

medical terminology

II. Course Description

This course is providing the principles of medical word building to help the student develop the extensive medical vocabulary used in health care occupations. Students receive a thorough grounding in basic medical terminology through a study of root words, prefixes and suffixes. The study focuses on correct pronunciation, spelling and use of medical terms commonly used in medical specialties.

XI. Course Content

Distribution of Semester Weekly Plan of Course Topics/Items and Activities.

A – Theoretical Aspect 5

Contact Hours	Week Due	Topics List	Order
2	1-2	Introduction to Medical Terminology	1
2	3-4	Human Body in Health & Disease	2
1	5	Musculo-skeletal System	3
1	6	Cardiovascular System	4
1	7	Midterm Exam	5
1	8	Lymphatic and Immune System	6
1	9	Respiratory System	7
1	10	Digestive System	8
1	11	Urinary System	9
1	12	Nervous System	10
1	13	Special Senses: Eyes, Ears, and Skin (Integumentary)	11
1	14	Endocrine System and Male & Female Reproductive Systems	12
1	15	Diagnostic Procedures and Pharmacology	13
1	16	Final Exam	14
16	16	Number of Weeks /and Units Per Semester	

B– Practical Aspect:

Contact Hours	Week Due	Topics List	Order
		Not applicable	1

V. Teaching strategies of the course

1. Lecture - Discussion
2. Demonstration
3. Brainstorming
4. Case discussions / Seminar

VII. Schedule of Assessment Tasks for Students During the Semester**Theoretical Part**

Aligned Course Learning Outcomes	Proportion of Final Assessment	Mark	Week Due	Assessment Method	No
A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6, B1, B2, B3, B4,	5%	5	15 th week	Attendance and activities	1
A1, A2, A16, A17, B6	5%	5	5 th & 12 th week	Student assignments	2
A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6, B1, B2, B3, B4,	20%	20	7 th or 8 th week	Mid-term exam	3
A7, A8, A9, A10, A11, A12, A13, A14, A15, A16, A17, B5, B6, C1	70 %	70	16 th - 17 th week	Final-exam	4

Clinical Part

Aligned Course Learning Outcomes	Proportion of Final Assessment	Mark	Week Due	Assessment Method	No
				Not applicable	