

Faculty of Oral & Dental Medicine

Diagnosis & Radiology

Information :

Course Code : MPDR 432

Level : Undergraduate

Course Hours : 3.00- Hours

Department : Faculty of Oral & Dental Medicine

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Area Of Study :

- To foster knowledge that governs the principle of oro-dental diseases.
- To provide opportunities for review and analysis of a wide range of patients chief complaints.
- To expand students analytical skills relative to clinical signs and symptoms and adjunctive special investigations of oro-dental diseases
- To apply and predict the knowledge obtained for the appropriate diagnosis of oro-dental diseases.

Description :

History taking, clinical examination, oral mucosal lesion, oral ulcers, lymph nodes, diagnosis of hemorrhagic lesions, laboratory investigation.

Course outcomes :

a. Knowledge and Understanding: :

1 -	Define different types of oral diagnosis
2 -	Recognize the different instruments, devices and methods used in the field of oral diagnosis.
3 -	State scientific rules for obtaining patient history.
4 -	Describe different types of questions asked to the patient according to the relevant psychological and scientific background.
5 -	Review different types of chief complaints
6 -	Explain different techniques of oral examination
7 -	Recognize normal landmarks both extra-oral and intra-oral.

8 -	Describe information about the etiology, epidemiology, pathogenesis, differential diagnosis, prevention and prognosis of oral and oral-related disorders.
9 -	Recall different laboratory tests which aid the dentist in diagnosis of different oral lesions.
10 -	Memorize rules of referral and consultations.
11 -	List general aspects of dental practice including esthetics, medico-legal considerations, management and maintenance of a safe working environment.
b. Intellectual Skills: :	
1 -	Demonstrate respect to all patients irrespective of their socioeconomics level and cultural beliefs.
2 -	Converse with patients in an attentive manner that conveys concern, compassion and encouragement to patients or their families.
3 -	Point out to the patient the nature of his/her condition, different treatment options and possible complications in such away that is easily understood answers patient questions and encourages discussion.
c. Professional and Practical Skills: :	
1 -	Apply the brief concise case history in an informed consent.
2 -	Use different instruments and techniques of clinical examination and understand their limitations and hazards.
3 -	Analyze answers to the different types of questions asked to the patient.
4 -	Differentiate between different types of chief complaints.
5 -	Relate information obtained from the patient history to its chief complaints.
6 -	Practice a comprehensive extra oral and intra oral examination including head and neck, oral hard and soft tissues and properly obtain vital signs.
7 -	Select the medical and dental history items relevant to chief complaint/s reported by the patient
8 -	Distinguish between the range of normal clinic
9 -	Finding and abnormal deviations present.
10 -	Interpret signs and symptoms and physical findings
11 -	in terms of their anatomic, pathologic, and functional.
12 -	Diagnostic significance.
13 -	To amalgamate the obtained clinical and investigational data base with the evidence-based knowledge and skill of deductive reasoning to be proficient in clinical problem solving.
14 -	Compose a prioritized list of tentative diagnosis, differential diagnosis and final diagnosis of each presented chief complaint/s.
15 -	Demonstrate appropriate professional attitudes and behavior in dealing with staff members and helping personnel.
16 -	Choose the effective communication means with other health care professionals
17 -	to maximize patient benefits and minimize the risk of errors.
18 -	Use an appropriate formal and informal consultation with specialists in situations that are beyond the scope of their knowledge and skills.
19 -	Recognize infection control policies.
d. General and Transferable Skills: :	
1 -	Propose an individualized treatment plan for different chief complaints
2 -	Assess treatment options to be done by the general dentist and those that need referral and consultation.
3 -	Recommend the need of initial medical emergencies management as basic life support.

4 -	Appraise his/her duty to manage oral health of the patient with special needs
5 -	Apply the health and safety regulations as
6 -	They affect dental practice and environment.

Course Topic And Contents :

Topic	No. of hours	Lecture	Tutorial / Practical
Introduction and scope of oral diagnosis	4		
Patient history	4		
Methods of clinical examination	8		
Extra oral examination	6		
Intra oral examination	6		
Laboratory investigations	8		
Laboratory investigations			

Teaching And Learning Methodologies :

Lectures With Discussions
Small group sessions
Tutorial classes :- . a. Small group teaching b. Computer projection c. role playing
Case Study :- a. Demonstration using computer projection b. Demonstrate with a patient c. Discussion and practice of the diagnostic skills
Guest speaker
Panel of experts

Course Assessment :

Methods of assessment	Relative weight %	Week No	Assess What
Final term Examination	25.00		
Mid-term Examination	30.00		assess knowledge and understanding & general intellectual skills.
Mid-term Practical Examination	20.00		to assess knowledge and understanding & professional skills & general intellectual skills
Oral Examination	10.00		assess knowledge and understanding & professional skills & general intellectual skills
Practical Examination	15.00		

Course Notes :

The department book available for students from the department
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Periodicals :

- Cawson Essentials of Oral Pathology and Oral Medicine . Cawson and Odell, 7th Edition, 2002.
- Color Atlas of Oral Pathology, Cawson and Odell, 2nd Edition, 1999.
- Clinical problem solving in dentistry. 1st Edition, 2002.