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Course Description Form

1. Course Name:	Medical Physics	
2. Course Code:	MED-102	
3. Semester / Year:	First and second semesters for 1 st year	
4. Description Preparation Date:	2-8-2025	
5. Available Attendance Forms:	Direct attendance	
6. Number of Credit Hours (Total) / Number of Units (Total)	120 hours/ 6 units	
7. Course administrator's name (mention all, if more than one name)	Name: Prof Dr. Ahmed Jumaa Mhawes Email: ahmed.jumaa@uowae.edu.iq	
8. Course Objectives	<p>Course Objectives</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">introduce fundamental principles of physics relevant to medical sciences.Develop understanding of physical concepts underlying human physiology and diagnostic techniques.Relate physical laws to medical applications such as imaging, radiation, biomechanics, and instrumentation.Enhance problem-solving skills and analytical thinking in a medical context.Provide a foundation for advanced courses in medical and clinical sciences.	
9. Teaching and Learning Strategies		

Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lectures: Present core concepts with real-life medical examples. Interactive Discussions: Encourage questions and clarify doubts. Problem-Solving Sessions: Apply physics to medical scenarios and case studies. Demonstrations & Simulations: Visualize principles like radiation, mechanics, and electricity in medicine. Assignments & Quizzes: Reinforce understanding and promote continuous learning. Laboratory Sessions : Hands-on experiments for practical understanding of medical physics concepts.
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10. Course Structure

Week	Hours	Required Learning Outcomes	Unit or subject name	Learning method	Evaluation method
Week 1	3	Modeling Measurements	Terminology	Theory lectures practicals Small groups	Quizzes Monthly written exam mid coarse exam
2nd	1	Describe how muscles and bones operate to produce body movements	Forces on and in the body	Simple pendulum	
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3rd	1	Gives examples of levers in the muscular-skeletal system of the body.	Forces on and in the body	Simple pendulum Review	
	2				
4th	1	Provide a simple analysis of: (a) The forces involved in standing, lifting and bending (b) The interactions of the body with the ground in walking and running	Forces on and in the body	Skill lab-skeleton	
	2				
5th	1	1. What is the bone made of?	Physics of skeleton	Tutor lab – measure bone tension	
	2				
6th	1	How strong are your bones?	Physics of skeleton	Tutor lab – measure bone tension Review	
	2				
7th	1	Lubrication of bone joints. Measurements of bone mineral in the body.	Physics of skeleton	Skill lab-bone joints	
	2				
8th	1	1. Estimate the power typical provided by muscle. 2. Describe how the body maintains a constant temperature	Energy , Work ,and Power of the Body	Specific heat capacity	
	2				

		and give examples of how they may be assisted		
9 th	1	3. Conservation of Energy in the Body	Energy, Work and Power of the Body	
	2		Specific heat capacity	
10 th	1	1. Give a simple description of the human circulatory system including typical blood pressure and flow rates, and give examples of the diagnostic importance of their measurement.	Pressure	
	2	2. Describe the use of the sphygmomanometer to measure blood pressure.	Laboratory Boyle's law	
11 th	1	3. Give examples of other fluid pressures within the body.	Pressure	
	2	4. Give examples of invasive methods of measuring blood pressure, including those using resistance, capacitance and inductance transducers	Skills – B.P different methods	
12 th	1	5. Give examples of other fluid pressures within the body.	Pressure	
	2		Skills – B.P different methods Review	
13 th	1	1. Describe the action of the heart as a pump to the circulation system.	The physics of Cardiovascular System	
	2	2. Ohms law	Stock law (viscosity)	
14 th	1	3. Blood flow	The physics of Cardiovascular System	
	2	4. Blood viscosity	Stock law (viscosity) Review	
15 th	1	5. How fast does your blood flow?	The physics of Cardiovascular System	
	2	6. Poiseuilles law	Poiseuilles law	
		7. Work done by the heart		

Mid Term Exam

16 th	2	1. Give an illustrated account of the origin of biopotentials in human nervous system.	Electricity within the Body	
	2	2. Describe the method of measuring an electrocardiogram (ECG), recall its main features and explain its use in diagnosis.	Tutor lab-nerve conduction (AP)	
17 th	2	3. Give examples of other measurements of the body's electrical activity, and of the therapeutic use of electricity	Electricity within the Body	
	2	4. Type of nerve fibers (myelinated and unmyelinated nerves)	Cathode ray oscilloscope (CRO)	
		5. Factors affecting speed of action potentials		
		6. Electromyogram (EMG)		
		7. The heart beat		
		8. What is a dipole?		
		9. Measurements of the voltage associated with a dipole.		
		10. Electrical events of a heart cycle		
18 th	2	Sound in Medicine	Sound in Medicine	
	2	Physics of Hearing	Velocity of sound	
19 th	2	1. Use the following scientific terms correctly: total internal reflection, coherent, numerical aperture, resolution, and laser	Light and vision in Medicine	
	2	2. Explain the principles of the transmission of light by optical fibers	Refractive index	
20 th	2	3. Describe how the fiber optic endoscope is constructed; compare the operation of the	Light and vision in Medicine	
	2		Visual acuity	

		video endoscope which uses charge couple devise. 4. Give examples of the use of endoscope in diagnosis and treatment. 5- Explain the principles of operation of the laser and give examples of its medical application		
21 st	2	Heat and cold in medicine 1-The airways. 2. Lung volumes	Heat and cold in medicine The Physics of Lungs and Breathing	
	2		Focal length	
22 nd	2	3. Pressure airflow volume relationships of the lungs 4. Physics of the alveoli. 5.The breathing mechanism 6. Airway resistance	The Physics of Lungs and Breathing	
	2		Surface tension	
23 rd	2	7. Work of breathing. 8. Physics of some common diseases.	The Physics of Lungs and Breathing Radiation (introduction)	
	2	Radiation (introduction)	Tutor lab -PFT	
24 th	1	1. Physics of diagnostic x-ray	Radiation	
	2	ray production 2.X-ray interaction with matter	Hospital visit (CT scan ray)	
25 th	2	3.Using x-ray in diagnosis 1.Terminology 2. Properties of alpha, beta and gamma radiations.	Radiation Physics of Nuclear Medicine(Radioisotopes Medicine)	
	2	3. Give an example of production of radionuclides	Gamma ray	
26 th	2	4. Production and use of technetium-99 and iodine-131 5. Uses of radioisotopes for diagnosis and therapy 6.Introduction to MRI & PET Scan	Physics of Nuclear Medicine(Radioisotopes Medicine)	
	2		Hospital visit (MRI)	
27 th	2	1. Define, know the units of, use in calculations, the following terms: activity, exposure, absorbed dose, dose equivalent, exposure rate constant	Radiation Protection in Medicine	
	2	2. Use the following terms correctly: committed dose equivalent, effective dose equivalent, collective dose equivalent, linear energy transfer, quality factor, relative biological effectiveness.	Radiation Dose measurement	
28 th	2	3. The background levels of radiation, and give examples of some common medical doses such as chest X-ray.	Radiation Protection in Medicine	
	2	4. Discuss, in general terms, by giving examples, the relationships between radiation levels and the incidence of damage or disease.	Laser 1	
29 th	2	5. The general principles under which the use of radioisotopes is permitted, and gives examples of maximum permitted dose levels	Radiation Protection in Medicine	
	2		Laser 2	
30 th	4	Medical Physics pre-exam general revision		
		Final Examination		

11. Course Evaluation

70 marks for final exam and 30 marks for mid exam

12. Learning and Teaching Resources

Required textbooks (curriculum books, if any)	"Medical Physics" by R. K. Hobbie & B. R. Roth - Fundamental concepts and clinical applications.
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	<p>"Introduction to Medical Physics" by Paul Suetens – Focus on imaging and instrumentation.</p> <p>"Physics in Medicine & Biology" by R. P. M. Larkin – Covers radiation, imaging, and physiology applications</p>
Main references (sources)	<p>Khan, F. M. "The Physics of Radiation Therapy" – For radiobiology and radiation principles.</p> <p>Hall, E. J. & Giaccia, A. J. "Radiobiology for the Radiologist" – Radiation effects in medicine.</p> <p>Bushberg, J. T., Seibert, J. A., Leidholdt, E. M., & Boone, J. M. "Essential Physics of Medical Imaging" – Imaging physics and techniques.</p>
Recommended books and references (scientific journals, reports...)	Journal articles: Physics in Medicine & Biology, Medical Physics Journal.
Electronic References, Website	Online resources: WHO, IAEA medical physics guidelines


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