



Planning and Quality Assurance Affairs

Form (A)

Course Specifications

General Information

Course name

Course number

MDCN5821

Faculty

Department

Course type

Major Needs

Course level

Credit hours (theoretical)

Credit hours (practical)

Course Prerequisites

Course Objectives

- 1 To build a foundation of basic knowledge, skills, and attitudes
- 2 to provide quality care for children
- 3 to serve as advocates for children and families.

Intended Learning Outcomes

Knowledge and Understanding	 Describe the basic knowledge of growth and development (physical, physiologic, and psychosocial) and its clinical application from birth through childhood.
	 List the common pediatric acute and chronic illnesses.
	 List the common types of problems seen in ambulatory pediatrics.
Intellectual Skills	 Obtain an appropriate history of patients and families if needed.
	* Perform proper physical examination.
	* Interpret data collected
	* Provide a prioritized problem list
Professional Skills	 Respect and understanding of the roles and relationship of primary care and specialty care providers
	* Demonstrate personal qualities of reliability and dependability
General Skill	* Adhere to the attendance policy.
	 Demonstrate interpersonal skills necessary to maintain professionalism, communicate appropriately with patients, their families, and other medical and paramedical personnel involved in patient care.

Course Contents

- 1 Introduction to history taking and physical examination in children
- 2 Basic Newborn Care
- 3 Anemia in Children
- 4 CNS Infections
- 5 Common Pediatric Behavioral Problems
- 6 Cystic Fibrosis
- 7 Common Pediatric Emergencies
- 8 immunization
- 9 _ Urinary tract infection
- 10 Introduction to Adolescent Medicine
- 11 Fluid and Electrolyte Management
- 12 Asthma
- 13 Approach and Introduction to Allergic Disorder
- 14 Nephrotic syndrome
- 15 Rickets
- 16 Approach and introduction to Immunodeficiency
- 17 Diarrhea and Malabsorption
- 18 Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis
- 19 Renal Failure, Acute and Chronic
- 20 Diabetes Mellitus
- 21 Introduction to Medical Genetics and Metabolic Disorders I
- 22 Introduction to Medical Genetics and Metabolic Disorders II
- 23 Child Abuse and Neglect
- 24 Common Neonatal Problems
- 25 Respiratory Infections

Teaching and Learning Methods

- 1 Lectures
- 2 Laboratory/Studio
- 3 Tutorial

Students Assessment

Assessment Method	<u>TIME</u>	MARKS
Student presentations		30
Log book (case presentations)		30
Final Exam	2 hr	40

Books and References

Course note	Nelson's Essential Pediatrics	
	Illustrated Textbook of Pediatrics	
	UpToDate	