

INSTITUTE	FACULTY OF PHYSIOTHERAPY
PROGRAM	MASTER OF PHYSIOTHERAPY
SEMESTER	1
COURSE TITLE	BASIC LIFE SUPPORT
COURSE CODE	17MP0108
COURSE CREDITS	1

Objective:

- 1 To enable students to understand and perform cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) for adults, children, and infants as per American Heart Association (AHA) standards.
- 2 To train students to identify and manage respiratory and cardiac arrest emergencies effectively, including the timely and appropriate use of an Automated External Defibrillator (AED) and provision of post-cardiac arrest care.
- 3 To develop skills in airway management, including the use of barrier devices and techniques for the relief of foreign-body airway obstruction (choking) in all age groups.
- 4 To cultivate teamwork, communication, and leadership abilities for effective performance in single- and multirescuer resuscitation, following the principles of the AHA Chain of Survival.

Course Outcomes: After completion of this course, student will be able to:

- 1 Demonstrate competency in performing Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation for adults, children, and infants according to American Heart Association guidelines.
- 2 Recognize and effectively manage respiratory and cardiac arrest, including use of an Automated External Defibrillator and post-cardiac arrest care.
- 3 Apply appropriate techniques for airway management and relief of foreign-body obstruction across all age groups.
- 4 Function efficiently as an individual and team member in multirescuer resuscitation, emphasizing communication, coordination, and adherence to the American Heart Association Chain of Survival.

Pre-requisite of course: Basic knowledge of anatomy, physiology, pathology and medicine.

Teaching and Examination Scheme

Theory Hours	Tutorial Hours	Practical Hours	ESE	IA	CSE	Viva	Term Work
20	0	10	0	50	0	0	0
Contents : Unit	Topics						Contact Hours
1	Cardiopulmonary resuscitation Cardiopulmonary resuscitation for adults, children, and infants						3

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2	Chain of Survival American Heart Association Chain of Survival, specifically the Basic life support components	2
3	Basic life supportcare Demonstrate proficiency in providing Basic life supportcare, including prioritizing chest compressions and integrating use of an Automated External Defibrillator	4
4	Respiratory arrest Recognize and manage respiratory arrest	3
5	Management of cardiac arrest Recognize and manage cardiac arrest until termination of resuscitation or transfer of care, including post–cardiac arrest care	3
6	Automated External Defibrillator Important early use of an Automated External Defibrillator	2
7	Effective ventilations applications Effective ventilations using a barrier device and Relief of foreign-body airway obstruction (choking) for adults / infants	3
Total Hours		20

Suggested List of Experiments:

Contents : Unit	Topics	Contact Hours
1	Cardiopulmonary resuscitation Effective ventilations using a barrier device and Relief of foreign-body airway obstruction (choking) for adults / infants	5
2	Automated External Defibrillator Use of automated external defibrillator	1
3	Multirescuer resuscitation Importance of teams in multirescuer resuscitation and performance as an effective team member during multirescuer Cardiopulmonary resuscitation	4
Total Hours		10

Textbook :

- 1 BLS Provider Manual. ., American Heart Association (AHA), American Heart Association, 2020

References:

- 1 Mosby's Paramedic Textbook (5th ed.), Mosby's Paramedic Textbook (5th ed.), Sanders, M. J., & McKenna, K. D. , Elsevier, 2019
- 2 Tintinalli's Emergency Medicine: A Comprehensive Study Guide (9th ed.), Tintinalli's Emergency Medicine: A Comprehensive Study Guide (9th ed.), Tintinalli, J. E., Ma, O. J., Yealy, D. M., Meckler, G. D., Stapczynski, J. S., Cline, D. M., & Thomas, S. H., McGraw-Hill Education, 2020

Suggested Theory Distribution:

The suggested theory distribution as per Bloom's taxonomy is as follows. This distribution serves as guidelines for teachers and students to achieve effective teaching-learning process

Distribution of Theory for course delivery					
Remember / Knowledge	Understand	Apply	Analyze	Evaluate	Higher order Thinking / Creative
25.00	25.00	20.00	10.00	20.00	0.00

Instructional Method:

- 1 Lectures in classroom and practical demonstration in laboratory

Supplementary Resources:

- 1 N/A