PHYSIOLOGY II

FACULTY	HEALTH SCIENCES		
DEPARTMENT	NURSING		
LEVEL OF EDUCATION	UNDERGRADUATE		
COURSE CODE	0805.2.004.0	SEMESTER OF STUDIES	$2^{ m nd}$
COURSE TITLE	PHYSIOLOGY II		

SELF-ENDED TEACHING ACTIVITIES		TEACHING	
		HOURS	CREDIT UNITS
		/ WEEK	
Theory		2	
Coaching school			
Laboratory			
Clinical exercise			
Total		2	3
COURSE TYPE:	COMPULSORY		
PREREQUISITE COURSES:	NO		
LANGUAGE OF TEACHING and	GREEK		
EXAMINATIONS:	NO		
THE COURSE IS OFFERED TO			
ERASMUS STUDENTS:	https://eclass.hmu.gr/courses/NURS182/		

Learning results

The purpose of the course is to introduce the students to the physiological arrangement and function of the human body, especially the function of the tissues and organs of the respiratory, digestive, cardiovascular, urinary and reproductive systems.

After completing the course students will be able to understands the:

- hemodynamic of the cardiovascular system and the factors that contribute to cardiac regulation.
- elements of the vascular system and their functions.
- ventilation of the lungs and the process of inhalation and exhalation.
- transport of O2 and CO2 in the human body through blood and body fluids.
- principles of acid-base balance and recognize its disturbances.
- basic functions of the digestive system (digestion, secretion, absorption and excretion).

- nervous and hormonal regulation of the digestive system.
- contribution of the supporting organs (liver, pancreas, gallbladder) to the functioning of the digestive system.
- process of chewing, swallowing and defecation.
- functions of organs of the urinary system (kidneys, ureters, bladder, urethra).
- process of the basic functions of the elements of the kidney (filtration, reabsorption, secretion and excretion).
- regulation of electrolytes and water.
- functions of the male and female genital organs.
- processes of spermatogenesis, erection and ejaculation.
- process of ovum production and the phases of the menstrual cycle.
- hormonal control of male and female reproduction.
- pregnancy process.

General Skills

Decision making, Freelance work, Teamwork, Working in an interdisciplinary environment, Demonstrating social, professional and ethical responsibility

	Course content - Theory outline		
1st week	Introduction to the physiology of individual systems		
2nd week	Elements of physiology of the organs of the circulatory system (hematopoietic and lymphatic). Function of the heart.		
3rd week	The functions of the blood and lymphatic circulatory system.		
4th week	Physiology of the organs of the respiratory system (nasal cavities, pharynx, larynx, trachea, bronchus, bronchial tree, lungs)		
5th week	The function of breathing. Ventilation of the lungs (air movement between atmosphere-alveolus). Diffusion of O2 and CO2 between alveolus – blood. Transport of O2 and CO2 by blood and body fluids to and from cells. The regulation of acid-base balance		
6th week	Physiology of the organs of the digestive system (Oral cavity, pharynx, esophagus, stomach, small and large intestine)		
7th week	Supporting organs of the digestive system (liver, pancreas, gallbladder)		
8th week	The functions of digestion, secretion, absorption and excretion		
9th week	Physiology of the organs of the urinary system (kidneys, ureters, bladder, urethra)		
10th week	Filtration, reabsorption, secretion and excretion by the urinary system		
11th week	Elements of female genital physiology		
12th week	Elements of male genital physiology		
13th week	Physiology of reproduction - pregnancy		

Course content – Outline of Clinical Practice

TEACHING METHOD	Traditional lectures using PowerPoint software. Questions and answers for students.
USE OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES	Use of the e-class electronic platform to store presentations in digital format for easy access by students. Communication with students on issues related to the educational process through the same platform. View video in digital format. Using powerpoint slides.
TEACHING ORGANIZATION	Activity Semester Workload 90 Lectures (total: 13X2) Total Course Hours: 26
EVALUATION OF STUDENTS	Theoretical part of the course 100% from a written final exam.

RECOMMENDED BIBLIOGRAPHY (into Greek language)

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