

Anatomy, Histology and Embryology of the nervous system theoretical course plan

Semester: 2 nd	Year: 2024-2025												
M.D. program Course Syllabus													
Course Title: Anatomy, Histology and Embryology of the nervous system theoretical	Department: Department of Anatomical Sciences												
Course Code: 1234049	Instructor: Dr. Homayoun _ Dr. khanehzad												
Location of teaching the course: SH. Soleimani department	Credit Hours: Saturday 8-10 AM												
Prerequisite:	Credit Units:												
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Number of students :													
Brief course description: This course covers the nervous system from the standpoints of embryology and anatomic, histologic structure and .clinical points of nervous system													
Learning outcomes: On satisfying the requirements of this course, students will have the knowledge and skills to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1- Explain the anatomical position and relations of nervous system (spinal cord, Brain stem, cerebellum, Cerebral hemisphere, Limbic system, Autonomic nervous system) 2- Discuss some clinical points related to anatomical nervous system 3- Describe the major histological structures of nervous system (spinal cord, cerebellum, ..) 4- Describe the key events in each developmental period of nervous system 5- Discuss some clinical points related to nervous system development 													
References (Text books): Human Neuroanatomy(inderbir singh), Hand-out													
ASSESSMANT TOOLS (The assessment tools that will be used to test students ability to understand the course material and gain the skills and competencies stated in learning outcomes) <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left;">ASSESSMENT TOOLS</th><th style="text-align: left;">From 20</th></tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Midterm Exam</td><td>6</td></tr> <tr> <td>Final Exam</td><td>9</td></tr> <tr> <td>Practical Exam</td><td>3</td></tr> <tr> <td>Class activities</td><td>2</td></tr> <tr> <td>TOTAL MARKS</td><td>20</td></tr> </tbody> </table>		ASSESSMENT TOOLS	From 20	Midterm Exam	6	Final Exam	9	Practical Exam	3	Class activities	2	TOTAL MARKS	20
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Students responsibilities:													

- 1- Prepare for the class in advance
- 2- Break down every system into its basic components.
- 3- Use the lectures outline (PowerPoint presentations) and handouts (if any) as a guideline for your study.
- 4- Study the course components using the required book, atlas and the websites.
- 5- Reconstruct the system so that it is functional and understandable.
- 6- Students are expected to spend 2-3 hours studying for each hour in class.
- 7-By now the students are expected to end up with an understanding of the subject.
- 8-The students' understanding will be evaluated and given a grade using MCQs and/or any form of evaluation.

ATTENDANCE RULES

Attendance and participation are extremely important, and the usual University rules will apply. Attendance will be recorded for each class.

- Absence of one session will result in a first written warning. Absence of two sessions or more will result in a 1 point deduction on the final score for each session.
- Absence of more than three session will result in forfeiting the course and the student will not be permitted to attend the final examination. Should a student encounter any special circumstances (i.e. medical or personal), he/she is encouraged to discuss this with the instructor and written proof will be required to delete any absences from his/her attendance records.

In laboratory, lab coats are mandatory, no student will be allowed in the lab without a clean lab coat. Students are expected to act in a civil manner and respect the rights and opinions of other students and the instructor. Student/Instructor interaction is a function of the learning experience and should be approached in a manner conducive to the learning process.

Use of Mobile Devices, Laptops, etc. During Class, unexpected noises and movement automatically divert and capture people's attention, which means you are affecting everyone's learning experience if your cell phone, laptop, etc. makes noise or is visually distracting during class. For this reason, students are required to turn off their mobile devices and close their laptops during class.

Department's Attitudes

Ethics, Critical thinking, hard work and discipline:

Examination attitudes Any evidence of cheating on a test will result in the student receiving (0 mark) for the test and will be announced through the lectures so all the students will be informed.

The instructor will be the final authority on whether cheating has occurred.

Cellular phones and notebooks are band and disruptive and are not allowed during the exam periods because they mean an act of cheating, therefore students are advised to enter the exams without them.

Mid exam date:

Final exam date:

COURSE SYLLABUS

	Chapter	Page	Course topics	Time (Hour)	Date
			Histology Of Nervous System	2	08/2/2025
			Histology & embryology Of Nervous System	2	15/2/2025
			embryology Of Nervous System	2	22/2/2025

			Spinal cord part 1 Gross appearance	2	01/03/2025
			Spinal cord part 2 Gray & white matter	2	08/03/2025
			Brain stem Gross appearance	2	15/03/2025
			Brain stem Internal structure	2	05/04/2025
			Cranial nerve 1	2	12/04/2025
			Cranial nerve 2	2	19/04/2025
			Cerebellum	2	26/04/2025
			Diencephalon	2	03/05/2025
			External features of Cerebral hemisphere	2	10/05/2025
			White mater of Cerebral hemisphere	2	17/05/2025
			Basal nuclei	2	24/05/2025
			Blood supply	2	31/05/2025
			Autonomic nervous system	2	07/06/2025