

Planning and Quality Assurance Affairs

Form (A)

Course Specifications

General Information

Course name Health Management
Course number AMSR2180

Faculty
Department
Course type Major Needs

Course level 2

Credit hours (theoretical) 1

Credit hours (practical) 0

Course Prerequisites

Course Objectives

- 1 To understand the principles of health management and their application within the radiology department.
- 2 To develop skills in strategic planning and resource allocation for optimal departmental performance.
- 3 To enhance knowledge of financial management techniques, budgeting, and cost control within the radiology department.
- 4 To explore quality improvement methods and initiatives to enhance patient care and outcomes in the radiology department.
- 5 To understand the regulatory and compliance requirements specific to the radiology department and ensure adherence.
- 6 To develop leadership and communication skills necessary for effective management within the radiology department.

Intended Learning Outcomes

Knowledge and Understanding	 Demonstrate a comprehensive understanding of health management principles and their application in the radiology department.
	 Explain the role of strategic planning in optimizing the performance of a radiology department.
Intellectual Skills	 Analyze and evaluate healthcare management strategies and their applicability to the radiology department.
	 Synthesize information from various sources to make informed decisions regarding resource allocation and optimization within the radiology department.
Professional Skills	 Lead quality improvement initiatives to enhance patient care and outcomes in the radiology department.
	 Demonstrate effective leadership and communication skills within the radiology department.
General Skill	 Work effectively in a team and collaborate with colleagues in the radiology department.
	 Adapt to changing healthcare environments and apply management principles accordingly.

Course Contents

- Overview of health management principles and their application in radiology.
- 2 Roles and responsibilities of radiology managers and administrators.
- 3 Healthcare policy and regulations impacting radiology management.
- 4 Strategic planning models and frameworks for radiology departments.
- 5 Organizational structure and design in radiology management.
- 6 Financial planning and analysis in radiology departments.
- 7 Cost containment and revenue enhancement strategies in radiology.
- 8 Quality management systems and processes in radiology.
- 9 Performance metrics and benchmarking in radiology services.
- 10 Continuous quality improvement and patient safety in radiology.
- 11 Recruitment, selection, and retention of radiology personnel.
- 12 _ Staff training and development in radiology departments.
- 13 Performance evaluation and staff motivation in radiology.
- 14 Compliance with regulatory guidelines and standards in radiology.
- 15 Risk assessment and management in radiology services.
- 16 Leadership styles and strategies for radiology managers.
- 17 Effective communication and teamwork in radiology departments.

Teaching and Learning Methods

- 1 Lectures: In-depth presentations by the instructor on ahealthcare management principles and applications.
- 2 Case Studies: Analysis and interpretation of healthcare management in the medical imaging scenarios.
- 3 Group Discussions: Interactive discussions on research papers in healthcare management .
- 4 Independent Study: Assigned readings and research to deepen understanding of healthcare management.

Teaching and Learning Methods for the Disabled Students

- 1 Providing accessible course materials in alternative formats (e.g., electronic).
- 2 Ensuring physical accessibility to classrooms and practical sessions.
- 3 Offering assistive technologies or tools for students with disabilities.

Students Assessment

Assessment Method	<u>TIME</u>	<u>MARKS</u>
First Quiz and Assignment	Week 3	10
Second Quiz and Assignment	Week 6	10
Midterm Exam	Week 8	30
Third Quiz and Assignment	Week 10	10
Final Exam	Week 15	40

Books and References

Essential books	Rubenzer, B. (2013). Introduction to medical imaging management. CRC Press.
	Buchbinder, S. B., Shanks, N. H., & Kite, B. J. (2019). Introduction to health care management. Jones & Bartlett Learning.
Recommended books	Cpim, C. K., D, N. D., & Msc, M. W. (2021). Operations management in healthcare: Strategy and practice.
Other References (Periodical, web sites, etc.)	Porembka, J. H., Lee, R. K., Spalluto, L. B., Yee, J., Krishnaraj, A., Zaidi, S. F., & Brewington, C. (2022). Radiologists increasing role in population health management: AJR expert panel narrative review. American Journal of Roentgenology, 218(1), 7-18. https://doi.org/10.2214/ajr.21.26030