normal newborn</li> </ul>			
		<ul> <li>Physical and Behavioural assessment of newborn</li> </ul>			
		□ Needs of newborn			
		Essential newborn care: Exclusive breast feeding,			
		Immunization, Hygiene measures, Newborn nutrition			
		□ Organization of neonatal care, services(Levels), transport,			
		neonatal intensive care unit, organization and management of			
		nursing services in NICU  Observation and care of newborn			
		□ Observation and care of newborn □ Parenting process			
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Units	Hours	Content		
VII	10	Pharmoco dynamics in obstetrics		
		□ Drugs used in pregnancy, labour, post partum and newborn		
		□ Calculation of drug dose and administration		
		□ Effects of drugs used		
		□ Anaesthesia 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	10	Family welfare services		
V 111	10	□ Population dynamics		
		Demography 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		
		□ Role of independent nurse midwifery practitioner		
		□ Family life education		
		□ Evidence based studies		
		□ Information, Education and Communication(IEC)		
		□ Management information and evaluation system(MIES)		
		□ Teaching and supervision of health team members		
IX	5	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 nurses in infertility management.		
X	5	Menopause		
A	3	□ Physiological, psychological and social aspects		
		□ Hormone Replacement Therapy		
		□ Surgical menopause		
		□ Counseling and guidance		
		Role of midwifery nurse practitioner		
XI	5	Abortion		
		□ Types, causes		
		<ul> <li>Legislations, Clinical rights and professional responsibility</li> </ul>		
		□ Abortion procedures		
		□ Complications		
		□ Nursing management		
		Role of midwifery nurse practitioner		

#### **Practical**

## Total = 660 Hours 1 week = 30 Hours

S.No.	Deptt./Unit	No. of Week	Total Hours
1	Anetenatal Wards & OPDs	4	120
2	Labour Room	5	150
3	Postnatal Ward	2	60
4	Family Planning Clinics	2	60
5	PHC/Rural maternity settings	4	120
6	Gynae	2	60
7	Maternity OT	2	60
8	NICU	1	30
	Total	22 Weeks	660Hours

#### Procedures observed

- Diagnostic investigations : amniotcentecis, chordocentecis, chorionic villi sampling
- Infertility management: artificial reproduction : artificial insemination, invitro fertilization, and related procedures

#### **Procedures assisted**

• Medical termination of pregnancy,

#### **Procedures 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
- Setting up of delivery areas
- 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

#### CLINICAL SPECIALTY -I

## CHILD HEALTH (PAEDIATRIC) NURSING

Placement: Ist Year

Hours of Instruction Theory 150 Hours Practical 650 Hours Total: 800 Hours

#### **Course Description**

This course is designed to assist students in developing expertise and indepth understanding in the field of Pediatric Nursing. It will help students to appreciate the child as a holistic individual and develop skill to function as neonatal and pediatric nurse specialist. It will further enable the student to function as educator, manager, and researcher in the field of Paediatric nursing

#### **Objectives**

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

- 1. Appreciate the history and developments in the field of pediatrics and pediatric nursing as a specialty
- 2. Apply the concepts of growth and development in providing care to the pediatric clients and their families.
- 3. Appreciate the child as a holistic individual
- 4. Perform physical, developmental, and nutritional assessment of pediatric clients
- 5. Apply nursing process in providing nursing care to neonates & children
- 6. Integrate the concept of family centered pediatric nursing care with related areas such as genetic disorders, congenital malformations and long term illness.
- 7. Recognize and manage emergencies in neonates
- 8. Describe various recent technologies and treatment modalities in the management of high risk neonates
- 9. Appreciate the legal and ethical issues pertaining to pediatric and neonatal nursing
- 10. Prepare a design for layout and management of neonatal units
- 11. Incorporate evidence based nursing practice and identify the areas of research in the field of pediatric/neonatal nursing
- 12. Recognize the role of pediatric nurse practitioner and as a member of the pediatric and neonatal health team
- 13. Teach pediatric nursing to undergraduate students & in-service nurses

# **Course Content**

Unit	Hours	Content	
I	10	Introduction	
		□ 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 Hrs	Assessment of pediatric clients	
		□ History taking	
		Developmental assessment	
		□ Physical assessment	
		□ Nutritional assessment	
		□ Family assessment	
III	10	Hospitalized child	
		□ Meaning of hospitalization of the child, preparation for	
		hospitalization, effects of hospitalization on the child andfamily	
		□ Stressors and reactions related to developmental stages, play activities for ill hospitalized child.	
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		Nursing care of hospitalized child and family -principles and	
		practices	
IV	15	Pre-natal Pediatrics	
		□ 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	15	Growth and Development of children	
	13	□ Principles of growth and development,	
		□ Concepts and theories of growth and development,	
		<ul> <li>Developmental tasks and special needs from infancy to</li> </ul>	
		adolescence, developmental milestones,	
		□ Assessment of growth and development of pediatric clients,	
		Factors affecting growth and development.	
VI	15	Behavioral Pediatrics and Pediatric Nursing	
		□ Parent child relationship,	
		Basic behavioral pediatric principles and specific behavioral	
		pediatric concepts/disorders- maternal deprivation, failure	

Unit	Hours	Content	
		to thrive, child abuse, the battered child,  Common behavioral problems and their management,  Child guidance clinic.	
VII	15	Preventive Pediatrics and Pediatric Nursing  □ Concept, aims and scope of preventive pediatrics,	
		<ul> <li>Maternal health and its influence on child health antenatal aspects of preventive pediatrics,</li> </ul>	
		□ 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  Nutritional programs	
		<ul> <li>Nutritional programs</li> <li>National and international organizations related to child health,</li> </ul>	
		Role of pediatric nurse in the hospital and community.	
VIII	30	Neonatal Nursing  □ New born baby- profile and characteristics of the new born,	
		□ Assessment of the new born,	
		<ul> <li>Nursing care of the new born at birth, care of the new born and family,</li> </ul>	
		<ul> <li>High risk newborn- pre term and term neonate and growth retarded babies,</li> </ul>	
		□ Identification and classification of neonates with infections,	
		HIV & AIDS, Ophthalmia neonatorum, congenital syphilis.  — High risk new born- Identification, classification and	
		nursing management  □ Organization of neonatal care, services(Levels), transport,	
		neonatal intensive care unit, organization and management of nursing services in NICU.	
IX	30	IMNCI (Integrated management of neonatal and childhood illnesses)	
		(integrated management of neonatal and cimunoud innesses)	

# **Practical**

Total = 660Hours 1 Week = 30Hours

S.No.	Deptt./Unit	No. of Week	Total Hours
1	Pediatric Medicine Ward	4	120 Hours
2	Pediatric Surgery Ward	4	120 Hours
3	Labor Room/Maternity Ward	2	60 Hours
4	Pediatric OPD	2	60 Hours
5	NICU	4	120 Hours
6	Creche	1	30 Hours
7	Child Guidance Clinic	1	30 Hours
8	Community	4	120 Hours
	Total	22 Weeks	660 Hours

# **Student Activities**

- 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

#### CLINICAL SPECIALITY - I

# MENTAL HEALTH (PSYCHIATRIC) NURSING

Placement: 1st Year

Hours of Instruction Theory 150 hours Practical 650 hours Total: 800 hours

#### **Course Description**

This course is designed to assist students in developing expertise and indepth understanding in the field of Psychiatric Nursing. It will help students to appreciate the client as a holistic individual and develop skill to function psychiatric nurse specialist. It will further enable the student to function as educator, manager, and researcher in the field of Psychiatric nursing

# **Objectives**

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

- 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 in mental disorders and its implications for psychiatric nursing
- 4. Demonstrate therapeutic communications skills in all interactions
- 5. Demonstrate the role of psychiatric nurse practitioner in various therapeutic modalities
- 6. Establish and maintain therapeutic relationship with individual and groups
- 7. Uses assertive techniques in personal and professional actions
- 8. Promotes self-esteem of clients, others and self
- 9. Apply the nursing process approach in caring for patients with mental disorders
- 10. Describe the psychopharmacological agents, their effects and nurses role
- 11. Recognize the role of psychiatric nurse practitioner and as a member of the psychiatric and mental health team
- 12. Describe various types of alternative system of medicines used in psychiatric settings
- 13. Incorporate evidence based nursing practice and identify the areas of research in the field of psychiatric nursing

# **Course Content**

Units	Hours	Content	
I	15	<ul><li>Introduction</li><li>□ Mental Health and Mental Illness</li><li>□ Historical perspectives</li></ul>	
		☐ Trends, issues and magnitude	
		□ Contemporary practices	
		□ Mental health laws/Acts	
		National mental health program -National mental health	
		authority, state mental health authority	
		<ul><li>Human rights of mentally ill</li><li>Mental Health/ Mental Illness Continuum</li></ul>	
		□ Classification of mental illnesses-ICD, DSM	
		□ Standards of Psychiatric nursing	
		□ Challenges and Scope of psychiatric nursing	
		□ Multi-disciplinary team and role of nurse	
		Role of psychiatric nurse- extended and expanded	
II	10	Concepts of Psychobiology	
		□ The Nervous System:	
		An Anatomical Review  The Brain and limbia quatum	
		<ul> <li>The Brain and limbic system</li> <li>Nerve Tissue</li> </ul>	
		Autonomic Nervous system	
		Neurotransmitters	
		□ Neuroendocrinology	
		Pituitary, Thyroid Gland	
		Circadian Rhythms	
		□ Genetics	
		□ Neuro psychiatric disorders	
		□ Psychoimmunology	
		<ul><li>Normal Immune response</li><li>Implications for psychiatric Illness</li></ul>	
		□ Implications for Nursing	
III	10	Theories of Personality Development and relevance to nursing practice	
		□ Psychoanalytic Theory- Freud's	
		□ Interpersonal Theory-Sullivan's	
		□ Theory of Psychosocial Development-Erikson's	
		□ Theory of object relations	
		□ Cognitive Development Theory	
		Theory of Moral Development	
		□ A Nursing Model-Hildegard E.Peplau	
IV	5	Stress and its management	
		An introduction to the concepts of stress	
		<ul><li>Psychological Adaptation to stress</li><li>Stress as a Biological Response.</li></ul>	
		□ Stress as a Biological Response. □ Stress as an Environmental Event.	

Units	Hours	Content	
		<ul> <li>Stress as Transaction between the Individual and the</li> </ul>	
		Environment.	
		□ Stress management.	
V	10	Therapeutic communication and interpersonal relationship	
•	10	Review communication process, factors affecting	
		communication	
		Communication with individuals and in groups	
		□ Techniques of therapeutic communication-touch therapy	
		Barrier of communication with specific reference to	
		psychopathology	
		□ Therapeutic attitudes	
		Dynamics of a therapeutic Nurse-client relationship;	
		Therapeutic use of self Gaining self-awareness  Therapeutic nurse-patient relationship its phases; Conditions	
		essential to development of a therapeutic relationship	
		□ Therapeutic impasse and its management	
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VI	10	Assertive Training	
		□ Assertive Communication	
		Basic Human Rights	
		□ Response Patterns	
		<ul><li>(Nonassertive Behavior</li><li>Assertive Behavior</li></ul>	
		<ul><li>Aggressive Behavior</li><li>Passive-Aggressive Behavior)</li></ul>	
		□ Behavioral Components of Assertive Behavior	
		□ Techniques that Promote Assertive Behavior	
		□ Thought-Stopping Techniques Method	
		Role of The Nurse	
VII	10	Promoting Self-Esteem	
		<ul> <li>Components of Self-Concept</li> <li>The Development of Self-Esteem</li> </ul>	
		□ The Manifestations of Low-Self-Esteem	
		Boundaries	
		Role of The Nurse	
	5	Women and Mental Health	
		Normal reaction to conception, pregnancy and puerperium	
		Problems related to conception, pregnancy and puerperium	
		and its management.	
		<ul> <li>Counselling – Premarital, marital and genetic</li> </ul>	
		• Counsening – Fremaritai, maritai and genetic	

Units	Hours	Content	
VIII	10	The nursing process in psychiatric/mental health nursing	
		<ul> <li>Mental health assessment- History taking, mental status</li> </ul>	
		examination	
		□ Physical and neurological examination	
		<ul> <li>Psychometric assessment</li> </ul>	
		□ Investigations, Diagnosis and Differential diagnosis	
		□ Interpretation of investigations	
		□ Nurse's role	
		□ Nursing case management	
		<ul><li>Critical pathways of care</li></ul>	
		<ul> <li>Documentation</li> </ul>	
		☐ Problem-oriented recording	
		☐ Focus charting	
		☐ The PIE method	
IX	35	Psycho social and physical therapies	
		□ Individual therapy	
		□ Behavioural Therapy- Relaxation therapy, cognitive therapy,	
		positive- negative reinforcement, bio-feedback, guided imagery,	
		ab-reactive therapy	
		□ Group Therapy	
		□ Family Therapy	
		□ Milieu Therapy	
		The Therapeutic Community	
		Occupational therapy	
		□ Recreational therapy	
		□ Play therapy	
		□ Music therapy	
		□ Light therapy	
		□ Color therapy	
		□ Aroma therapy	
XI	5	Electroconvulsive Therapy	
		□ Historical Perspectives	
		□ Indications	
		<ul><li>Contraindications</li><li>Mechanisms of Action</li></ul>	
		□ Side Effects	
		Risks Associated with Electroconvulsive Therapy	
		□ The Role of The Nurse in Electroconvulsive Therapy	
X	10	Psychopharmacology	
<b>A</b>	10	□ Historical Perspectives	
		Dala of a Maria Daraharaharaharah Tharas	
		<ul> <li>Role of a Nurse in Psychopharmacological Therapy</li> <li>Antianxiety Agents</li> </ul>	
		<ul><li>Antidepressants Agents</li><li>Mood stabilizers</li></ul>	
		Antipsychotics     Sadativa Hypnotics	
		Sedative-Hypnotics     Sedative News Control Street S	
		Central Nervous System Stimulants	
		□ Future developments	

Units	Hours	Content	
XII	15	Alternative systems of medicine in mental health	
		□ Types of Therapies	
		Herbal Medicine	
		• Unani	
		• Siddha	
		<ul> <li>Homeopathic</li> </ul>	
		<ul> <li>Acupressure and Acupuncture</li> </ul>	
		Diet and Nutrition	
		Chiropractic Medicine	
		Therapeutic Touch and Massage	
		• Yoga	
		Pet Therapy	

# **Practical**

# Total = 660 Hours 1 Week = 30 Hours

S.No.	Area of Posting	No. of Week	<b>Total Hours</b>
1	Acute Psychiatric Ward	4	120 Hours
2	Chronic Psychiatric ward	4	120 Hours
3	Psychiatric Emergency Unit	2	60 Hours
4	O.P.D	2	60 Hours
5	Family Psychiatric Unit	2	60 Hours
6	Community Mental Health Unit	4	120 Hours
7	Rehabilitation / Occupational Therapy	4	120 Hours
	Unit/Half way home/ Day care centre		
	Total	22 Weeks	660 Hours

#### **Student Activities**

- History taking
- Mental health assessment
- Psychometric assessment
- Personality assessment
- Process recording
- Therapies- Group Therapy
- Family Therapy
- Psychotherapy
- Milieu Therapy
- The Therapeutic Community
- Occupational therapy
- Recreational therapy
- Play therapy
- music therapy
- Pet therapy
- Counselling
- Assisted ECT
- Assisted EEG
- Case studies
- Case presentation
- Project work
- Socio and psycho drama
- Field visits

#### **CLINICAL SPECIALITY-I**

#### COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSING

Placement: 1st Year

Hours of Instructions
Theory 150 hours
Practical 650 hours
Total 800 hours

# **Course Description**

The course is designed to assist students in developing expertise and in-depth understanding in the field of Community Health Nursing. It would help students to appreciate holistic life style of individuals, families & groups and develop skills to function as Community Health Nurse specialist/practitioner. It would further enable student to function as an educator, manager and researcher in the field of Community Health nursing.

#### **Objectives**

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

- 1. Appreciate the history and development in the field of Community Health and Community Health Nursing.
- 2. Appreciate 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 people.
- 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. Recognize and participate in the management of emergencies, epidemics and disasters.
- 8. Apply recent technologies and care modalities while delivering community health nursing care.
- 9. Appreciate legal and ethical issues pertaining to community health nursing care.
- 10. Conduct community health nursing care projects.
- 11. Participate in planning, implementation and evaluation of various national health and family welfare programmes at local, state and the national level.
- 12. Incorporate evidence based nursing practice and identify the areas of research in the community settings.

- 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.
- 16. Demonstrate leadership and managerial abilities in community health nursing practice

# **Course Content**

Unit	Hours	Content	
I	10	Introduction	
		<ul> <li>Historical development of Community Health and Community health Nursing- World and India, various health and family welfare committees</li> <li>Current status, trends and challenges of Community Health Nursing</li> <li>Health status of the Community-community diagnosis</li> <li>Scope of Community health Nursing practice</li> <li>Ethical and legal issues</li> </ul>	
		□ Socio-cultural issues in Community health Nursing	
		□ National Policies, plans and programmes	
		National health policy     National Population policy	
		<ul><li>National Population policy</li><li>National Health and welfare Programmes</li></ul>	
		National Health goals/ indicators/ Millennium developmental	
		goals(MDG)/ Strategies	
		Planning process: Five year plans	
		National Rural Health Mission	
		Panchayat raj institutions	
II	10	Health	
		□ Concepts, issues	
		□ Determinants	
		<ul> <li>Measurements</li> <li>Alternate systems for health promotion and management of</li> </ul>	
		health problems	
		□ Health economics	
		□ Health technology	
		□ Genetics and health	
		□ Waste disposal	
	4	□ Eco system	
III	15	Population dynamics and control	
		<ul><li>Demography</li><li>Transition and theories of population</li></ul>	
		□ National population policy	
		National population programmes	
		Population control and related programmes	
		□ Methods of family limiting and spacing	
		Research, Census, National Family Health Survey	

Unit	Hours	Content		
IV	30	Community health Nursing		
		<ul> <li>Philosophy, Aims, Objectives, Concepts, Scope, Principles, Functions</li> <li>Community health Nursing theories and models</li> <li>Quality assurance: Community health Nursing standards, competencies, Monitoring community health nursing, nursing audits</li> </ul>		
		□ Family nursing and Family centered nursing approach □ Family health nursing process ○ Family health assessment ○ Diagnosis ○ Planning ○ Intervention ○ Evaluation		
		<ul> <li>Nursing care for special groups: children, adolescents, adults, women, elderly, physically and mentally challenged- Urban and rural population at large</li> <li>Community nutrition</li> <li>Concept, role and responsibilities of community health Nurse practitioners/nurse midwifery practitioners-decision making skills, professionalism, legal issues</li> </ul>		
V	45	Maternal and neonatal care  □ IMNCI(Integrated Management of Neonatal And Childhood Illnesses) module  □ Skilled Birth Attendant (SBA) module		
VI	15	<ul> <li>Disaster nursing (INC module on Reaching out: Nursing Care in emergencies)</li> </ul>		
VII	10	Information, education and communication  IEC/BCC: Principles and strategies Communication Skills Management information and evaluation system: Records and reports Information technology Tele-medicine and tele-nursing Journalism Mass media Folk media		
VIII	15	Health care delivery system: Urban, rural, tribal and difficult areas  Health organization: National, State, District, CHC, PHC, Sub Centre, Village - Functions, Staffing, pattern of assistance, layout, drugs, equipments and supplies, Roles and Responsibilities of DPHNO  Critical review of functioning of various levels, evaluation studies, recommendations and nursing perspectives  Alternative systems of medicine  Training and supervision of health workers		

Unit	Hours	Content	
		<ul> <li>Health agencies: NGO's, Roles and functions</li> </ul>	
		□ Inter-sectoral coordination	
		□ Public private partnership	
		□ Challenges of health care delivery system	

S.No.	Deptt./Unit	No. of Week	Total Hours
1	Sub-centre, PHC, CHC	12	360 Hours
2	District family welfare bureau	1	30 Hours
3	Urban centers	6	180 Hours
4	Field visits	3	90 Hours
	Total	22 Weeks	660 Hours

#### **Student Activities**

- Identification of community leaders and resource persons(community mapping)
- Community health survey
- Community health nursing process- individual, family and special groups and community
- Counseling
- Health education campaign, exhibition, folk media, preparation of IEC materials
- Organising and participating in special clinics/camps and national health and welfare programmes-Organise atleast one health and family welfare mela/fair (all stalls of national health and family welfare activities should be included)
- Estimation of Vital health statistics -Exercise
- Drill for disaster preparedness
- Organise atleast one in-service education to ANM's/LHV/PHN/HW
- Nutrition Exercise on nutritional assessment on dietary planning, demonstration and education for various age groups
- Filling up of Records, reports and registers maintained at SC/PHC/CHC
- Assist women in self breast examination
- Conduct antenatal examination
- Conduct vaginal examination
- Conduct deliveries
- Post natal visits
- Perform Episiotomy and suturing
- Prepare Pap smear
- Conduct Insertion/Removal of IUD
- Blood Slide preparation
- Field visits
- Maintenance of log book for various activities

#### 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 50 Hours

Total: 150 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. Define basic research terms and concepts.
- 2. Review literature utilizing various sources
- 3. Describe research methodology
- 4. Develop a research proposal.
- 5. Conduct a research study.
- 6. Communicate research findings
- 7. Utilize research findings
- 8. Critically evaluate nursing research studies.
- 9. Write scientific paper for publication.

# **Content Outline**

Unit	Hours		Course Content
	Theory	Practical	
I	10		<ul> <li>Introduction:         <ul> <li>Methods of acquiring knowledge – problem solving and scientific method.</li> <li>Research – Definition, characteristics, purposes, kinds of research</li> <li>Historical Evolution of research in nursing</li> <li>Basic research terms</li> <li>Scope of nursing research: areas, problems in nursing, health and social research</li> <li>Concept of evidence based practice</li> <li>Ethics in research</li> <li>Overview of Research process</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
II	5	5	Review of Literature  - Importance, purposes, sources, criteria for selection of resources and steps in reviewing literature.
III	12		Research Approaches and designs  Type: Quantitative and Qualitative Historical, survey and experimental –Characteristics, types advantages and disadvantages Qualitative: Phenomenology, grounded theory, ethnography
IV	10	5	Research problem:  Identification of research problem Formulation of problem statement and research objectives Definition of terms Assumptions and delimitations Identification of variables Hypothesis – definition, formulation and types.
V	5	5	<ul> <li>Developing theoretical/conceptual framework.</li> <li>Theories: Nature, characteristics, Purpose and uses</li> <li>Using, testing and developing conceptual framework, models and theories.</li> </ul>
VI	6		Sampling  Population and sample  Factors influencing sampling  Sampling techniques  Sample size  Probability and sampling error  Problems of sampling

Unit	Hours		Course Content
	Theory	Practical	
VII	20	10	<ul> <li>Tools and methods of Data collection:         <ul> <li>Concepts of data collection</li> <li>Data sources, methods/techniques quantitative and qualitative.</li> <li>Tools for data collection – types, characteristics and their development</li> <li>Validity and reliability of tools</li> <li>Procedure for data collection</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
VIII	5		Implementing research plan  □ Pilot Study, review research plan (design)., planning for data collection, administration of tool/interventions, collection of data
IX	10	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
X	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 Writing scientific articles for publication: purposes & style
XI	3	8	Critical analysis of research reports and articles
XII	4	7	Developing and presenting a research proposal

#### **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.

# **Method 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

## **Internal Assessment**

Techniques	Weightage (15marks)
Term Test(2 tests)	40%
Assignment	20%
Presentation	20%
Project work	20%
Total	100%

# Part -B: Statistics

Hours of Instruction Theory 50 Hours Practical 50 Hours Total: 100 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

Unit	Н	ours	Course Content
	Theory	Practical	
I	7	4	Introduction:
			<ul> <li>Concepts, types, significance and scope of statistics, meaning of data,</li> <li>sample, parameter</li> <li>type and levels of data and their measurement</li> <li>Organization and presentation of data – Tabulation of data;</li> <li>Frequency distribution</li> <li>Graphical and tabular presentations.</li> </ul>
II	4	4	Measures of central tendency:
			□ Mean, Median, Mode
III	4	5	Measures of variability;
			<ul> <li>Range, Percentiles, average deviation, quartile deviation, standard deviation</li> </ul>
IV	3	2	Normal Distribution:  □ Probability, characteristics and application of normal probability curve; sampling error.

Unit	Hours		Course Content
	Theory	Practical	
V	6	8	Measures of relationship:  Correlation – need and meaning Rank order correlation; Scatter diagram method Product moment correlation Simple linear regression analysis and prediction.
VI	5	2	Designs and meaning:  Experimental designs  Comparison in pairs, randomized block design, Latin squares.
VII	8	10	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	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	2	Application of statistics in health:  Ratios, Rates, Trends Vital health statistics – Birth and death rates.  Measures related to fertility, morbidity and mortality
X	4	8	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 10 marks

Test - (2 tests)

100%

#### **NURSING MANAGEMENT**

Placement: II Year

Hours of Instruction Theory 150 Hours Practical 150 Hours Total: 300 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. Describe 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 vis a vis 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. Collaborate and co-ordinate with various agencies by using multisectoral approach
- 7. Discuss the planning, supervision and management of nursing workforce for various health care settings.
- 8. Discuss various collaborative models between nursing education and nursing service to improve the quality of nursing care
- 9. Identify and analyse legal and ethical issues in nursing administration
- 10. Describe the process of quality assurance in nursing services.
- 11. Demonstrate leadership in nursing at various levels

# **Course Content**

Unit	Hours	Content		
I	10	Introduction		
		□ Philosophy, purpose, elements, principles and scope of		
		administration		
		<ul> <li>Indian Constitution, Indian Administrative system vis a vis health care delivery system: National, State and Local</li> </ul>		
		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		
11	10	Functions of administration		
		□ Planning and control		
		Co-ordination and delegation		
		Decision making - decentralization basic goals of decentralization.		
		□ Concept of management		
		Nuveing 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		
		<ul> <li>Planning process: Concept, Principles, Institutional policies</li> <li>Mission, philosophy, objectives,</li> </ul>		
		□ Strategic planning		
		Operational plans		
		□ Management plans		
		Programme evaluation and review technique(PERT), Gantt chart,		
		Management by objectives(MBO)		
		<ul><li>Planning new venture</li><li>Planning for change</li></ul>		
		□ Innovations in nursing		
		Application to nursing service and education		
IV	15	Organisation  — Concept, principles, objectives, Types and theories, Minimum		
		requirements for organisation, Developing an organizational		
		Structure, levels, organizational Effectiveness and organizational		
		Climate,		
		<ul> <li>Organising nursing services and patient care: Methods of patient</li> </ul>		
		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)		

Unit	Hours	Content
		Disaster management: plan, resources, drill, etc
		Application to nursing service and education
V	15	Human Resource for health  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	<ul> <li>Directing</li> <li>Roles and functions</li> <li>Motivation: Intrinsic, extrinsic, Creating motivating climate,         Motivational theories</li> <li>Communication: process, types, strategies, Interpersonal         communication, channels, barriers, problems, Confidentiality,         Public relations</li> <li>Delegation; common delegation errors</li> <li>Managing conflict: process, management, negotiation, consensus</li> <li>Collective bargaining: health care labour laws, unions, professional         associations, role of nurse manager</li> <li>Occupational health and safety</li> </ul> Application to nursing service and education
VII	10	<ul> <li>Material management</li> <li>Concepts, principles and procedures</li> <li>Planning and procurement procedures: Specifications</li> <li>ABC analysis,</li> <li>VED (very important and essential daily use) analysis</li> <li>Planning equipments and supplies for nursing care: unit and hospital</li> <li>Inventory control</li> <li>Condemnation</li> </ul> Application to nursing service and education
VIII	15	Controlling  Quality assurance – Continuous Quality Improvement  Standards  Models  Nursing audit

Unit	Hours	Content
		□ 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 proceedings-
		enquiry etc
		Self evaluation or peer evaluation, patient satisfaction, utilization
		review
		Application to nursing service and education
IX	15	Fiscal planning
		□ Steps
		<ul> <li>Plan and non-plan, zero budgeting, mid-term appraisal, capital and revenue</li> </ul>
		Budget estimate, revised estimate, performance budget
		□ Audit
		□ Cost effectiveness
		Cost accounting
		□ Critical pathways □ Health care reforms
		□ Health care reforms □ Health economics
		□ Health insurance
		□ Budgeting for various units and levels
		Application to nursing service and education
X	10	Nursing informatics
		□ Trends
		General purpose
		<ul> <li>Use of computers in hospital and community</li> </ul>
		<ul><li>Use of computers in hospital and community</li><li>Patient record system</li></ul>
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Unit	Hours	Content
XII	10	Legal and ethical issues
		Laws and ethics
		□ Ethical committee
		□ Code of ethics and professional conduct
		<ul> <li>Legal system: Types of law, tort law, and liabilities</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Legal issues in nursing: negligence, malpractice, invasion of privacy, defamation of character</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Patient care issues, management issues, employment issues</li> <li>Medico legal issues</li> </ul>
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		<ul> <li>Nursing regulatory mechanisms: licensure, renewal, accreditation</li> <li>Patients rights, Consumer protection act(CPA)</li> </ul>
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		□ Standard safety measures

#### **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 Organisation Chart
- 5. Developing nursing standards/protocols for various units
- 6. Design a layout plan for speciality 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 speciality 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 speciality units and develop plan of action by using problem solving approach
- 14. Plan a duty roster for speciality units/hospital, community and educational institutions
- 15. Prepare: anecdotes, incident reports, day and night reports, handing and taking over reports, enquiry reports, nurses notes, Official letters, curriculum vitae, presentations etc

- 16. Prepare a plan for disaster management
- 17. Group work
- 18. Field appraisal report

#### **CLINICAL SPECIALITY - II**

#### MEDICAL SURGICAL NURSING

#### SUB SPECIALITY - CARDIO VASCULAR AND THORACIC NURSING

Placement: II year Hours of Instruction

Theory: 150 hours. Practical: 950 hours. Total: 1100 hours.

## **Course Description**

This course is designed to assist students in developing expertise and indepth 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, pathophysiology 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
- 6. 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
I	5	<ul> <li>Introduction</li> <li>Historical development, trends and issues in the field of cardiology.</li> <li>Cardio vascular and thoracic conditions – major health problem.</li> <li>Concepts, principles and nursing perspectives</li> <li>Ethical and legal issues</li> <li>Evidence based nursing and its application in cardio vascular and thoracic nursing( to be incorporated in all the units)</li> </ul>
II	5	<ul> <li>Epidemiology</li> <li>Risk factors: hereditary, psycho social factors, hypertension, smoking, obesity, diabetes mellitus etc</li> <li>Health promotion, disease prevention, Life style modification</li> <li>National health programs related to cardio vascular and thoracic conditions</li> <li>Alternate system of medicine</li> <li>Complementary therapies</li> </ul>
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 Hemodynamics and electro physiology of heart. Bio-chemistry of blood in relation to cardio pulmonary function.
IV	20	Assessment and Diagnostic Measures:  - 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,

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		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:  Etiology, clinical manifestations, diagnosis, prognosis, related pathophysiology, 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  Associated illnesses

Unit	Hours	Content		
VI	10	Altered pulmonary conditions		
		<ul> <li>Etiology, clinical manifestations, diagnosis, prognosis, related pathophysiology, treatment modalities and nursing management of:</li> <li>Bronchitis</li> <li>Bronchial asthma</li> <li>Bronchiectasis</li> <li>Pneumonias</li> </ul>		
		<ul> <li>Lung abscess, lung tumour</li> <li>Pulmonary tuberculosis, fibrosis, pneumoconiosis etc</li> <li>Pleuritis, effusion</li> </ul>		
		<ul><li>Pneumo, haemo and pyothorax</li><li>Interstitial Lung Disease</li></ul>		
		<ul> <li>Cystic fibrosis</li> <li>Acute and Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (conditions leading to)</li> </ul>		
		<ul> <li>Cor pulmonale</li> <li>Acute respiratory failure</li> <li>Adult respiratory distress syndrome</li> </ul>		
		<ul><li>Pulmonary embolism</li><li>Pulmonary Hypertension</li></ul>		
VII	10	Vascular disorders and nursing management  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  CPR- BLS and ALS  Use of ventilator, defibrillator, pacemaker  Post resuscitation care.  Care of the critically ill patients		
		<ul> <li>Psychosocial and spiritual aspects of care</li> <li>Stress management; ICU psychosis</li> <li>Role of nurse</li> </ul>		
IX	10	Nursing care of a patient with obstructive airway  Assessment  Use of artificial airway  Endotracheal intubation, tracheostomy and its care  Complication, minimum cuff leak, securing tubes  Oxygen delivery systems.  Nasal Cannula		

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<ul> <li>Uses, advantages, disadvantages, nursing implications of each.</li> </ul>			
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		Antilipemics			
		Principles of drug administration, role and responsibilities of			
		nurses and care of drugs			
XII	20	Nursing Care of patient undergoing cardio thoracic surgery			
		<ul><li>Indications, selection of patient</li><li>Preoperative assessment and preparation; counselling.</li></ul>			
		anaesthesia, cardiopulmonary by pass.			
		□ Surgical procedures for Coronary Artery Bypass Grafting, recei			
		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			
XIII	5	Cardiac rehabilitation			
		□ Process			
		□ Physical evaluation			
		□ Life style modification			
		Physical conditioning for cardiovascular efficiency through exercise			
		□ Counseling			
		□ Follow up care			
XIV	5	Intensive Coronary Care Unit/intensive cardio thoracic unit:			
		<ul> <li>Quality assurance</li> </ul>			
		Standards, Protocols, Policies, Procedures			
		Infection control; Standard safety measures			
		Nursing audit     Nursing audit			
		Design of ICCU/ICTU  Confirmation  Conf			
		Staffing; cardiac team			
		Burn out syndrome  Numer's role in the management of LCCH and LCTH.			
		<ul><li>Nurse's role in the management of I.C.C.U and ICTU.</li><li>Mobile coronary care unit.</li></ul>			
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## **Practicals**

## Total - 960 Hours 1 Weeks = 30 Hours

S.No.	Deptt/ Unit	No. of Week	Total Hours
1	Cardio thoracic -Medical	4	120 Hours
	-Surgical	4	120 Hours
2.	OTs (Cardiac and thoracic)	4	120 Hours
3.	Casualty	2	60 Hours
4.	Diagnostic labs including cath lab	2	60 Hours
5.	ICCU	4	120 Hours
6.	ICU	4	120 Hours
7.	CCU	4	120 Hours
8.	Paediatric Intensive	2	60 Hours
9.	OPD	2	60 Hours
	Total	32 Weeks	960 Hours

# **Essential Nursing Skills**

#### **Procedures Observed**

- 1. Echo cardiogram
- 2. Ultrasound
- 3. Monitoring JVP, CVP
- 4. CT SCAN
- 5. MRI
- 6. Pet SCAN
- 7. Angiography
- 8. Cardiac cathetrisation
- 9. Angioplasty
- 10. Various Surgeries
- 11. Any other

#### I. Procedures 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 catheterisation
- 12. Angiogram
- 13. Defibrillation
- 14. Treadmill test

- 15. Echo cardiography
- 16. Doppler ultrasound
- 17. Cardiac surgery
- Insertion of chest tube 18.
- 19. **CVP** Monitoring
- 20. Measuring pulmonary artery pressure by Swan-Ganz Catheter
- 21. Cardiac Pacing

#### II. Procedures Performed

- Preparation of assessment tool for CT client (Cardiac, thoracic and 1. 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
- Tuberculen skin test 6.
- 7. Aerosal therapy
- 8. Nebulizer therapy
- 9. Water seal drainage
- 10. Chest physiotheray including – Breathing Exercises **Coughing Exercises** Percussion & Vibration
- 11. Suctioning – Oropharyngeal, nasotracheal, Endotrachieal Through tracheostomy tube
- 12. Artificial airway cuff maintenance
- 13. CPR
- 14. Care of client on ventilator
- Identification of different Arrhythmias 15. Abnormal pulses, respirations B.P. Variation

Heart sounds

Breath sounds

- 16. Pulse oxymetry
- 17. Introduction of intracath
- 18. Bolus I.V. Injection
- 19. Life line
- Maintenance of "Heplock" 20.
- 21. Subcutaneous of Heparin
- 22. Obtaining leg measurements to detect early swelling in thrombophlebetes
- Identification of Homans signs 23.
- Buergen Allen exercises 24.

## **CLINICAL SPECIALITY - II**

#### MEDICAL SURGICAL NURSING - CRITICAL CARE NURSING

Placement: II Year

Hours of instruction Theory: 150 hours Practical: 950 hours Total: 1100 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.

Unit	Hours	Content
I	5	<ul> <li>Introduction to Critical Care Nursing</li> <li>Historical review- Progressive patient care(PPC)</li> <li>Review of anatomy and physiology of vital organs, fluid and electrolyte balance</li> <li>Concepts of critical care nursing</li> <li>Principles of critical care nursing</li> <li>Scope of critical care nursing</li> <li>Critical care unit set up including equipments supplies, use and care of various type of monitors &amp; ventilators</li> <li>Flow sheets</li> </ul>
II	10	<ul> <li>Concept of Holistic care applied to critical care nursing practice</li> <li>Impact of critical care environment on patients:-         <ul> <li>Risk factors, Assessment of patients, Critical care psychosis, prevention &amp; nursing care for patients affected with psychophysiological &amp; psychosocial problems of critical care unit, Caring for the patient's family, family teaching</li> <li>The dynamics of healing in critical care unit:-therapeutic touch, Relaxation, Music therapy, Guided Imagery, acupressure</li> <li>Stress and burnout syndrome among health team members</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
III	14	Review  Pharmacokinetics Analgesics/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 fluids 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

Unit	Hours	Content	
v	5	Infection control in intensive care unit  Nosocomial infection in intensive care unit; methyl resistant staphylococcus aureus (MRSA), Disinfection, Sterilization, Standard safety measures, Prophylaxis for staff	
VI	10	Gastrointestinal System  Causes, Pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical features, diagnos Prognosis, Management: Medical, Surgical and Nursing manageme of:-Acute Gastrointestinal Bleeding, Abdominal injury, Hepati Disorders:-Fulminent hepatic failure, Hepatic encephalopath Acute Pancreatitis, Acute intestinal obstruction, perforative peritonitis	
VII	10	Renal System  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 Transplant,	
VIII	10	Nervous System  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  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  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	<ul> <li>Management of other Emergency Conditions</li> <li>Mechanism of injury, Thoracic injuries, Abdominal injuries, pelvic fractures, complications of trauma, Head injuries</li> <li>Shock: Shock syndrome, Hypovolemic, Cardiogenic, Anaphylactic, Neurogenic and Septic shock</li> <li>Systemic inflammatory Response: The inflammatory response, Multiple organ dysfunction syndrome</li> <li>Disseminated Intravascular Coagulation</li> <li>Drug Overdose and Poisoning,</li> <li>Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome (AIDS)</li> </ul>	

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		<ul> <li>Ophthalmic: Eye injuries, Glaucoma, retinal detachment</li> <li>Ear Nose Throat: Foreign bodies, stridor, bleeding, quincy, acute allergic conditions</li> <li>Psychiatric emergencies;, suicide,</li> <li>crisis intervention</li> </ul>
XI	20	Cardiovascular emergencies  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 & Nurisng 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	15	Respiratory System 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

Unit	Hours	Content
XIII	7	Burns  Clinical types, classification, pathophysiology, clinical features, assessment, diagnosis, prognosis, Management: Medical, Surgical & 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	Obstetrical Emergencies  □ 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	<ul> <li>Neonatal Paediatric emergencies</li> <li>Causes, pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical features, diagnostic, Prognosis, Management: medical, surgical and Nursing management of         <ul> <li>Neonatal emergencies</li> </ul> </li> <li>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:         <ul> <li>Cyanotic heart disease, tracheo oesophageal fistula, congenital hypertropic pyloric stenosis, imperforate anus</li> <li>Pediatric emergencies</li> <li>Dehydration, Acute broncho pneumonia, Acute respiratory distress syndrome, Poisoning, Foreign bodies, seizures, traumas, Status asthmaticus</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
XVI	2	Legal and ethical issues in critical care-Nurse's role  Brain death Organ donation & Counselling Do Not Resuscitate(DNR) Euthanasia Living will
XVII	2	Quality assurance  Standards, Protocols, Policies, Procedures  Infection control; Standard safety measures  Nursing audit Staffing Design of ICU/CCU

#### **Practical**

Total = 960 Hours 1 Week = 30 Hours

S.No.	Deptt./Unit	No. of Week	<b>Total Hours</b>
3	Burns ICU	2	60 Hours
5	Medical ICU	8	240 Hours
6	Surgical ICU	12	360 Hours
9	CCU	2	60 Hours
10	Emergency Department	3	90 Hours
12	Dialysis Unit	1	30 Hours
13	Transplant Room	2	60 Hours
14	Paediatric/ NICU	2	60 Hours
	Total	32 Weeks	960 Hours

### **ESSENTIAL CRITICAL CARE NURSING SKILLS**

### I. Procedures Observed

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

## **II. Procedures 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 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.

## **IV Other Procedures:**

### **CLINICAL SPECIALITY-II**

### MEDICAL SURGICAL NURSING- ONCOLOGY NURSING

Placement: II Year Hours of Instruction

Theory: 150 hours Practicals: 950 hours Total: 1100 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
- 2. 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**

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  The Nature of Cancer  Normal cell biology  The Immune system  Pathological and pathophysiological changes in tissues  Biology of the cancer cell  Clone formation Transformation
II 5	<ul> <li>Normal cell biology</li> <li>The Immune system</li> <li>Pathological and pathophysiological changes in tissues</li> <li>Biology of the cancer cell</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Tumor stem lines</li> <li>Structure of a solid tumor</li> <li>Products produced by the tumor</li> <li>Systemic effects of tumor growth</li> </ul>
III 4	Etiology of Cancer  Carcinogenesis,  Theories of cancer causation  Risk factors  Carcinogens – genetic factors, chemical carcinogens, radiation, viruses, Immune system failure, rapid tissue proliferation  Hormone changes, diet, emotional factors.
IV 10	<ul> <li>Diagnostic Evaluation</li> <li>Health assessment: History taking, physical examination,</li> <li>Staging and grading of tumors,</li> <li>TNM Classification</li> <li>Common diagnostic tests</li> <li>Blood investigation: Haemetological, Bio-chemical, Tumor markers, Hormonal assay</li> <li>Cytology:Fine needle aspiration cytology(FNAC)</li> <li>Histopathology: Biopsy</li> <li>Radiological assessment: MRI, Ultrasound, Computed tomography, Mammography, Positron emission tomography(PET), Radio nuclide imaging, Functional metabolism imaging</li> <li>Endoscopies</li> </ul>

Unit	Hours.	Content
V	10	<ul> <li>Levels of prevention and care</li> <li>Primary prevention – Guidelines for cancer detection, general measures, Warning signs of cancer,</li> <li>Self examination-Oral, Breast, Testicular</li> <li>Secondary prevention – early diagnosis.</li> <li>Screening</li> <li>Tertiary prevention – disability limitation,</li> <li>Rehabilitation :Mobility , Speech, Bowel and bladder, Ostomies etc</li> <li>Patient and family education,</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Discharge instruction, follow-up care and use of community resources.</li> </ul>
VI	25	Cancer Treatment Modalities and Nurse's Role  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
		<ul> <li>Radiation Therapy</li> <li>Physics of radiotherapy</li> <li>Types of ionizing rays</li> <li>Radiation equipments: Linear accelerator, cobalt, Implants, Isotopes,</li> <li>Types of therapies: Oral, Brachy therapy, tele therapy, selectron therapy</li> <li>Effects of radiation on the body tissue,</li> <li>Radiation biology – cell damage hypoxic cells, alteration of tumor kinetics.</li> <li>Approaches to radiation therapy –</li> <li>External radiotherapy</li> <li>Internal radiotherapy – unsealed,</li> <li>Sealed sources.</li> <li>Effectiveness of radiotherapy-Radiosensitivity, treatment effects</li> <li>Complications of radiotherapy</li> <li>Radiation safety: Standards of Bhaba Atomic Research Centre(BARC)</li> </ul>

Unit	Hours.	Content
		<ul> <li>Bone Marrow Transplantation /Stem Cell Transplantation</li> <li>Types, indications, transplantation procedure, complications and nursing managment</li> <li>Types and donor sources</li> <li>Preparation and care of donor and recipient</li> <li>Bone marrow bank</li> <li>Legal and ethical issues</li> <li>Immunotherapy (Biotherapy)</li> <li>Concepts and principles</li> <li>Classification of agents</li> <li>Treatment and applications</li> </ul>
		Current Concepts and practices
		<ul> <li>Alternative and Complementary Therapies</li> <li>Current practices</li> </ul>
VII	10	<ul> <li>Pain management:- Theories, types and</li> <li>Nature of cancer pain</li> <li>Pathophysiology of pain</li> <li>Pain threshold</li> <li>Assessment of pain</li> <li>Principles of cancer pain control</li> <li>Pharmacological: Opioid and non-opioid analgesic therapy</li> <li>Patient controlled analgesia(PCA)</li> <li>Other invasive techniques of pain control</li> <li>Recent developments in Cancer pain</li> <li>Non- Pharmacological pain relief technique</li> <li>Complementary therapies(Music, massage, meditation, relaxation techniques, biofeed back etc)</li> <li>Psychological intervention in pain control</li> <li>Alternative system of medicines</li> </ul> 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

Unit	Hours.	Content
IX	2	<ul> <li>Infection control:</li> <li>Process of infection, risk of hospitalization, nosocomial infections- prevention and control of infection in acute, long term care facility and community based care</li> <li>Standard safety measures</li> </ul>
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, renal testicular malignancies, Gynecological malignancies-cervix, uterus, ovary Hematological malignancies-Lymphomas, Leukemias. Malignancies of musculoskeletal 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

Unit	Hours.	Content
XIII	10	Cancer Emergencies  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.
XV	2	Layout and Design of an oncology institution/ ward, OPD, 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**

S.	Deptt./ Unit	No. of Week	Total Hours
No.			
1	Medical Oncology ward	6	180 Hours
2	Surgical Oncology ward	6	180 Hours
3	Bone marrow transplantation Unit	2	60 Hours
4	Operation Theatre	2	60 Hours
5	Radiotherapy Unit	2	60 Hours
6	Chemotherapy Unit	4	120 Hours
7	Out patient department and pain clinic	2	60 Hours
8	Pediatric Oncology ward	2	60 Hours
9	Palliative Care ward	2	60 Hours
10	Community oncology	2	60 Hours
11	Hospice	1	30 Hours
12	Other field visits	1	30 Hours
	Total	32 Weeks	960 Hours

### **Procedures 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
- 11. Others

#### **Procedures Assisted**

- 1. IV cannulation Open method
- 2. Chemotherapy
- 3. Radiotherapy Brachytherapy Low Density Radiation, High Density 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 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

### **CLINICAL SPECIALITY - II**

### MEDICAL SURGICAL NURSING- NEUROSCIENCES NURSING

Placement: II Years

Hours of Instruction Theory – 150 Hours Practical- 950 Hours Total : 1100 Hours

## **Course Description**

This course is designed to assist students in developing expertise and in-depth 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
- 3. 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
Ī	5	<ul> <li>Introduction</li> <li>Introduction to neuroscience(neurological and neurosurgical) nursing</li> <li>History-Development in neurological and neurosurgical nursing, Service &amp; education</li> <li>Emerging trends and issues in neurology and neuro surgery and its implication to nursing.</li> <li>neurological and neurosurgical problems –</li> <li>Concepts, principles and nursing perspectives</li> <li>Ethical and legal issues</li> <li>Evidence based nursing and its application in neurological and neurosurgical nursing</li> </ul>
II	5	<ul> <li>Epidemiology</li> <li>Major health problems-</li> <li>Risk factors associated with neurological conditions- Hereditary, Psychosocial factors, smoking, alcoholism, dietary habits, cultural and ethnic considerations, occupational and infections.</li> <li>Health promotion, disease prevention, life style modification and its implications to nursing</li> <li>Alternate system of medicine/complementary therapies</li> </ul>
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

Unit	Hours	Content	
IV	15	Assessment 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	<ul> <li>Meeting Nutritional needs of neurological patients</li> <li>Basic nutritional requirements</li> <li>Metabolic changes following injury and starvation</li> <li>Nutritional assessment</li> <li>Common neurological problems that interfere with nutrition and strategies for meeting their nutritional needs</li> <li>Special metabolic and electrolyte imbalances</li> <li>Chronic fatigue syndrome</li> </ul>	
VI	5	Drugs used in neurological and neurosurgical disorders  □ Classification □ Indications, contraindications, actions and effects, toxic effects  Role of nurse	

Unit	Hours	Content	
VII	10	<ul> <li>Traumatic conditions.</li> <li>Causes, pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical features, diagnosis, Prognosis, Management: medical, surgical and Nursing management of</li> <li>Cranio cerebral injuries.</li> <li>Spinal &amp; Spinal cord injuries.</li> <li>Peripheral nerve injuries.</li> <li>Unconsciousness</li> </ul>	
VIII	10	Cerebro vascular disorders.  Causes, pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical features, diagnosis, Prognosis, Management: medical, surgical and Nursing management of  Stroke & arterio venous thrombosis.  Haemorrhagic embolus.  Cerebro vascular accidents.  Intracranial aneurysm.  Subarchnoid Haemorrhage.  Arterio venous fistula.  Brain tumours  Diseases of cranial nerves; Trigiminal neuralgia, Facial palsy, Bulbar palsy.	
IX	10	<ul> <li>Degenerating and demyelinating disorders</li> <li>Causes, pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical features, diagnostic, Prognosis, Management: medical, surgical and Nursing management of</li> <li>Motor neuron diseases.</li> <li>Movement disorders- Tics, dystonia, chorea, wilson's disease, essential tremors</li> <li>Dementia.</li> <li>Parkinson's disease.</li> <li>Multiple sclerosis.</li> <li>Alzemier's</li> </ul>	
X	10	<ul> <li>Neuro infections</li> <li>□ Causes, pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical features, diagnostic, Prognosis , Management: medical, surgical and Nursing management of Neuro infections</li> <li>• Meningitis-types</li> <li>• Encephalitis.</li> <li>• Poliomyelitis.</li> <li>• Parasitic infections.</li> <li>• Bacterial infections</li> <li>• Neurosyphilis.</li> <li>• HIV &amp; AIDS.</li> <li>• Brain abscess.</li> </ul>	

Unit	Hours	Content	
XI	10	<ul> <li>Paroxysmal disorders.</li> <li>□ Causes, pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical features, diagnosis, Prognosis, Management: medical, surgical and Nursing management of</li> <li>• Epilepsy and seizures.</li> <li>• Status epilepticus.</li> <li>• Syncope.</li> <li>• Menier's syndrome.</li> <li>• Cephalgia.</li> </ul>	
XII	10	<ul> <li>Developmental disorders.</li> <li>Causes, pathophysiology, Clinical types, Clinical features, diagnostic, Prognosis, Management: medical, surgical and Nursing management of</li> <li>Hydrocephalus.</li> <li>Craniosynostosis.</li> <li>spina bifida- Meningocele, Meningomyelocele encephalocele</li> <li>syringomyelia.</li> <li>Cerebro vascular system anomalies.</li> <li>Cerebral palsies.</li> <li>Down's syndrome</li> </ul>	
XIII	10	Neuro muscular disorders.  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.  □ 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	

Unit	Hours	Content	
XVI	10	Neuro emergencies  □ 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.  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 & LanguageNeurogenic 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	<ul> <li>Quality assurance in neurolgical nursing practice</li> <li>Role of advance practitioner in neurological nursing</li> <li>Professional practice standards</li> <li>Quality control in neurologic nursing</li> <li>Nursing audit</li> <li>Neuro ICU</li> <li>Philosophy, aims and objectives</li> <li>Policies, staffing pattern, design and physical plan of neuro ICU</li> <li>Team approach, functions</li> <li>Psychosocial aspects in relation to staff and clients of neuro ICU,</li> <li>In-service education</li> </ul>	

S.No.	AREA OF POSTING	No. of Week	Total Hours
1	O.P.D.	2	60
2	Casualty	2	60
3	Diagnostics	2	60
4	Neuro psychiatry	1	30
5	Neuro Medical wards	4	120
6	Paediatric Neuro ward	2	60
7	Neuro surgical wards	4	120
8	Head Injury ward	3	90
9	ICU- neuro medicine	4	120
10	I.C.U neuro surgical	4	120
11	Rehabilitation	2	60
12	Operation Theatre	2	60
	Total	32 Weeks	960 Hours

### **ESSENTIAL NEURO NURSING SKILLS**

### I. Procedures 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
- 11. Any other

## **II. Procedures 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 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:**

### **CLINICAL SPECIALITY - II**

### MEDICAL SURGICAL NURSING- NEPHRO-UROLOGY NURSING

Placement: II Year

Hour of Instruction Theory: 150 Hours Practical: 950 Hours Total: 1100 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 urological 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

Unit	Hours	Content	
I	5	<ul> <li>Introduction</li> <li>Historical development: trends and issues in the field of nephro and urological nursing.</li> <li>nephro and urological problems</li> <li>Concepts, principles and nursing perspectives</li> <li>Ethical and legal issues</li> <li>Evidence based nursing and its application in nephro and urological nursing(to be incorporated in all the units)</li> </ul>	
II	5	<ul> <li>Epidemiology</li> <li>Major health problems- urinary dysfunction, urinary tract infections, Glomuerular disorders, obstructive disorders ad other urinary disorders</li> <li>Risk factors associated with nephro and urological conditions conditions- Hereditary, Psychosocial factors, smoking, alcoholism, dietary habits, cultural and ethnic considerations</li> <li>Health promotion, disease prevention, life style modification and its implications to nursing</li> <li>Alternate system of medicine/complementary therapies</li> </ul>	
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 Immunology specific to kidney	
IV	20	Assessment and diagnostic measures  History taking Physical assessment, psychosocial assessment Common assessment abnormalities-dysurea, frequency, enuresis, urgency, hesistancy, hematuria, pain, retention, burning on urination, pneumaturia, incontinence, nocturia, polyurea, anuria, oliguria, Diagnostic tests-urine studies, blood chemistry, radiological procedures-KUB, IVP,nephrotomogram, retrograde pylogram, renal arteriogram, renalultrasound, CT scan, MRI, cystogram, renal	

Unit	Hours	Content		
		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		
		□ General Concept of immunopathology		
		Immune mechanism of glomerual vascular disease      Rele of mediator systems in glomerula vascular disease		
		□ Role of mediater systems in glomerula vascular disease		
VI	15	Urological Disorders and Nursing Management  Etiology, clinical manifestations, diagnosis, prognosis, related pathophysiology, medical, surgical and nursing management of  Urinary tract infections- pyelonephritis, lower urinary tract infections,  Disorders for ureters, bladder and urethera  Urinary tract infections- Urinary dysfunctions- urinary retention, urinary incontinence, urinary reflux,  Bladder disorders- neoplasms, calculi, neurogenic bladder, trama, congenital abnormalities  Benign prostrate hypertrophy(BPH)  Ureteral disorders: ureteritis, ureteral trauma, congenital anomalies of ureters  Uretheral disorders- tumours, trauma, congenial anomalies of ureters,		
VII	25	Glomueral disorders and nursing management  Etiology, clinical manifestations, diagnosis, prognosis, related pathophysiology, medical, surgical and nursing management of Glomueralo nephritis- chronic, acute, nephritic 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		
VIII	10	<ul> <li>Management of Renal emergencies</li> <li>Anuria</li> <li>Acute Renal failure</li> <li>Poisoning</li> <li>Trauma</li> <li>Urine retention</li> </ul>		

Unit	Hours	Content	
		□ Acute graft rejection	
		□ Hematuria □ Nurse's role	
		nurse's role	
IX	10	Drugs used in urinary disorders	
		□ Classification	
		□ Indications, contraindications, actions and effects, toxic effects	
		□ Role of nurse	
X	10	Dialysis	
<b>A</b>	10	<b>Dialysis</b> □ Dialysis- Historical, types, Principles, goals	
		Hemodialysis- vascular access sites- temporary and permanent	
		Peritoneal dialysis	
		Dialsyis Procedures- steps, equipments, maintenance,	
		□ Role of nurse- pre dialysis, intra and post dialysis	
		□ Complications-	
		□ Counseling	
		patient education	
		□ Records and reports	
XI	10	□ Kidney transplantation	
		Nursing management of a patient with Kidney transplantation	
		□ Kidney transplantations- a historical review	
		□ Immunology of graft rejections	
		□ The recipient of a renal transplant	
		□ Renal preservations	
		Human Leucocytic Antigen(HLA) typing matching and cross	
		matching in renal transplantation  □ Surgical techniques of renal transplantations	
		Surgical techniques of renal transplantations     Chronic renal transplant rejection	
		Complication after KTP: Vascular and lymphatic, Uroloical,	
		cardiovascular, liver and neurological, infectious complication	
		□ 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	
		<ul> <li>Psychological aspect of KTP and organ donations</li> </ul>	
		□ 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	
		□ Etiology, clinical manifestations, diagnosis, prognosis, related	
		pathophysiology, medical, surgical and nursing management of	
		children with Renal Diseases -UTI, ureteral reflux, glomerulo	
		nephritis, nephrotic syndrome infantile nephrosis, cystic kidneys,	
		familial factors in renal diseases in childhood, Haemolytic uraemic	

Unit	Hours	Content	
		syndrome. Benign recurrent haemturia, nephropathy, wilms' tumour	
XIV	5	<ul> <li>Critical care units- dialysis , KTP unit</li> <li>Philosophy, aims and objectives</li> <li>Policies, staffing pattern, design and physical plan of Dialysis and KTP units</li> <li>Team approach, functions</li> <li>Psychosocial aspects in relation to staff and clients of ICU, dialysis unit</li> <li>In-service education</li> <li>Ethical and legal issues</li> </ul>	
XV	5	<ul> <li>Quality assurance in nephrological nursing practice</li> <li>Role of advance practioner in nephrological nursing</li> <li>Professional practice standards</li> <li>Quality control in nephrological nursing</li> <li>Nursing audit</li> </ul>	

## **Practicals**

## Total = 960 Hours 1 Week = 30 Hours

S. No.	Deptt./ Unit	No. of Week	Total Hours
1	Nephrology Ward	6	180 Hours
2	Pediatrics	2	60 Hours
3	Critical Care Unit	2	60 Hours
4	Urology Ward	6	180 Hours
5	Dialysis Unit	4	120 Hours
6	Kidney Transplantation Unit	2	60 Hours
7	URO OT	2	60 Hours
8	Emergency Wards	2	60 Hours
9	Uro Nephro OPDs	4	120 Hours
10	Diagnostic Labs	2	60 Hours
	Total	32 Weeks	960 Hours

## **Procedures observed**

#### I. Procedures Observed

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

### II. Procedures 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. Procedure Performed

- 1. Health assessment
- 2. Insertion of uretheral 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, and fumigation 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:

### **CLINICAL SPECIALITY - II**

#### MEDICAL SURGICAL NURSING - ORTHOPEDIC NURSING

Placement: II Year

Hours of Instruction Theory: 150 Hours Practical: 950 Hours Total: 1100 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.

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  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  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	

Unit	Hours	Content	
		<ul> <li>Head injury</li> <li>Chest injury</li> <li>Polytrauma</li> <li>Nerve injuries</li> <li>Vascular injuries</li> <li>Soft tissue injuries</li> <li>Sports injuries</li> <li>Amputation</li> </ul>	
V	8	<ul> <li>Infections of Bones and Joints</li> <li>Causes, pathophysiology, clinical types, clinical features, diagnosis, prognosis, management, medical surgical and nursing management of:         <ul> <li>Tuberculosis</li> <li>Osteomyelitis</li> <li>Arthritis</li> <li>Leprosy</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
VI	5	Bone Tumours  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	<ul> <li>Deformities</li> <li>Causes, pathophysiology, clinical types, clinical features, diagnosis, prognosis – medical surgical and nursing management of:Scoliosis, Kyphosis,Lordosis</li> <li>Congenital disorders: Congenital dislocation of hip(CDH), Dislocation of patella, knee,</li> <li>Varus and valgus deformities,</li> <li>Deformities of digits,</li> <li>Congenital torticollis.</li> <li>Meningocele, meningomyelocele, spina bifida,</li> <li>Chromosomal disorders.</li> <li>Computer related deformities</li> </ul>	
VIII	5	Disorders of the spine  □ Intervertebral disc prolapse, Fracture of the spine  □ Low back disorder – Low back pain, PND, spinal stenosis, spondylosis	
IX	5	<ul> <li>Nutritional/Metabolic and Endocrine Disorders</li> <li>□ Causes, pathophysiology, clinical types, clinical features, diagnosis, prognosis, medical surgical and nursing managementof:</li> <li>• Rickets,</li> <li>• Scurvy,</li> <li>• Hyper vitaminosis A and D,</li> <li>• Osteomalacia,</li> </ul>	

Unit	Hours	Content		
		<ul> <li>Osteoporosis</li> <li>Paget's disease,</li> <li>gout,</li> <li>Gigantism,</li> <li>Dwarfism,</li> <li>Acromegaly.</li> <li>Therapeutic diets for various orthopedic disorders</li> </ul>		
X	8	<ul> <li>Neuro-Muscular Disorders:         <ul> <li>Causes, pathophysiology, clinical types, clinical features, diagnosis, prognosis, medical surgical and nursing managementof:</li> <li>Poliomyelitis, Cerebral Palsy</li> <li>Myasthenia gravis</li> <li>Spina bifida.</li> <li>Peripheral nerve lesion,</li> <li>Paraplegia, Hemiplegia, Quadriplegia.</li> <li>Muscular dystrophy</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		
XI	8	Chronic/Degenerative Diseases of Joints and Autoimmune Disorders:  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:  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.  Gare at home – involvement of family and community, follow up care and rehabilitation		
XIV	6	<ul> <li>Pharmacokinetics</li> <li>Principles of drug administration</li> <li>Analgesics and anti inflammatory agents</li> <li>Antibiotics, Antiseptics,</li> <li>Drugs used in orthopedics and neuromuscular disorders</li> <li>Blood and blood components</li> <li>Care of drugs and nurses role</li> </ul>		

Unit	Hours	Content		
XV	30	Nurses Role in Orthopedic Conditions		
AV	30	<ul> <li>Gait analysis</li> <li>Urodynamic studies</li> <li>Prevention of physical deformities</li> <li>Alteration of body temperature regulatory system and immune systems</li> <li>Immobilization – cast, splints, braces and tractions</li> <li>Prevention and care of problems related to immobility</li> <li>Altered sleep patterns</li> <li>Impaired communication</li> <li>Self care and activities of daily living</li> <li>Bladder and bowel rehabilitation</li> <li>Sensory function rehabilitation</li> <li>Psychological reaction related to disabilities and disorders.</li> <li>Coping of individual and family with disabilities and disorders</li> <li>Maintaining sexuality</li> </ul>		
		Orthopedic Reconstructive Surgeries  Replacement surgeries – Hip, Knee, Shoulder  Spine surgeries Grafts and flaps surgery Deformity correction.		
		<ul> <li>Physiotherapy</li> <li>Concepts, Principles, purpose,</li> <li>Mobilization – Exercises: types, re-education in walking:         Crutch walking, wheel chair, Transfer techniques,</li> <li>Types of gaits: Non-weight bearing, partial weight bearing, four point crutch, tripoid, walking with sticks, calipers</li> <li>Forms of therapies: Hydrotherapy, electrotherapy, wax bath, heat therapy, ice, helio therapy, radiant heat,</li> <li>Chest physiotherapy</li> </ul>		
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.		

Unit	Hours	Content	
		Public policy in rehabilitation nursing The persons with disabilities act 1995, Mental rehabilitation and 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 and 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 = 960 Hours 1 Week = 30 Hours

S. No.	Deptt./Unit	No. of Week	Total Hours
1	Orthopedic Ward	8	240 Hours
2	Orthopedic Operation theatre	4	120 Hours
3	Neurosurgical Ward	2	60 Hours
4	Orthopedic O.P.D.	4	120 Hours
5	Casualty/Emergency and Trauma	4	120 Hours
6	Rehabilitation Units	2	60 Hours
7	Physiotherapy Unit	4	120 Hours
8	Paediatric /paediatric surgery unit	2	60 Hours
9	Field Visit	2	60 Hours
	Total	32 Weeks	960 Hours

### **Procedures 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 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, replantation, spinal decompression, transplantation of bone, muscle or articular cartilage, autografting, allografting.
- 6. Injection Intra articular, intra osseous.
- 7. Advance Life Support

#### **Peocedures 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**

#### MEDICAL SURGICAL NURSING - GASTRO ENTEROLOGY NURSING

Placement: II Year

Hours of Instruction
Theory: 150 hrs.

Practical: 950 hrs. Total: 1100 hrs.

#### **Course Description**

This course is designed to assist students in developing expertise and indepth 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 programs 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 GE 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	<ul> <li>Introduction</li> <li>Historical development: trends and issues in the field of gastro enterology.</li> <li>Gastro enterological problems</li> <li>Concepts, principles and nursing perspectives</li> <li>Ethical and legal issues</li> <li>Evidence based nursing and its application in gastrointestinal nursing(to be incorporated in all the units)</li> </ul>	
II	5	<ul> <li>Epidemiology</li> <li>Risk factors associated with GE conditions- Hereditar Psychosocial factors, smoking, alcoholism, dietary habits, cultural and ethnic considerations</li> <li>Health promotion, disease prevention, life style modification and its implications to nursing</li> <li>National health programmes related to gastro enterology</li> <li>Alternate system of medicine/complementary therapies</li> </ul>	
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  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	

Unit Ho	urs	Content	
		<ul> <li>Colonoscopy</li> <li>Proctosigmoidoscopy</li> <li>Endoscopic Retrogrde Cholongio pancreotography (ERCP)</li> <li>Endoscopic ultrasound</li> <li>Peritonoscopy(Laproscopy)</li> <li>Gastric emptying studies</li> <li>Blood chemistries: Serum amylase, serum lipase</li> <li>Liver biopsy</li> <li>Miscellaneous tests:Gastric analysis, fecal analysis</li> <li>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</li> <li>Interpretation of diagnostic measures</li> <li>Nurse's role in diagnostic tests</li> </ul>	
V	25	Gastro intestinal disorders and nursing management  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 Non 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, Peritonities, Intestinal obstruction, Abdominal TB, Gastrointestinal polyposis syndrome  Chronic inflammatory bowel disease, Ulcerative colites, 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 diarrhoea  Anorectal Conditions: Hemorrhoide, Anal fissure, Anal fistula, Abscess, Strictures, Rectal prolapse, Pruritis ani, Pelonidal disease, Anal condylomas, Warts	

Unit	Hours	Content	
VI	15	Disorder of liver, pancreas gall bladder and nursing 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	
		□ Cholelitheasis	
		Choledocholilethiasis	
		<ul> <li>Disorders of the pancreas: Pancreatitis,</li> <li>Benign tumors of islet cells</li> </ul>	
		□ 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	
		□ Etiology, clinical manifestations, diagnosis, prognosis, related	
		pathophysiology, medical, surgical and nursing management of:	
		Esophageal varices,	
		Ulcer perforation,	
		Acute cholecystitis	
		Diverticulitis  Following at the partia fail and	
		Fulminant hepatic failure  But the second seco	
		Biliary obstruction	
		Bowel obstruction	
		• Gastroenteritis	
		Intussusception     Agute integtinal obstruction, perforation	
		Acute intestinal obstruction, perforation  Acute nongregatities	
		Acute pancreatitis     Girph asia of liver complications	
		Cirrhosis of liver complications     Liver galace stamped paragraphic magantagic bound and	
		<ul> <li>Liver, spleen, stomach pancreatic, mesenteric, bowel and greater vessel injuries</li> </ul>	
		Acute appendicitis /peritonitis	
		Acute appendictus / peritoliitis     Acute abdomen	
		Food poisoning	
		- 1 oou poisoning	
VIII	15	□ Congenital Anomalies of Esophagus	
		Esophageal atresia	
		Tracheo esophageal fistula	

Unit	Hours	Content	
		<ul> <li>Esophageal stenosis</li> <li>Esophageal duplications</li> <li>Dysphagia – Lusoria – aberrent right subclavian artery compressing esophagus</li> <li>Esophageal rings – schalzkiring</li> <li>Esophageal webs</li> </ul>	
		<ul> <li>Congenital Anomalies of Stomach</li> <li>Gastric atresia</li> <li>Micro gastria</li> <li>Gastric diverticulum</li> <li>Gastric teratoma</li> <li>Gastric volvulus</li> <li>Infantile hypertrophic pyloric stenosis</li> <li>Adult hypertrophic pyloric stenosis</li> <li>Congenital Anomalies of Duodenal</li> <li>Duodenal Atresia or stenosis</li> <li>Annular pancreas</li> <li>Duodenal duplication cysts</li> <li>Malrotation and mid gut volvolus</li> <li>Developmental anomalies of the intestine:         <ul> <li>Abdominal wall defects (omphalocele and Gastroschisis)</li> <li>Meckel's diverticulum</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
		<ul> <li>Intestinal atresia</li> <li>Hirschsprung's disease</li> </ul>	
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	

Unit	Hours	Content	
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	
	15	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	

S.No.	Deptt./Unit	No. of Week	Total Hours
1	Diagnostic labs	2	60 Hours
2	Emergency and casualty	3	90 Hours
3	Liver transplant unit	1	30 Hours
4	GE Medical Ward	6	180 Hours
5	GE Surgical Ward	8	240 Hours
6	ОТ	2	60 Hours
7	ICU	4	120 Hours
8	Pediatric gastroenterology	2	60 Hours
9	Oncology	2	60 Hours
10	GE OPD	2	60 Hours
	Total	32 Weeks	960 Hours

#### **Procedures Assisted**

- 1. Endoscopy room Upper G.I. Endoscopy (Diagnotic and therapeutic).
- 2. Sigmoidoscopy
- 3. Colonoscopy
- 4. Polypectomy
- 5. Endoscopic retrograde cholangio pancreatiography (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 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

#### OBSTETRIC AND GYNAECOLOGICAL NURSING

Placement - II Year

Hours of Instruction
Theory: 150 hrs
Practical 950 hrs
Total 1100 hrs

#### **Course Description**

This course is designed to assist the student in developing expertise and indepth understanding in the field of Obstetric and gynecological Nursing. It will help the student to develop advanced nursing skills for nursing interventions in various obstetrical and gynecological 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. Perform physical, psychosocial, cultural & spiritual assessment
- 3. Demonstrate competence in caring for women with obstetrical and gynaecological conditions
- 4. Demonstrate competence in caring for high risk newborn.
- 5. Identify and Manage obstetrical and neonatal emergencies as per protocol.
- 6. Practice infection control measures
- 7. Utilize recent technology and various diagnostic, therapeutic modalities in the management of obstetrical, gynecological and neonatal care.
- 8. Demonstrate skill in handling various equipments/gadgets used for obstetrical, gynaecological and neonatal care
- 9. Teach and supervise nurses and allied health workers.
- 10. Design a layout of speciality units of obstetrics and gynecology
- 11. Develop standards for obstetrical and gynaecological nursing practice.
- 12. Counsel women and families
- 13. Incorporate evidence based nursing practice and identify the areas of research in the field of obstetrical and gynaecological nursing
- 14. Function as independent midwifery nurse practitioner

# **Contents Outline**

Unit	Hours	Content		
I	25	<ul> <li>Management of problems of women during pregnancy</li> <li>Risk approach of obstetrical nursing care, concept &amp;goals.</li> <li>Screening of high-risk pregnancy, newer modalities of diagnosis.</li> <li>Nursing Management of Pregnancies at risk-due to obstetrical complication</li> <li>Pernicious Vomiting.</li> <li>Bleeding in early pregnancy, abortion, ectopic pregnancy, and gestational trophoblostic diseases.</li> <li>Hemorrhage during late pregnancy, ante partum hemorrhage, Placenta praevia, abruptio placenta.</li> <li>Hypertensive disorders in pregnancy, pre-eclampsia, eclampsia, Heomolysis Elevated liver enzyme Low Platelet count (HELLP)</li> <li>Iso-immune diseases. Rh and ABO incompatibility</li> <li>Hematological problems in pregnancy.</li> <li>Hydramnios-oligohydramnios</li> <li>Prolonged pregnancy- post term, post maturity.</li> <li>Multiple pregnancies.</li> <li>Intra uterine infection &amp; pain during pregnancy.</li> <li>Intra Uterine Growth Retardation(IUGR), Premature Rupture of Membrane(PROM), intra uterine death</li> </ul>		
II	15	Pregnancies at risk-due to pre-existing health problems  Metabolic conditions.  Anemia and nutritional deficiencies  Hepatitis  Cardio-vascular disease.  Thyroid diseases.  Epilepsy.  Essential hypertension  Chronic renal failure.  Tropical diseases.  Psychiatric disorders  Infections Toxoplasmosis Rubella Cytomegalo virus Herpes (TORCH); Reproductive Tract Infection(RTI);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	15	Abnormal labour, pre-term labour & obstetrical emergencies  Etiology, pathopyhsiology and nursing management of  Uncoordinated uterine actions, Atony of uterus, precipitate labour, prolonged labour.  Abnormal lie, presentation, position compound presentation.		

		Contracted pelvis-CPD; dystocia.
		Obstetrical emergencies Obstetrical shock, vasa praevia,
		inversion of uterus, amniotic fluid embolism, rupture
		uterus, presentation and prolapse cord.
		<ul> <li>Augmentation of labour. Medical and surgical induction.</li> </ul>
		• Version
		Manual removal of placenta.
		Obstetrical operation: Forceps delivery, Ventouse,
		Caesarian section, Destructive operations
		Genital tract injuries-Third degree perineal tear, VVF, RVF
		□ Complications of third stage of labour:
		Post partum Hemorrhage.
		Retained placenta.
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IV	10	post partum complications
		□ Nursing management of
		Puerperal infections, puerperal sepsis, urinary
		complications, puerperal venous thrombosis and
		pulmonary embolism
		Sub involution of uterus, Breast conditions,  Theorem and labitic.
		Thrombophlebitis
		Psychological complications, post partum blues,  depression psychologic
<b>X</b> 7	25	depression, psychosis
V	25	High Risk Newborn  — Concept, goals, assessment, principles.
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		<ul> <li>Nursing management of</li> <li>Pre-term, small for gestational age, post-mature infant,</li> </ul>
		and baby of diabetic and substance use mothers.
		<ul> <li>Respiratory conditions, Asphyxia neonatorum, neonatal</li> </ul>
		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
		<ul> <li>Organization of neonatal care, services(Levels), transport,</li> </ul>
		neonatal intensive care unit, organization and
		management of nursing services in NICU

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VI	15	HIV/AIDS  HIV positive mether and her baby			
		□ HIV positive mother and her baby			
		- Epidemiology			
		<ul><li>Screening</li><li>Parent to child transmission(PTCT)</li></ul>			
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		Prophylaxis for mother and baby			
		Standard safety measures     Counseling			
		Counseling			
		Breast feeding issues  National policies and guidelines			
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		□ Issues: Legal,ethical, Psychosocial and rehabilitation			
		Role of nurse			
VII	25	Gynecological problems and nursing management			
VII	23	Gynecological assessment			
		Gynecological procedures			
		Etiology, pathophysiology, diagnosis and nursing			
		management of			
		Menstrual irregularities			
		<ul> <li>Diseases of genital tract</li> </ul>			
		Genital tract infections			
		<ul> <li>Uterine displacement</li> </ul>			
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		Genital prolapse     Genital injuries			
		Genital injuries      Heaving malformation			
		Uterine malformation  Herein Classical Report Control Report			
		Uterine fibroid, ovarian tumors, Breast carcinoma, Pelvic      Grand to the street and the			
		inflammatory diseases, reproductive tract malignancies,			
		hysterectomy – vaginal and abdominal.			
		Sexual abuse, rape, trauma , assault			
VIII	5	Administration and management of obstetrical and			
		gynaecological unit			
		□ Design & layout			
		□ Staffing,			
		□ Equipment, supplies,			
		□ Infection control; Standard safety measures			
		<ul> <li>Quality Assurance:-Obstetric auditing –records /reports,</li> </ul>			
		Norms, policies and protocols			
		□ Practice standards for obstetrical and gynaecological unit			
IX	5	Education and training in obstetrical and gynaecological			
		care			
		□ Staff orientation, training and development,			
		□ In-service education program,			
		□ Clinical teaching programs.			

## **Practicals**

# Total = 960 Hours 1 Week = 30 Hours

S.No.	Deptt./ Unit	No. of Week	<b>Total Hours</b>
1	Antenatal OPD including Infertility clinics/Reproductive medicine, Family welfare and post partum clinic / PTCT	6	180 Hours
2	Antenatal and Postnatal ward	6	180 Hours
3	Labour room	4	120 Hours
4	Neonatal Intensive Care Unit	3	90 Hours
5	Obstetric/Gynae Operation Theatre	3	90 Hours
6	Gynae Ward	4	120 Hours
7	CHC, PHC, SC	6	180 Hours
	Total	32 Weeks	960 Hours

# **Essential Obstetrical And Gynecological Skills**

#### **Procedure Observed**

- Assisted Reproductive Technology procedures
- Ultra sonography
- Specific laboratory tests.
- Amniocentesis.
- Cervical & vaginal cytology.
- Fetoscopy.
- Hysteroscopy.
- MRI.
- Surgical diathermy.
- Cryosurgery.

# **Procedures Assisted**

- Operative delivery
- Abnormal deliveries-Forceps application, Ventouse, Breech
- Exchange blood transfusion
- Culdoscopy.
- Cystoscopy
- Tuboscopy
- Laparoscopy.
- Endometrial Biopsy
- Tubal patent test
- Chemotherapy
- Radiation therapy
- Medical Termination of Pregnancy.
- Dilatation and Curettage

#### **Procedures Performed**

- History taking.
- Physical Examination-General
- Antenatal assessment. 20
- Pelvic examination
- Assessment of risk status.
- Assessment of Intra uterine foetal well-being.kick chart and foetal movement chart, Doppler assessment, Non Stress Test, Contraction stress test(Oxytocin challenge test)
- Universal precautions- Disposal of biomedical waste.
- Per Vaginal examination and interpretation (early pregnancy, labour, post partum).
- Utilization of Partograph
- Medical & Surgical induction(Artificial rupture of membranes).
- Vacuum extraction
- Conduct of delivery.
- Prescription and administration of fluids and electrolytes through intravenous route.
- Application of outlet forceps, delivery of breach Burns Marshall, Loveset manoeuvere
- Repair of tears and Episiotomy suturing.
- Vacuum extraction
- controlled cord traction, Manual removal of placenta, placental examination,
- Manual vacuum aspiration
- Postnatal assessment.- 20
- Management of breast engorgement
- Thrombophlebitis (white leg)
- Postnatal counseling.
- Reposition of inversion of uterus.
- Laboratory tests: Blood- Hb, Sugar, Urine-albumin, sugar
- Breast care, breast exam, and drainage breast abscess.
- Postnatal exercise.
- Assessment –New born assessment; physical and neurological, Apgar score, high-risk newborn, Monitoring neonates; Clinically and With monitors, Capillary refill time, Assessment of jaundice, danger signs
- Anthropometric measurement
- Neonatal resuscitation
- Gastric Lavage
- Care of newborn in multi channel monitor and ventilator.
- Care of newborn in radiant warmer and incubator.
- Kangaroo mother care.
- Assisting mother with exclusive Breast-feeding
- Feeding technique: Katori, spoon, naso/orogastric, Total Parenteral nutrition
- Assessement, calculation and administration of fluids and medications:
  - Oral
  - I.D.
  - I.M.
  - I.V.- Securing IV line, infusion pump

- Administration of drug per rectum
- Capillary blood sample collection.
- Oxygen therapy.
- Phototherapy.
- Chest physiotherapy.
- counseling Parental, bereavment, family planning, infertility etc
- Setting of operation theatre.
- Trolley and table set up for Obstetrical & gynaecoligical operations.
- Pap smear.
- Vaginal smear.
- Insertion of pessaries,
- Insertion of IUD and removal.
- Teaching skills
- communication skills
- Prepare referral slips
- Pre transport stabilization
- Networking with other stake holders

# PEDIATRIC (CHILD HEALTH) NURSING

Placement: II Year

Hours of Instruction Theory 150 hours Practical 950 hours Total: 1100 hours

#### **Course Description**

This course is designed to assist students in developing expertise and indepth understanding in the field of Pediatric 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 Paediatric 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 pre 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. Utilize the recent technology and various treatment modalities in the management of high risk children
- 6. Prepare a design for layout and describe standards for management of pediatric units/hospitals
- 7. Identify areas of research in the field of pediatric nursing

# **Course Content**

Unit	Hours	Content
I	5	<ul> <li>Introduction</li> <li>□ Current principles, practices and trends in Pediatric Nursing</li> <li>□ Role of pediatric nurse in various settings -Expanded and extended</li> </ul>
II	35	Pathophysiology, assessment(including interpretation of 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, cystic fibrosis  • Child with gastro-intestinal disorders:  • Diarrheal diseases, gastro-esophageal reflux.  • Hepatic disorders: Hepatitis, Indian childhood cirrhosis, liver transplantation.  • Malabsorption syndrome, Malnutrition  • Child with renal/ urinary tract disorders: Nephrotic syndrome, Nephritis, Hydronephrosis, hemolytic-uremic syndrome, kidney transplantation  • Child with cardio-vascular disorders:  • Acquired: Rheumatic fever, Rheumatic heart disease,  • Congenital: Cynotic and acynotic  • Child with endocrine/metabolic disorders: Diabetes insipidus, Diabetes Mellitus – IDDM, NIDDM, hyper and hypo thyroidism, phenylketonuria, galactosemia  • Child with Neurological disorders: Convulsions, Meningitis, encephalitis, guillian- Barre syndrome  • Child with nocological disorders: Leukemias, Lymphomas, Wilms' tumor, nephroblastomas, neuroblastomas, Rhabdomyosarcoma, retinoblastoma, hepatoblastoma, bone tumors  • Child with blood disorders: Anemias, thalassemias, hemophilia, polycythemia, thrombocytopenia, and disseminated intravascular coagulation  • Child with skin disorders  • Common Eye and ENT disorders
III	35	<ul> <li>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</li> <li>Gastrointestinal system: Cleft lip, cleft palate and conditions requiring plastic surgery, Tracheo esophageal fistula/atresia, Hirschsprungs' disease/megacolon, malrotation, intestinal obstruction, duodenal atresia,</li> </ul>

		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 testes, Exstrophy bladder  Anomalies of the skeletal system  Eye and ENT disorders  Nursing management of the child with traumatic injuries: General principles of managing Pediatric trauma  Head injury, abdominal injury, poisoning, foreign body obstruction, burns  Bites  Child with oncological disorders: Solid tumors of childhood, Nephroblastoma, Neuro blastoma, Hodgkin's/Non Hodgkin's Lymphoma, Hepatoblastoma, Rhabdomyosarcoma  Management of stomas, catheters and tubes  Management of wounds and drainages
IV	10	Intensive care for pediatric clients  □ Resuscitation, stabilization & monitoring of pediatric patients
		<ul> <li>Anatomical &amp; physiological basis of critical illness in infancy and childhood</li> </ul>
		Care of child requiring long-term ventilation
		Nutritional needs of critically ill child  Logal and othical issues in podiatric intensive care.
		<ul><li>Legal and ethical issues in pediatric intensive care</li><li>Intensive care procedures, equipment and techniques</li></ul>
		□ Documentation
V	20	High Risk Newborn
		<ul><li>Concept, goals, assessment, principles.</li><li>Nursing management of</li></ul>
		<ul> <li>Post-mature infant, and baby of diabetic and substance</li> </ul>
		use mothers.
		<ul> <li>Respiratory conditions, Asphyxia neonatorum, neonatal apnoea meconium aspiration syndrome, pneumo thorax,</li> </ul>
		pneumo mediastinum
		Icterus neonatorum.     Pirth injurios
		<ul><li>Birth injuries.</li><li>Hypoxic ischaemic encephelopathy</li></ul>
		Congenital anomalies.
		Neonatal seizures.     Neonatal bypogalgoppia bypoglygoppia
		<ul> <li>Neonatal hypocalcaemia, hypoglycemia, hypomagnesaemia.</li> </ul>
		Neonatal heart diseases.
		Neonatal hemolytic diseases
		<ul> <li>Neonatal infections, neonatal sepsis, opthalmia neonatorum, cogenital syphilis, HIV/AIDS</li> </ul>
		Advanced neonatal procedures.
		Calculation of fluid requirements.

VI	10	<ul> <li>Hematological conditions – erythroblastosis fetalis, hemorrhagic disorder in the newborn</li> <li>Organization of neonatal care, services(Levels), transport, neonatal intensive care unit, organization and management of nursing services in NICU</li> <li>Developmental disturbances and implications for nursing         <ul> <li>Adjustment reaction to school,</li> <li>Learning disabilities</li> <li>Habit disorders, speech disorders,</li> <li>Conduct disorders,</li> <li>Early infantile autism, Attention deficit hyperactive</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
		disorders (ADHD), depression and childhood schizophrenia.
VII	10	<ul> <li>Challenged child and implications for nursing</li> <li>Physically challenged, causes, features, early detection &amp; management</li> <li>Cerebral palsied child,</li> <li>Mentally challenged child.</li> <li>Training &amp; rehabilitation of challenged children</li> </ul>
VIII	5	Crisis and nursing intervention  The hospitalized child,  Terminal illness & death during childhood  Nursing intervention-counseling
IX	5	Drugs used in Pediatrics  Criteria for dose calculation Administration of drugs, oxygen and blood Drug interactions Adverse effects and their management
X	10	Administration and management of pediatric care unit  Design & layout Staffing, Equipment, supplies, Norms, policies and protocols Practice standards for pediatric care unit Documentation
XI	5	Education and training in Pediatric care  Staff orientation, training and development,  In-service education program,  Clinical teaching programs.

## **Practical**

Total = 960 Hours 1 Week = 30 Hours

#### • Field visits:

S. No.	Deptt./ Unit	No. of Week	Total Hours
1	Pediatric medicine ICU	4	120 Hours
2	Pediatric surgical ICU	4	120 Hours
3	NICU	4	120 Hours
4	Pediatric OT	2	60 Hours
5	Pediatric medicine ward	6	180 Hours
6	Pediatric surgery ward	6	180 Hours
7	Emergency/Casualty	4	120 Hours
8	Field visits*	2	60 Hours
	Total	32	960 Hours

<sup>\*</sup>Child care center, Anganwadi, play school, Special schools for challenged children, Juvenile court, UNICEF, Orphanage, Creche, SOS village

#### **Essential**

#### I. Procedures Observed:

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

#### II. Procedures Assisted

- Advanced neonatal life support
- Lumbar Puncture
- Arterial Blood Gas
- ECG Recording
- Umbilical catheterization arterial and venous
- Arterial B P monitoring
- Blood transfusion- exchange transfusion full and partial
- IV cannulation & therapy
- Arterial catheterization
- Chest tube insertion
- Endotracheal intubation
- Ventilation
- Insertion of long line
- Assist in surgery

#### III. Procedures 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, ECG
- Gastric Lavage
- Setting of Ventilators
- Phototherapy
- Assessment of Neonates: Identification & assessment of risk factors, APGAR Score, gestation age, Anthropometric assessment, Weighing the baby, Newborn examination, detection of life threatening congenital abnormalities,
- Admission & discharge of neonates
- Feeding management of breast feeding, artificial feeding, expression of breast milk, OG(Orogastric) 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, surveillance, fumigation
- Collection of specimens
- Setting, Use & maintenance of basic equipment: Ventilator, O<sub>2</sub> analyzer, monitoring equipment, Photo therapy unit, Flux meter, Infusion pump, Radiant warmer, incubator, Centrifuge machine, Bilimeter, Refractometer, laminar flow

#### **IV.** Other Procedures:

# **PSYCHIATRIC (MENTAL HEALTH) NURSING**

Placement: II Year

Hours of Instruction Theory 150 hrs Practical 950 hrs Total : 1100 Hours

#### **Course Description**

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

### **Objectives**

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

- 1. Apply the nursing process in the care of patients with mental disorders in hospital and community
- 2. Demonstrate advanced skills/competence in nursing management of patients with mental disorders
- 3. Identify and care for special groups like children, adolescents, women, elderly, abused and neglected, people living with HIV/AIDS.
- 4. Identify and manage psychiatric emergencies.
- 5. Provide nursing care to critically ill patients with mental disorders
- 6. Utilize the recent technology and various treatment modalities in the management of patients with mental disorders
- 7. Demonstrate skills in carrying out crisis intervention.
- 8. Appreciate the legal and ethical issues pertaining to psychiatric nursing.
- 9. Identify areas of research in the field of psychiatric nursing.
- 10. Prepare a design for layout and describe standards for management of Psychiatric units/emergency units/hospitals
- 11. Teach psychiatric nursing to undergraduate students & in-service nurses.

# **Course Content**

Unit	Hours	Content	
I	2	Principles and practice of Psychiatric nursing	
		□ Review	
II	10	Crisis Intervention	
		<ul><li>Crisis, Definition</li><li>Phases In The Development of A Crisis</li></ul>	
		<ul> <li>Phases in The Development of A Crisis</li> <li>Types of Crisis; Dispositional, Anticipated Life Transitions</li> </ul>	
		Traumatic Stress, Maturational/ Development, Reflecting	
		Psychopathology	
		Psychiatric Emergencies and their management	
		□ Grief and grief reaction	
		□ Crisis Intervention; Phases	
		□ Post traumatic stress disorder (PTSD)	
		□ Role of the Nurse	
III	4	Anger/ Aggression Management	
	_	□ Anger and Aggression, Types, Predisposing Factors	
		□ Management	
		□ Role of The Nurse	
IV	5	The Cuicidal Client	
IV	5	The Suicidal Client  □ Epidemiological Factors	
		□ Risk Factors	
		Predisposing Factors: Theories of Suicide-Psychological,	
		Sociological ,Biological	
		□ Nursing Management	
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V	5	Disorders of Infancy, Childhood, and Adolescence  □ Mentally Challenged	
		□ Mentally Challenged □ Autistic Disorders	
		□ Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder	
		□ Conduct Disorders, behavioural disorders	
		□ Oppositional Defiant Disorder	
		□ Tourette's Disorders	
		□ Separation Anxiety Disorder	
		Psychopharmacological Intervention and Nursing	
		Management	
VI	5	Delirium, Dementia, and Amnestic Disorders	
		□ Delirium	
		□ Dementia	
		□ Amnesia	
		Psychopharmacological Intervention and Nursing	
		Management	
VII	10	Substance-Related Disorders	
		□ Substance-Use Disorders	
		□ Substance-Induced Disorders	
		□ Classes Of Psychoactive Substances	
		□ Predisposing Factors	

Unit	Hours	Content
		□ The Dynamics Of Substance-Related Disorders
		□ The Impaired Nurse
		□ Codependency
		□ Treatment Modalities For Substance-Related Disorders and
		Nursing Management
VIII	10	Schizophrenia and Other Psychotic Disorders (Check ICD10)
		□ Nature of the Disorder
		□ Predisposing Factors
		□ Schizophrenia -Types
		Disorganized Schizophrenia     Catatagaia Salai a albanaia
		Catatonic Schizophrenia
		Paranoid Schizophrenia  H. 1:60  H
		Undifferentiated Schizophrenia
		Residual Schizophrenia Other Breeketis disaudeus
		<ul><li>Other Psychotic disorders</li><li>Schizoaffective Disorder</li></ul>
		<ul><li>Brief Psychotic Disorder</li><li>Schizophrenicform Disorder</li></ul>
		<ul> <li>Schizophrenicform Disorder</li> <li>Psychotic Disorder Due to a General Medical Condition</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Substance-Induced Psychotic Disorder</li> </ul>
		The state of a 1 N and a Manager of
		1 reatment and Nursing Management
IX	8	Mood Disorders
		□ Historical Perspective
		□ Epidemiology
		□ The Grief Response
		□ Maladaptive Responses To Loss
		□ Types Of Mood Disorders
		Depressive disorders  Disolar disorders
		Bipolar disorders     Treatment and Nursing Management
		□ Treatment and Nursing Management
X	8	Anxiety Disorders
		□ Historical Aspects
		□ Epidemiological Statistics
		□ How Much is too Much?
		Panic Disorder
		Generalized Anxiety Disorder
		• Phobias
		Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder  Disorder
		Posttraumatic Stress Disorder     Anviety Disorder Due to a Canonal Medical Condition
		Anxiety Disorder Due to a General Medical Condition     Substance Induced Anxiety Disorder
		Substance-Induced Anxiety Disorder     Treatment Modelities
		Treatment Modalities  Psychopharmacology & Nursing Management
		Psychopharmacology & Nursing Management
XI	5	Somatoform And Sleep Disorders
		□ Somatoform Disorders
		□ Historical Aspects

<ul> <li>Epidemiological Statistics</li> <li>Pain Disorder</li> <li>Hypochondriasis</li> <li>Conversion Disorder</li> <li>Body Dysmorphic Disorder</li> </ul>	
<ul><li>Hypochondriasis</li><li>Conversion Disorder</li></ul>	
Conversion Disorder	
Body Dysmorphic Disorder	
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□ Sleep Disorder	
□ Treatment Modalities and Nursing Management	
XII 4 Dissociative Disorders and Management	
□ Historical Aspects	
Epidemiological Statistics  Application of the Number Management	
☐ Application of the Nursing Management☐ Treatment Modalities and Nursing Management	
XIII 4 Sexual And Gender Identity Disorders	
□ Development Of Human Sexuality	
□ Sexual Disorders	
□ Variation In Sexual Orientation	
□ Nursing Management	
XIV 4 Eating Disorders	
□ Epidemiological Factors	
□ Predisposing Factors : Anorexia Nervosa And Bulimia Nervos	a
obesity	
□ Psychopharmacology	
□ Treatment & Nursing Management	
XV 4 Adjustment and Impulse Control Disorders	
□ Historical and Epidemiological Factors	
Adjustment Disorders	
Impulse Control Disorders	
□ Treatment & Nursing Management	
XVI 4 Medical Conditions due to Psychological Factors	
□ Asthma	
□ Cancer	
Coronary Heart Disease  Partia Illean	
□ Peptic Ulcer □ Essential Hypertension	
□ Essential Hypertension □ Migraine Headache	
Rheumatoid Arthritis	
Ulcerative Colitis	
□ Treatment & Nursing Management	
XVII 8 Personality Disorders	
Historical perspectives	
Types Of Personality Disorders	
Paranoid Personality Disorder	
Schizoid Personality Disorder	
Antisocial Personality Disorder	
Borderline Personality Disorder	

Unit	Hours	Content	
		<ul> <li>Histrionic Personality Disorder</li> <li>Narcissitic Personality Disorder</li> <li>Avoidance Personality Disorder</li> <li>Dependent Personality Disorder</li> <li>Obsessive-Compulsive Personality Disorder</li> <li>Passive-Aggressive Personality Disorders</li> <li>Identification, diagnostic, symptoms</li> <li>Psychopharmacology</li> <li>Treatment &amp; Nursing Management</li> </ul>	
XVIII	8	The Aging Individual  Epidemiological Statistics  Biological Theories  Biological Aspects of Aging  Psychological Aspects of Aging  Memory Functioning  Socio-cultural aspects of aging  Sexual aspects of aging  Special Concerns of the Elderly Population  Psychiatric problems among elderly population  Treatment & Nursing Management	
XIX	5	The person living with HIV Disease  □ Psychological problems of individual HIV/AIDS □ Counseling □ Treatment & Nursing Management	
XX	5	Problems Related to Abuse or Neglect  □ Vulnerable groups, Women, Children, elderly, psychiatric patients, under privileged, challenged  □ Predisposing Factors  □ Treatment & Nursing management- Counseling	
XXI	7	Community Mental Health Nursing  National Mental Health Program- Community mental health program  The Changing Focus of care The Public Health Model The Role of the Nurse Case Management The community as Client Primary Prevention Populations at Risk Secondary prevention Tertiary Prevention Community based rehabilitation	
XXII	5	Ethical and Legal Issues in Psychiatric/Mental Health Nursing  □ Ethical Considerations □ Legal Consideration	

Unit	Hours	Content
		<ul> <li>Nurse Practice Acts</li> <li>Types of Law</li> <li>Classification within Statutory and Common Law</li> <li>Legal Issues in Psychiatric/Mental Health Nursing</li> <li>Nursing Liability</li> </ul>
XXIII	5	Psychosocial rehabilitation  Principles of rehabilitation  Disability assessment  Day care centers  Half way homes  Reintegration into the community  Training and support to care givers  Sheltered workshops  Correctional homes
XXIV	5	Counseling  Liaison psychiatric nursing Terminal illnesses-Counseling Post partum psychosis-treatment, care and counseling Death dying- Counseling Treatment, care and counseling –  Unwed mothers HIV and AIDS
XXV	5	Administration and management of psychiatric units including emergency units  Design & layout Staffing, Equipment, supplies, Norms, policies and protocols Quality assurance Practice standards for psychiatric nursing Documentation
XXVI	5	Education and training in psychiatric care  Staff orientation, training and development, In-service education program, Clinical teaching programs.

#### **Practicals**

# Total = 960 Hours 1 Week = 30 Hours

			WCCR - 50 Hours	
S.No.	Area of Posting	No. of Week	Total Hours	
1	Acute Psychiatric Ward	4	120 Hours	
2	Chronic Psychiatric Ward	4	120 Hours	
3	De-addiction Unit	4	120 Hours	
4	Psychiatric Emergency Unit	4	120 Hours	
5	O.P.D (Neuro and psychiatric)	3	90 Hours	
6	Child Psychiatric Unit and child guidance clinic	2	60 Hours	
7	Post natal ward	1	30 Hours	
8	Family Psychiatric Unit	2	60 Hours	
9	Field visits	2	60 Hours	
10	Rehabilitation	2	60 Hours	
11	Community Mental Health Unit	4	120 Hours	
	Total	32 Weeks	960 Hours	

## **Essential Psychiatric nursing skills**

#### **Procedures Observed**

- 1. Psychometric tests
- 2. Personality tests
- 3. Family therapy
- 4. Assisted
- 5. CT
- 6. MRI
- 7. Behavioral therapy.

## **Procedures Performed**

- 1. Mental status examination
- 2. Participating in various therapies Physical; ECT,
- 3. Administration of Oral, IM, IV psychotropic drugs
- 4. Interviewing skills
- 5. Counseling skills
- 6. Communication skills
- 7. Psychoeducation
- 8. Interpersonal relationship skills
- 9. Community Survey for identifying mental health problems
- 10. Rehabilitation therapy
- 11. Health education and life skills training.
- 12. Supportive psychotherapic skills
- 13. Group therapy
- 14. Milieu therapy
- 15. Social/Recreational therapy.
- 16. Occupational therapy.

#### COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSING

Placement: II Year

Hours of Instruction Theory- 150 hours Practicals- 950 hours Total- 1100 hrs

#### **Course Description**

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

### **Objectives**

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

- 1. Appreciate trends and issues related to community health Nursingreproductive and child health, school health, Occupational health, international health, rehabilitation, geriatric and mental health.
- 2. Apply epidemiological concepts and principles in community health nursing practice
- 3. Perform community health assessment and plan health programmes
- 4. Describe the various components of Reproductive and child health programme.
- 5. Demonstrate leadership abilities in organizing community health nursing services by using inter-sectoral approach.
- 6. Describe the role and responsibilities of community health nurse in various national health and family welfare programmes
- 7. Participate in the implementation of various national health and family welfare programme
- 8. Demonstrate competencies in providing family centered nursing care independently
- 9. Participate/Conduct research for new insights and innovative solutions to health problems
- 10. Teach and supervise nurses and allied health workers.
- 11. Design a layout of sub-center/Primary health center/Community health center and develop standards for community health nursing practice.

# **Content Outlines**

Unit	Hours	Content
I	20	Epidemiology Introduction Concept, scope, definition, trends, History and development of modern Epidemiology Implications Epidemiological methods Measurement of health and disease: Health policies Epidemiological approaches Study of disease causatives Health promotion Levels of prevention Epidemiology of Communicable diseases Non-communicable diseases Emerging and re-emerging diseases Epidemics National Integrated disease Surveillance Programme Health information system Epidemiology study and reports Role of Community health nurse
Unit II	40	National Health and Family Welfare Programmes  Objectives, Organisation/manpower/resources, Activities, Goals, inter-sectoral approach, implementation, item/purpose, role and responsibilities of community health nurse:  National Vector Borne Disease Control Programm (NVBDCP)  NationalFilaria Control Programme  National Leprosy Eradication Programme  Revised national TB Control Programme  National Programme for Control of Blindness  National Iodine Deficiency disorders Control Progeramme  National Mental Health Programme  National AIDS Control Programme  RCH I and II  Non-communicable disease programmes  NRHM  Health Schemes:  ESI  CGHS  Health Insurance

Unit	Hours	Content
III	15	<ul> <li>School Health</li> <li>Introduction: definition, concepts, objectives,.</li> <li>Health assessment, Screening, identification, referral and follow up,</li> <li>Safe environment</li> <li>Services, programmes and plans- first aid, treatment of minor ailments</li> <li>Inter-sectoral coordination</li> <li>Adolescent health</li> <li>Disaster, disaster preparedness, and management</li> <li>Guidance and counseling</li> <li>School health records - maintenance and its importance</li> <li>Roles and responsibilities of community health nurse</li> </ul>
IV	15	International health  Global burden of disease Global health rules to halt disease spread Global health priorities and programes International quarantine Health tourism International cooperation and assistance International travel and trade Health and food legislation, laws, adulteration of food Disaster management Migration International health agencies –World Health organizations, World health assembly, UNICEF, UNFPA, SIDA, US AID, DANIDA, DFID. AusAID etc International health issues and problems International nursing practice standards International health vis-a vis national health International health days and their significance
V	15	Education and administration  Quality assurance Standards, Protocols, Policies, Procedures Infection control; Standard safety measures Nursing audit Design of Sub-Centre/Primary Health Centre/Community health center Staffing; Supervision and monitoring-Performance appraisal Budgeting Material management Role and responsibilities of different categories of personnel in community health Referral chain- community outreach services Transportation Public relations Planning in-service educational programme and teaching

Unit	Hours	Content	
		□ Training of various categories of health workers- preparation of manuals	
VI	10	Geriatric  Concept, trends, problems and issues  Aging process, and changes  Theories of ageing  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 Programmes for elderly- Role of NGOs  Roles and responsibilities of Geriatric nurse in the community	
VII	10	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	
Unit VIII	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	

Unit	Hours	Content
		<ul> <li>Secondary prevention</li> <li>Tertiary Prevention</li> <li>Community based rehabilitation</li> <li>Human rights of mentally ill</li> <li>Substance use</li> <li>Mentally challenged groups</li> <li>Role of community health nurse</li> </ul>
IX	15	Occupational health Introduction: Trends, issues, Definition, Aims, Objectives, Workplace safety Ergonomics and Ergonomic solutions Occupational environment- Physical, social, Decision making, Critical thinking Occupational hazards for different categories of people-physical, chemical, biological, mechanical, , Accidents, Occupational diseases and disorders Measures for Health promotion of workers; Prevention and control of occupational diseases, disability limitations and rehabilitation Women and occupational health Occupational education and counseling Violence at workplace Child labour Disaster preparedness and management Legal issues: Legislation, Labour unions, ILO and WHO recommendations, Factories act, ESI act Role of Community health nurse, Occupational health team

#### **Practical**

Total = 960 Hours 1 Week = 30 Hours

S.No.	Deptt./Unit	No. of Week	Total Hours
1	Urban and Rural community	17	510 Hours
2	School Health	3	90 Hours
3	International health	2	60 Hours
4	Administration(SC/PHC/CHC)	2	60 Hours
5	Occupational health	2	60 Hours
6	Community Mental Health	2	60 Hours
7	Home for aged and Hospice	2	60 Hours
8	Rehabilitation	2	60 Hours
	Total	32 Weeks	960 Hours

# **Categorisation of practical activities**

#### Observed

- MCH office and DPHNO
- CHC/ First Referral Unit(FRU)
- Child guidance clinic
- Institute/Unit for mentally challenged
- District TB centre
- AIDS control society
- Filariasis clinic
- RCH clinic
- STD clinic
- Leprosy clinic
- Community based rehabilitation unit
- Cancer centers
- Palliative care
- Home of old age
- Mental health units
- De-addication centres
- School health services
- Industry
- Selected industrial health centers
- ESI unit
- Municipality/corporation office

#### **Assisted**

- Laparoscopic sterilization
- Vasectomy
- All clinics related to RCH
- Monitoring of national health and family welfare programmes

#### Performed

- Conduct various clinics
- School health assessment.
- Health survey.
- Health assessment
- Drug administration as per the protocols
- Treatment of minor ailments
- Investigating outbreak of epidemic.
- Screening for leprosy, TB and non-communicable disease
- Presumptive and radical treatment for Malaria.
- Counselling
- Report writing
- Referrals
- Writing a project proposal
- Material management- requisition for indent, condemnation, inventory maintenance,
- Training and Supervision of various categories of personnel
- Liaison with NGO's

## **STAFFING PATTERN RELAXED TILL 2012**

# Qualifications & Experience Of Teachers Of College Of Nursing

# Sr. Post, Qualification & Experience No.

# 1 Professor-cum-Principal

- Masters Degree in Nursing
- 10 years of experience and minimum of 5 years of teaching experience.

  <u>Desirable:</u> Independent published work of high standard / doctorate degree / M.Phil.

# 2 Professor-cum-Vice Principal

- Masters Degree in Nursing
- 10 years of experience and minimum of 5 years of teaching experience.

  <u>Desirable:</u> Independent published work of high standard / doctorate degree / M.Phil.

# 3 Reader / Associate Professor

- Master Degree in Nursing.
- 7 years of experience and minimum of 3 years teaching experience <u>Desirable</u>: Independent published work of high standard/doctorate degree / M.Phil.

#### 4 Assistant Professor /Lecturer

- Master Degree in Nursing.
- 3 years experience

# Pay scales- as per UGC scales