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Medical Doctorate (M.D.) Degree Program and Courses Specification for Nuclear Medicine

According to Currently applied Credit point by law

Clinical Oncology and Nuclear Medicine

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#### A. ProfessionalInformation

# 1- Program aims

1/1 To enable candidates to master high level of clinical skills, bedside care skills, in addition to update medical knowledge as well as clinical experience and competence in the area of Nuclear Medicine and enabling the candidates of making appropriate referrals to a sub-specialist

1/2 Provide candidates with fundamental knowledge of Nuclear Medicine as regards; mastering dealing with patients, Nuclear Medicine equipments, techniques, indications, contraindications and training skills of different nuclear medicine procedures.

1/3 To enable candidates to perform high standard scientific medical research and how to proceed with publication in indexed medical journals.

1/4 To enable candidates to describe the basic ethical and medicolegal principles relevant to Nuclear Medicine 1/5 To enable candidates to have professional careers as a consultant in Egypt but recognized abroad.

1/6To enable candidates to continue self learning in subspecialties.

1/7 To enable candidates to master different research methodology and do their own.

# 2-Intended learning outcomes (ILOs)

for the whole program:

#### 2/1Knowledge and understanding:

- A. Demonstrate in-depth knowledge and understanding of theories, basics and updated biomedical, clinical epidemiological and socio-behavioral science relevant to Nuclear medicine as well as the evidence-based application of this knowledge to patient care.
- B. Explain basics, methodology, tools and ethics of scientific medical, clinical research.
- C. Mention ethical, medico logical principles and bylaws relevant to his practice in the field of Nuclear Medicine.
- D. Mention principles and measurements of quality assurance and quality improvement in medical education and in clinical practice of Nuclear Medicine
- E. Mention health care system, public health and health policy, issues relevant to Nuclear Medicine and principles and methods of system based improvement of patient care in common health problems of the field of Nuclear Medicine

#### 2/2 Intellectual outcomes

- A. Apply the basic and clinically supportive sciences which are appropriate to Nuclear Medicine related conditions/problem/ topics.
- B. Demonstrate an investigatory and analytic thinking "problem solving "approaches to clinical situation related to Nuclear Medicine
- C. Plan research projects.
- D. Write scientificpapers.
- E. Participate in clinical risk management as a part of clinical governance.
- F. Plan for quality improvement in the field of medical education and clinical practice in Nuclear Medicine.
- G. Create / innovate plans, systems, and other issues for improvement of performance in his practice.
- H. Present and defend his / her data in front of a panel of experts.
- Formulate management plans and alternative decisions in different situations in the field of Nuclear Medicine.
- J. Formulate management plans and alternative decisions in different situations in the field of Nuclear Medicine.

# 2/3 Skills 2/3/1 Practical skills (Patient Care)

A. Provide extensive level of patient care that is compassionate, appropriate, and effective for the treatment of health problems and the promotion of health. p.s. Extensive level means in-depth understanding from basic science to evidence-based clinical application and possession of skills to manage independently all problems in field of practice.

- B. provides extensive level of patient care for patients with all common diagnoses and for uncomplicated procedures Nuclear Medicine
- C. provides extensive level of patient care for non-routine, complicated patients and under increasingly difficult circumstances, while demonstrating compassionate, appropriate and effective care.
- D. Perform diagnostic and therapeutic procedures considered essential in the field of Nuclear Medicine
- E. Handel unexpected complications, while demonstrating compassion and sensitivity to patient needs and concerns.
- **F.** Communicate effectively and demonstrate caring and respectful behaviors when interacting with patients and their families in Nuclear Medicine related situations.
- G, Gather essential and accurate information about patients of Nuclear Medicine related conditions.
- H. Make informed decisions about diagnostic and therapeutic interventions based on patient information and preferences, up-to-date scientific evidence and clinical judgment for Nuclear Medicine related conditions.
- I. Develop and carry out patient management plans for Nuclear Medicine related conditions.
- J. Counsel and educate patients and their families about speciality related conditions.

- K. Use information technology to support patient care decisions and patient education in all Nuclear Medicine related clinical situations.
- L. Perform competently all medical and invasive procedures considered essential for Nuclear Medicine related conditions / area of practices.
- M. Provide health care services aimed at preventing Nuclear Medicine related health problems.
- N. Lead health care professionals, including those from other disciplines, to provide patient-focused care in Nuclear Medicine related conditions.
- O. Write competently all forms of patient charts and sheets including reports evaluating these charts and sheets. (Write and evaluate a consultation note, Inform patients of a diagnosis and therapeutic plan, completing and evaluating comprehensive, timely and legible medical records)

#### 2/3/2 General skills

# **Including:**

- Practice-based Learning and Improvement
- Interpersonal and Communication Skills
- Professionalism
- Systems-based Practice

# **Practice-Based Learning and Improvement**

A. Demonstrate the competency of continuous evaluation of different types of care provision to patients in the different area of Nuclear Medicine

- B. Appraise scientific evidence.
- C.Continuously improve patient care based on constant selfevaluation and life-longlearning.
- D. Participate in clinical audit and research projects.
- E. Practice skills of evidence-based Medicine (EBM).
- F. Educate and evaluate, residents and other health professionals.
- G.Design logbooks.
- H.Design clinical guidelines and standard protocols of management.
- I. Appraise evidence from scientific studies related to the patients' health problems.
- J. Apply knowledge of study designs and statistical methods to the appraisal of clinical studies.
- K. Use information technology to manage information, access online medical information; for the important topics.

#### **Interpersonal and Communication Skills**

- L. Master interpersonal and communication skills that result in the effective <u>exchange of information and collaboration</u> with patients, their families, and health professionals, including:-
  - Present a case.
  - Write a consultation note.
  - <u>Inform patients</u> of a diagnosis and therapeutic plan completing and maintaining comprehensive.
  - Timely and legible medical records.

- Teamwork skills.
- M. Create and sustain a therapeutic and ethically sound relationship with patients.
- N. Elicit and provide information using effective nonverbal, explanatory, questioning, and writing skills.
- O. Work effectively with others as a member or leader of a health care team or other professional group.

#### **Professionalism**

- P. Demonstrate respect, compassion, and integrity; a responsiveness to the needs of patients and society.
- Q. Demonstrate a commitment to ethical principles including provision or withholding of clinical care, confidentiality of patient information, informed consent, and business practices.
- R. Demonstrate sensitivity and responsiveness to patients' culture, age, gender, and disabilities.

# **Systems-Based Practice**

- S. Work effectively in health care delivery settings and systems related to Nuclear Medicine including good administrative and time management.
- T. Practice cost-effective health care and resource allocation that does not compromise quality of care.
- U. Advocate for quality patient care and assist patients in dealing with system complexities.

- V. Design, monitor and evaluate specification of under and post graduate course and programs.
- W. Act as a chair man for scientific meetings including time management.

#### 3- Program Academic Reference Standards (ARS) (Annex 2)

# Academic standards for Medical Doctorate (MD) degree in Nuclear Medicine

Assiut Faculty of Medicine developed MD degree programs' academic standards for different clinical specialties.

In preparing these standards, the General Academic Reference Standards for post graduate programs (GARS) were adopted. These standards set out the graduate attributes and academic characteristics that are expected to be achieved by the end of program. These standards were approved by the faculty the council on 20/3/2010. These standards were revised and approved without changes by Faculty Council

#### 4- Program External References (Benchmarks)

2. ACGME (Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education).

http://www.acgme.org/acWebsite/navPages/nav\_Public.asp

3. American Board of Nuclear Medicine

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/American\_Board\_of\_Nuclear\_Medicine

Comparison between program and external reference				
ltem	Nuclear Medicine	American Board of		
	program	Nuclear Medicine		
Goals	Matched	Matched		
ILOS	Matched	Matched		
Duration	4-6 years	Different		
Requirement	Different	Different		
Program	Different	Different		
structure				

#### **5- Program Structure**

A. Duration of program: 4-6 years

B. Structure of the program:

Total number of credit points: = 420 CP Master degree: 180 credit point

Didactic #: 37 CP (23.1%), practical 123 (76.9%), total 160 CP

Thesis and researches: 80 CP (33.3%)

First part

Didactic 10 (100%), practical 0 (0 %), total 10 CP

**Second part** 

Didactic 24, (16.3%), practical 123 (83.7%), total 147 CP

**Elective courses: 3 credit points** 

**#Didactic (lectures, seminars, tutorial)** 

## According the currently applied bylaws:

Total courses: 160 credit point

Compulsory courses: 157 credit point (98.1%)

Elective courses: 3 credit point (1.9%)

	Credit point	% from total	
Basic science courses	10	4.1%	
Humanity and social courses	3	1.2%	
Speciality courses	147	61.3%	
Others (Computer,)	-	0	
Field training	123	51.3%	
Thesis	40	16.7%	
2 published researches	40	16.7%	
Master degree	180		

#### C. Program Time Table

Duration of program 4 years divided into

o Part 1

Program-related basic science courses

Program-related basic science courses

- Medical statistic
- Research methodology
- Medicolegal Aspects and Ethics in Medical Practice and Scientific Research

Students are allowed to sit the exams of these courses after 6 months from applying to the M D degree.

Students are allowed to sit the exams of the remaining basic science courses after 12 months from applying to the MD degree.

Thesis and 2 published researches

For the M D thesis;

MD thesis subject should be officially registered within 1 year from application to the MD degree,

Discussion and acceptance of the thesis should not be set before 24 months from registering the M D subject; It could be discussed and accepted either before or after passing the second part of examination

o Part 2

Program–related Speciality courses and ILOs Students are not allowed to sit the exams of these courses before 4 years from applying to the MD degree.

Two elective courses can be set during either the 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> parts.

The students pass if they get 50% from the written exams and 60% from oral exams, 60% from clinical/practical exams of each course and 60% of summation of the written exams, oral and clinical .practical exams of each course

Total degrees 1700 marks.

500 marks for first part

1200 for second part

Written exam 40%-70%.

Clinical/practical and oral exams 30% - 60%.

# D- Curriculum Structure: (Courses): ♣Levels and courses of the program:

Courses and student work load list	Course	ourse Credit points		
	Code	didactic#	training	total
First Part				
Basic science courses (10 CP)				
Course 1: Medical Statistics	FAC309A	1		1
Course 2: Research Methodology	FAC309B	1		1
Course 3: Medicolegal Aspects &	FAC310C	1		1
Ethics in Medical Practice and				
Scientific Research				
Course 4:Pathology	CLO305	3		3
Course 5: Internal Medicine	CLO318	2		2
Course 6: General Surgery	CLO311	2		2
Elective courses*		3 CP		
- Elective course 1		1.5		1.5
- Elective course 2		1.5		1.5
Thesis		40 CP		
Published researches**		40 CP		
Second Part	Spe	eciality course	s 24 CP	
	Speciality Cl	linical Work (lo	og Book) 12	23 CP
Speciality Courses				
Course 5 " Nuclear Medicine"*	CLO327	24		24
Speciality Clinical Work (123 CP)	CLO327		123	123
Total of second part		24	123	147

# **#Didactic (lectures, seminars, tutorial)**

Work load hours are scheduled depending on the type of activities and targeted competences and skills in different courses

<sup>\*</sup> Elective courses can be taken during either the 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> parts. Student work load calculation:

#### **Elective Courses#:**

- Advanced medical statistics.
- Evidence based medicine.
- Advanced infection control.
- Quality assurance of medical education.
- o Quality assurance of clinical practice.
- -Hospital management

#Two of the above mentioned courses are prerequisites for fulfillment of the degree.

#### 3. Thesis /Researches:

40 CP are appointed to the completion and acceptance of the thesis.

\*\*Another 40 points are appointed to acceptance or publication of one research from the thesis in international indexed medical journals or publication of 2 researches from the thesis in local specialized medical journals.

#### \*Course 7 Nuclear Medicine

Units' Titles'list	% from	Level	Core Credit points		oints
	total	(Year)	Didactic	training	Total
1) Unit 1 "Clinical Nuclear Medicine 2) Unit 2 " Radio-isotopes therapy	66.7% 33.3%	1,2&3 3&4	16 8	82 41	98 49
Total No. of Units:	2		24	123	147

#### 6. Courses Contents (Annex 1)

The competency based objectives for each course/module/rotation are specified in conjunction with teaching/training methods, requirements for achieving these objectives and assessment methods.

# See Annex 1 for detailed specifications for each course/ module Annex 6 II: Program Matrix

#### 7-Admission requirements

<u>‡</u>

Admission Requirements (prerequisites) if any :

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- I. General Requirements:
  - Master degree in the nuclear medicine
- **II. Specific Requirements:** 
  - Fluent in English (study language)

#### **VACATIONS AND STUDY LEAVE**

The current departmental policy is to give working assistant lecture 3 week leave prior to first/ second part exams.

#### **FEES:**

As regulated by the postgraduate studies rules and approved by the faculty vice dean of post graduate studies and the faculty and university councils.

#### 8-Progression and completion requirements

Examinations of the first part (Medical statistic, Research methodology and Medicolegal Aspects and Ethics in Medical Practice and Scientific Research) could be set at 6 months from registering to the MD degree.

- → Students are allowed to sit the exams of theremaining essential courses of the first part after 12 months from applying to the MD degree.
- **♣** Examination of the second part cannot be set before 4 years from registering to the degree.
- → Discussion of the MD thesis could be set after 2 years from officially registering the MD subject, either before or after setting the second part exams.
- ♣ The minimum duration of the program is 4 years.

#### The students are offered the degree when:

- 1. Passing the exams of all basic science, elective and speciality courses of this program as regulated by the post graduates approved rules by the faculty council.
- 2. Completing all scheduled CP and log book (minimum 80%).
- 3. Discussion and acceptance of the MD thesis.
- 4. Acceptance or publication of one research from the thesis in international indexed medical journals or publication of 2 researches from the thesis in local specialized medical journals.

#### 9-Program assessment methods and rules (Annex IV)

Method	ILOs measured
Written examinations:	K&I
Structured essay questions	
Objective questions	
MCQ	
Problem solving	
Clinical:	K ,I, P &G skills
Long/short cases	
OSCE	
Structured oral	K ,I &G skills
Logbook assessment	All
Research assignment	I &G skills

# **Weighting of assessments:**

Courses	Degrees				
Courses	Course	Written	Oral	Practical	Total
	Code	Exam	*	/ Clinical	
				Exam	
	First Part		1	T	
Basic sciencecourses:					
Medical Statistics	FAC309A	35	15		50
Research Methodology	FAC309B	35	15		50
Medicolegal Aspects & Ethics	FAC310C	35	15		50
in Medical Practice and					
Scientific Research					
Course 4:Pathology	CLO305	90	60		150
Course 5: Internal Medicine	CLO318	100			100
Course 6: General Surgery	CLO311	100			100
Total of the first part					500
	Second Pa	rt			
	Course code	written	Oral	Practical	total
			*	/ Clinical	
				Exam	
Speciality Courses					
* "Nuclear Medicine "	CLO327		360	360	1200
Paper 1 : Clinical Nuclear					
Medicine 1		120			
Paper 2: Clinical Nuclear		120			
Medicine 2					
Paper 3: Nuclear Medicine		120			
Therapeutic					
Paper 4: Elective subcourse in		120			
Nuclear Medicine					
Total of The second part		480	360	360	1200
Elective course 1		50		50	100
Elective course 2		50		50	100

#### \*Nuclear Medicine

Units' Titles' list	% from	Degrees			
	total Marks	Written Exam	Oral Exam	Practical / Clinical	Total
				Exam	
1) Unit 1 "Clinical Nuclear Medicine	66.7%	320	240	240	800
2) Unit 2 " Radio-					
isotopes therapy	33.3%	160	120	120	400
Total No. of Units:	2	480	360	360	1200

<sup>\* 25%</sup> of the oral exam for assessment of logbook

500 marks for first part

1200 for second part

Written exam 40% (480 marks)

Clinical /practical and oral exams 60% (720 marks)

Two elective courses 200

Examination system:

#### > First part:

- Written exam 2 hours in Medical Statistics and Research Methodology + oral examination
- Written exam 1 hours in Medicolegal Aspects and Ethics in Medical Practice and Scientific Research + oral examination
- Written exam 3 hours in Pathology + oral exam
- Written exam 1 hour in Internal Medicine
- Written exam 1 hour in General Surgery

#### Second part:

 Written exam four papers 3 hours for each in Nuclear Medicine (Paper 1 : Clinical Nuclear Medicine 1, Paper 2: Clinical Nuclear Medicine 2, Paper 3: Nuclear Medicine Therapeutic, Paper 4: Elective subcourse in Nuclear Medicine) + Oral exam+ Clinical/Practical exam

#### Elective courses

- Written exam one paper 1 hour in Elective course 1 + Oral & Practical exam
- Written exam one paper 1 hour in Elective course 2 + Oral & Practical exam

# 10-Program evaluation

By whom	Method	Sample
<b>Quality Assurance Unit</b>	Reports	#
	Field visits	
External Evaluator	Reports	#
(s):According to department council	Field visits	
External Examiner(s):		
According todepartment		
council		
Stakeholders	Reports	#
	Field visits	
	Questionnaires	
Senior students	Questionnaires	#
Alumni	Questionnaires	#

#Annex 5 contains evaluation templates and reports (Joined in the departmental folder).

# 11-Declaration

We certify that all of the information required to deliver this program is contained in the above specification and will be implemented.

All course specifications for this program are in place.

Contributor	Name	Signature	Date
<ul><li>Program Principle Coordinator:</li></ul>	Prof. Dr./ Mohammad A. Mekkawy		
<ul> <li>Head of the Responsible Department (Program Academic Director):</li> </ul>	Prof Dr./Samir Shehata		

# Annex 1, Specifications for Courses / Modules

#### **Annex 1: specifications for courses**

#### **First Part**

- 1) Course 1: Medical Statistics
- 2) Course 2: Research Methodology
- 3) Course 3: Medicolegal Aspects and Ethics in Medical Practice and Scientific Research
- 4) Course 4: Pathology
- 5) Course 5: Internal Medicine
- 6) Course 6: General Surgery

#### **Course 1: Medical statistics**

Name of department: Public Health and Community Medicine

Faculty of medicine Assiut University 2016-1017

#### 1. Course data

- Course Title: Medical statistics
- **4** Course code: FAC309A
- Speciality: offered to all clinical and academic specialties
- Number of credit points: 1 credit point
- **♣ Department (s) delivering the course:** Pubic Health and Community Medicine
- Coordinator (s):
  - Course coordinator: Prof. Ahmed M. Hany
  - Assistant coordinator (s):

Prof. Farag Mohammed Moftah Prof. Hosnia Saeed Abdel Majeed

- Date last reviewed: September 2017
- Requirements (pre-requisites) if any :
  - Completed Master degree in any of the academic or clinical departments of Medicine.

# 2. Course Aims

Enable gradute students to use statistical principles to improve their professional work and develop the concept of critical interpretation of data

3. Intended learning outcomes (ILOs):To be able to use statistical principals to manage data

# A knowledge and understanding

ILOS	Methodsof	Methods of
	teaching/	Evaluation
	learning	
A. List the types of variables	Lectureand	Written
	discussion	examination
B. Identify the methods of data	Lectureand	Written
collection	discussion	examination
C. Describe the different sampling	Lecture and	Written
strategies	discussion	examination
D. Identify types of tabular and	Lecture and	Written
graphic presentation of data	discussion	examination
E. Identify measures of central	Lecture and	Written
tendency and dispersion	discussion	examination
F. Identify the characters of normal	Lecture and	Written
distribution curve.	discussion	examination

# **B.** intellectual

ILOs	Methods of teaching/learning	Methods of Evaluation
A. Describe the normal curves.	Lecture& Discussions	Written examination
B. Describe and summarize data	Lecture& Discussions	Written examination
C. Selectthe propertest of significance	Lecture& Discussions	Written examination
D. Interpret the proper test of significance	Lecture& Discussions	Written examination

# C. Practical skills

ILOs	Methods of	Methods of
	teaching/	Evaluation
	learning	
A. Design data entry files.	Tutorial on	Assignments
	SPSS	SPSS exam
B. Validate data entry.	Tutorial on	Assignments
,	SPSS	SPSS exam
C. Manage data files.	Tutorial on	Assignments
	SPSS	SPSS exam
D. Construct tables and graphs.	Tutorial on	Assignments
<b>3</b> γγ	SPSS	SPSS exam
E. Calculate measures of central	Tutorial on	Assignments
tendency and dispersion.	SPSS	SPSS exam
F. Select, apply and interpret the	Tutorial on	Assignments
proper test of significance.	SPSS	SPSS exam

# D general skills

ILOs	Methods of teaching/ learning	Methods of Evaluation
A. Appraise scientific evidence	Discussions	Research assignment
B. Use information technology to manage information, access online medical information; for the important topics.	tutorial	Research and audits' assignment

# 4. Course contents (topic s/modules/rotation Course Matrix

Time Schedule: First Part

Topic	Covered ILOs			
	Knowledge A	Intellectual B	Practical skills C	General Skills D
Introduction	A-F	A-D	-	A&B
Tables and graphics	D	A-D	-	A&B
Sampling	С	-	-	A&B
Methodology of data collection	В	-	-	A&B
Type of variables	A	-	-	A&B
Proportion test& Chi-square test	E,F	C&D	-	A&B
Student T test& Paired T test	E,F	C&D	F	A&B
ANOVA test	E,F	C&D	F	A&B
Non parametric tests	E,F	C&D	F	A&B
Discrimination analysis factor analysis	E,F	C&D	-	A&B
SPSS Introduction	A-F	A-D	-	A&B
Data entry and cleaning of data	A	A-D	A-C	A&B
Transforming of variables	A	A&B	A-C	A&B
Descriptive statistics	D	A-D	D&E	A&B
Graphic presentation	D	A&B	D	A&B
Chi square and interpretation of results	E,F	C&D	F	A&B
Correlation Regression	E,F	C&D	F	A&B
Multiple and logistic Regression	E,F	C&D	F	A&B

# 5. Course Methods of teaching/learning

- 1. Lectures
- 2. Assignments
- 3. Discussions
- 4. Exercises
- 5. Tutorial on SPSSv.16

#### 6. Course assessment methods:

- i. Assessment tools:
  - 1. Practical examination
  - **2.** Attendance and active participation
  - 3. Assignments
  - **4.** SPSS examination
  - **5.** written exam
- **ii. Time schedule:** After 6 months from applying to the M D degree.
- iii. Marks: 50 (35 for written exam and 15 for oral exam).

# 7. List of references

i. Lectures notes

iii.

Department lecture notes

ii. Essential books

Medical statistics

Recommended books

Discovering statistics using SPSS

iii. Periodicals, Web sites, etc

# 8. Signatures

Course Coordinator:	Head of the Department:
- Prof. Ahmed M. Hany	- Prof. Omaima El Gibaly
<b>Date</b> : 17- 9-2017	<b>Date</b> : 17- 9-2017

## **Course 2: Research Methodology**

Name of department: All clinical and academic departments
Faculty of medicine
Assiut University
2015-2016/2016-2017

#### 1. Course data

- Course Title: Research methodology
- Course code: FAC309B
- Speciality: Offered to all clinical and academic specialties
- Number of credit points: 1 credit point
- **♣** Department (s) delivering the course: Department of public health
- Coordinator (s):
  - Course coordinator: Prof. Ali Zarzour
  - Assistant coordinator (s):

Prof. Mohamed H. Qayed

**Prof. Omaima El-Gibaly** 

- **♣ Date last reviewed:** September 2017
- Requirements (prerequisites) if any :
  - Completed Master degree in any of the academic or clinical departments of Medicine.

# 2. Course Aims

To provide graduate students with the skills of:

- Research proposal,
- Writing planning and implementing rigorous research,
- Writing and publishing scientific papers.

# 3. Intended learning outcomes (ILOs):To be able to write a rigorous research proposal

# A knowledge and understanding

ILOs	Methods of teaching/ learning	Methods of Evaluation
A. Explain differences between	Lecture and	Written
different study designs	discussion	examination
B. Identify sources and types of bias		
in research		
C. Describe the different sampling		
strategies, and compute sample		
size		
D. Select and design valid		
measurement tools for research		
E. Explain ethical issues in		
conducting research on human		
subjects		
F. describe the rules of authorship in		
scientific writing		
G. List the steps involved in proposal		
writing		

H. Identify a research problem within a conceptual framework	Lecture on Criteria to Consider to identify aresearch problem	discussion
I. Use the web sources to do a literature search	Practical tutorial on web	assignment
J. Select the appropriate study design for the research question	Lecture on various study designs	Written examination
K. Minimize bias in designing research	Lecture on the different types of bias	Written examination
L. Screening & theoretical background	Lectures on criteria for successful screening program& criteria for evaluation a screening test.	Written examination

# B. intellectual

Competency and	Methods of	Methods of
Skills	teaching/	Evaluation
	learning	
A. Apply basic science & knowledge	Discussions	Written
for appraising scientificliterature	&seminars	examination

# C. Practical skills

Competency and	Methods of	Methods of
Skills	teaching/	Evaluation
	learning	
A. Develop a budget and time line for the research	Tutorial	Assignments
B. Design a data entry file	Tutorial on Epi-	Assignments
	info orExcel	Written exam
C. Identifysteps required in fielding the	Lecture	Assignments
study		Written exam
D. Identify steps required for calculation	Lecture	Assignments
Sensitivity, Specificity, positive		Written exam
predictive value, negative predictive		
value, Accuracy of a screening test		

# D general skills

# Practice based learning improvement & professionalism

# (Scientific Paper writing skills)

Competency and Skills	Methods of teaching/ learning	Methods of Evaluation
A. To be able to write an abstract	Tutorial	Written examination case study for critque
B. Write the introduction	Tutorial	Written examination
C. Write the methodology section	Tutorial	Written examination
D. Present the results	Tutorial	Written examination
E. Perform Discussion section	Tutorial	Written examination
F. Learn Authorship ethical rules	Tutorial	Written examination

# 4. Course contents (topic s/modules/rotation Course Matrix

**Time Schedule: First Part** 

Topic	Covered ILOs			
	Knowledge		skills	General Skills
	A	В	C	D
Introduction & proposal writing	G	А	Α	A-F
Epidemiological Study designs	A,J	А	B,C	-
Screening &theoretical background	L	А	-	-
Screening practical	L	А	D	-
Sample size calculation	В	А	B,C	-
Research bias	Н	А	С	F
Ethics in research	E,F	Α	С	F

# 5. Course Methods of teaching/learning:

- 1. Lectures
- 2. Assignments
- 3. Discussion
- 4. Exercises

# 6. Course assessment methods:

#### i. Assessment tools:

- 1. Written examination
- 2. Attendance and active participation
- 3. Class
- 4. Assignments
- **ii. Time schedule:** After 6 months from applying to the M D degree.
- iii. Marks: 50 (35 for written exam and 15 for oral exam).

# 7. List of references

#### i. Lectures notes

• Department lecture notes

#### ii. Essential books

 An epidemiologic Approach to Reproductive Health, CDC, FHI, and WHO Phyllis A. wingo, James E. Higgens, Goerge L. Rubin, and S. Christine Zahniser

#### iii. Recommended books

- Evidence Based Medicine How to practice and teach EBM.
- David Sachett, Sharon E. Straus, W.Scott Richardson, William Rosenberg R.Brain Haynes

#### iv. Periodicals, Web s ites,... etc

• Dissertation workshop open courseware JHSPH

# 8. Signatures

Course Coordinator:	Head of the Department:	
- ProfAli Zarzour	- Prof. Omaima El Gibaly	
Date: 17-9-2017	<b>Date:</b> 17-9-2017	

# Course 3: Medicolegal Aspects and Ethics in Medical Practice and Scientific Research

Name of department: Forensic medicine and clinical toxicology

Faculty of medicine Assiut University 2016-2017

#### 1. Course data

- Course Title: Medicolegal Aspects and Ethics in Medical Practice and Scientific Research
- Course code: FAC310C
- General medicine, Special medicine, Pediatrics, Speciality: Public health, Oncology and Rheumatology (1<sup>st</sup> part).
- Number of credit points: 1 credit point
- Department (s) delivering the course: Forensic Medicine and Clinical Toxicology
- Coordinator (s):
  - Course coordinator:

Prof. Wafaa Mohamed Abdel Moneium

- Assistant coordinator (s) Assist.
   Prof. Amal Ali. Mohammed
- ♣ Date last reviewed: September 2017.
- Requirements (prerequisites) if any:
  - Completed Master degree.

# 2. Course Aims

To describe the basic ethical and medicolegal principles and bylaws relevant to practice in the field of General medicine, Special medicine, Pediatrics, Public health, Oncology and Rheumatology

# 3. Intended learning outcomes (ILOs):

# A knowledge and understanding

Competency and Skills	Methods of teaching/ learning	Methods of Evaluation
A. Mention principals of Taking consent.	Lecture and discussion	Oral &Written exam
B. Mention principals of Writing a death certificate	Lecture and discussion	Oral &Written exam
C. Mention principals of diagnosing death.	Lecture and discussion	Oral &Written exam
D. Mention principals of writing toxicological reports.	Lecture and discussion	Oral &Written exam
E. Explain principals of medical reports.	Lecture and discussion	Oral &Written exam
F. List indications and principals of induced emesis, gastric lavage and samples collection.	Lecture and discussion	Oral &Written exam

# **B.** intellectual

Competency and Skills	Methods of teaching/ learning	Methods of Evaluation
A. Present case, seminars in death certificate	Lecture and discussion	Oral &Writtenexam
B. Presentcase, seminars in toxicological cases	Lecture and discussion	Oral &Writtenexam

# C. Practical skills

Competency and Skills	Methods of teaching/ learning	Methods of Evaluation		
A. Identify medical ethics and ethics in research.	Lecture and discussion	Reading Discussion		
B. Prepare and write consent.	Lecture and discussion	Reading Discussion		
C. Identify medical responsibilities.	Lecture and discussion	Reading Discussion		
D. Write death certificate.	Lecture and discussion	Reading Discussion and active participation		
E. Deal with a case of Suspicious death	Lecture and discussion	Reading Discussion and active participation		
F. Perform gastric lavage, induce emesis, and obtain samples.				
G. Write medical and toxicological reports	Lecture and discussion	Reading Discussion and active participation		
H. Develop and carry out patient				

management plans for Euthanaesia, and Organ Transplantation	
I. Counsel patients and their	
families about speciality	
related conditions including	
Permanent infirmities,	
Euthanasia, and Organ	
Transplantation	

# D general skills

Competency and Skills	Methods of teaching/ learning	Methods of Evaluation
A. Present a case.	Lecture and discussion	Global rating logbook
B. Write a consultation note	Lecture and discussion	Global rating logbook
C. Inform patients and maintaining comprehensive.	Lecture and discussion	Global rating logbook
D. Make timely and legible medical records	Lecture and discussion	Global rating logbook
E. Acquire the teamwork skills	Lecture and discussion	Global rating logbook

# 4. Course contents (topic s/modules/rotation Course Matrix

**Time Schedule: First Part** 

Topic	Covered ILOs			
	Knowledge	Intellectual	Practical	General
			skills	Skills
	A	В	C	D
1. Death and death	в,с	A	D,E	A
certificate.				
2. Medical Reports	A		G	A,D,E
3. Toxicological reports	D,F	В	G,F	<b>A,</b> E
4. Ethics in research.	A		A	
5. Medical ethics.	E		<b>A,B,C,H,I</b>	В,С,Е

# 5. Course Methods of teaching/learning:

- 1. Lectures.
- 2. Discussions.
- 3. Exercises.

# 6. Course assessment methods:

- i. Assessment tools:
  - 1. Written examination.
  - 2. Attendance and active participation.
  - 3. Oral examination.
- **ii. Time schedule:** After 6 months from applying to the M D degree.
- iii. Marks: 50 (35 for written exam and 15 for oral exam).

#### 7. List of references

#### i. Lectures notes

- Course notes.
- Staff members print out of lectures and/or CD copies.

#### ii. Essential books

- Ballantyne B., Marrs T. and Syversen T.(1999):General and Applied Toxicology.2<sup>nd</sup> edition. MACMILLAN REFERENCE LTD.UK.
- Bernard Knight and Pekka Saukko (2004): Knight Forensic Pathology. Hodder Arnold press

#### iii. Recommended books

 Klassen D. (2001): Casarettand Doull s. Toxicology the basic science of poisons. McGrow. Hill press medical publishing division New York

#### iv. Journal and website

- Journals of all Egyptian Universities of Forensic Medicine and Clinical Toxicology.
- All International Journals of Forensic Medicine and Clinical Toxicology which available in the university network at <a href="https://www.sciencedirect.com">www.sciencedirect.com</a>. As:

Forensic Science International Journal.

Toxicology Letter.

## 8. Signatures

- Course Coordinator:	-Head of the Department:
Prof. Wafaa Mohamed Abdel	Prof. Wafaa Mohamed Abdel
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Date: 13- 9-2017	Date: 13- 9-2017

#### **Course 4 Pathology**

Name of department: of Clinical Oncology and Nuclear Medicine Faculty of medicine Assiut University 2016-2017

#### 1. Course data

- Course Title: Pathology
- Course code: CLO305
- Speciality is Nuclear Medicine
- **♣ Number of credit points:** 3 credit point for didactic (100%)
- Department (s) delivering the Course: Pathology in conjunction with Clinical Oncology and Nuclear Medicine
- ♣ Course coordinator: Prof. Dr./ Mohamed A. Mekkawy
  Assistant coordinator (s) Staff member of Pathology as approved by the Department council
  - ♣ Date last reviewed: September 2017
- Requirements (prerequisites) if any :
  - None
- Requirements from the students to achieve course ILOs are clarified in the joining log book.

# 2. Course aims

The student should acquire the professional knowledge and facts of pathology necessary for Nuclear Medicine.

# 3. Unit intended learning outcomes (ILOs):

# A-Knowledge and understanding

ILOs	Methods of	Methods of
	teaching/	Evaluation
	learning	
A. Describe pathological details of:	-Didactic	- Written and
General pathology of tumors	(lectures,	oral
Thyroid diseases	seminars,	examination
Cardiology: Ischemic heart disease	tutorial)	- Log book
Pulmonary embolism		
Bone diseases		
-Tumors Osteomyelitis		
Renal diseases		
-Obstructive Uropathy		
-Transplant Rejection		
Liver diseases		
-Cirrhosis - Gall bladder diseases		
Brain diseases		
-Tumors - Cerebral ischemia		

### **B-Intellectual outcomes**

ILOs	Methods of teaching/ learning	Methods of Evaluation
A. Apply the basic (physiological) supportive sciences which are appropriate to Nuclear Medicine related problems.	-Didactic (lectures, seminars, tutorial)	-Written and oral examination -Log book

## **C- Practical skills**

Practical: 0 creditpoint

# D-General Skills Practice-Based Learning and Improvement

ILOs	Methods of	<b>Methods of</b>
	teaching/	Evaluation
	learning	
A. Use information technology to manage	-Observation	-Oral exam
information, access on-line medical information;	and	Logbook
and support their own education	supervision	
	-Written & oral	
	communication	

# **Interpersonal and Communication Skills**

ILOs	Methods of teaching/ learning	Methods of Evaluation
A. Write a report in common condition mentioned	-Clinical round	•
in A.A.	-Seminars	-Chick list
	-Lectures	Oralexam

## **Professionalism**

ILOs	Methods of teaching/learning	Methods of Evaluation
B. Demonstrate a commitment to ethical principles.	- Observation and supervision Written & oral communication	Logbook Oral Exam

# **Systems-Based Practice**

ILOs	Methods of teaching/learning	Methods of Evaluation
D. Work effectively in relevant health care delivery	-Observation	-Log book
settings and systems.	- Senior staff	
	experience	

# 4. Course contents (topic s/modules/rotation Course Matrix

**Time Schedule: First Part** 

Topic		Covered I	LOs	
	Knowledge	Intellectual		General
			skills	Skills
	Α	В	C	D
<ul> <li>General pathology</li> </ul>	А	А	-	A-D
of tumors				
<ul> <li>Thyroid diseases</li> </ul>	Α	Α	-	A-D
<ul> <li>Cardiology</li> </ul>				
Ischemic heart	Α	Α	-	A-D
disease				
Pulmonary	Α	Α	-	A-D
embolism				
<ul> <li>Bone diseases</li> </ul>				
-Tumors	Α	Α	-	A-D
-Osteomyelitis	Α	Α	-	A-D
<ul> <li>Renal diseases</li> </ul>				
-Obstructive Uropath	Α	Α	-	A-D
-Transplant Rejection	Α	Α	-	A-D
<ul> <li>Liver diseases</li> </ul>				
- Cirrhosis	Α	Α	ı	A-D
-Gall bladder diseases	Α	Α	1	A-D
Brain diseases				
-Tumors	А	А	-	A-D
- Cerebral ischemia	А	А	-	A-D
5. Methods of teaching/learning:				

- 1. Didactic (lectures, seminars, tutorial)
- 2. Observation and supervision
- 3. Written & oral communication
- 4. Senior staff experience

# 6. Methods of teaching/learning: for students with poor achievements

1. Extra didactic (lectures, seminars, tutorial)

#### 7. Assessment methods:

#### i. Assessment tools:

- 1. Written and oral examination
- 2. Log book
- **ii. Time schedule:** After 12 months from applying to the M D degree.
- iii. Marks: 150

#### 8. List of references

#### i. Lectures notes

- Course notes
- Staff members print out of lectures and/or CD copies

#### ii. Essential books

Pathology text book

#### iii. Recommended books

• KUMAR, V., COTRAN, R.S., and ROBBINS, S.L. Robbins Basic Pathology. 7th ed. Saunders Publisher

- iv. Periodicals, Web sites, ... etc
  - > Periodicals,
    - Human pathology
    - Histopathology
    - American Journal of surgical pathology
  - Web sites: <a href="http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/">http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/</a>
- iv. others: None

## 9. Signatures

Course Coordinator:	Head of the Department:
Prof. Dr./Mohammad A. Mekkawy	Prof Dr./ Samir Shehata
Date:	Date:

#### **Course 5 Internal Medicine**

Name of department: of Clinical Oncology and Nuclear Medicine Faculty of medicine Assiut University 2016-2017

#### 1. Course data

- Course Title: Internal Medicine
- **Course code:** CLO3218
- Speciality is Nuclear Medicine
- **♣ Number of credit points:** 2 credit point for didactic (100%)
- **Department (s) delivering the course :** Internal Medicine
- ♣ Unit coordinator: Prof. Dr./ Mohamed A. Mekkawy Assistant coordinator (s) Staff member of Internal Medicine as approved by the Department council
- Date last reviewed: September 2017
- **Requirements (prerequisites) if any:** None
- Requirements from the students to achieve course ILOs are clarified in the joining log book.

# **Course aims**

The student should acquire the general medical Background necessary for Nuclear Medicine in clinical reasoning, diagnosis and management of patients receiving radionuclide therapy.

# 3. Intended learning outcomes (ILOs):

# A-Knowledge and understanding

ning/ ning	of Evaluation
<u>-</u>	
	-logbook- written exam
	tures, inars)

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Pheochromocytoma	
• GIT	
Liver cirrhosis	
Jaundice	
Causes of hepatosplenomegaly.	
GIT bleeding.	
Respiratory system	
Bronchogenic Cancer	
Pulmonary embolism	
<ul><li>Parathyroid</li></ul>	
Hyperparathyroidism&hypoparathyroidism	
A. Describe details of:	
• Thyroid	
Hypothyroidism	
Hyperthyroidism	
Thyroiditis	
<ul> <li>Parathyroid</li> </ul>	
Hyperparathyroidism&hypoparathyroidism	
<ul> <li>Suprarenal</li> </ul>	
Pheochromocytoma	
Renal:	
Chronic renal failure	
Pyelonephritis	
Kidney transplant	
<ul> <li>Heart</li> </ul>	
CAD	
Angina	
Infarction	
Cardiomyopathy	
Respiratory system	
Bronchogenic carcinoma	
• GIT:	
Jaundice	
C. State update and evidence based Knowledge of	
Hypertension, Diabetes mellitus	

D. Memorize the facts and principles of the relevant	
basic supportive sciences related to topics mentioned	
in A.A	
E. Mention the basic ethical and medico-legal	
principles relevant to the topics mentioned in A.A.	
F. Mention the basics of quality assurance to ensure	
good clinical care in his field	
G. Mention the ethical and scientific principles of	
medical research	
H. State the impact of common health problems in	
the field of Internal Medicine on the society.	

# **B-Intellectual outcomes**

ILOs	Methods of	Methods of
	teaching/ learning	Evaluation
A. Apply the basic and clinically supportive sciences which are appropriate to Nuclear Medicine related problems.	-Clinical	-log book
B. Demonstrate an investigatory and analytic thinking (problem solving) approaches to common clinical situations related to Nuclear Medicine.		
C-Formulate management plans and alternative decisions in different situations in the field of the Nuclear Medicine		

C. Practical: 0 credit point

# D-General Skills Practice-Based Learning and Improvement

ILOs	Methods of teaching/ learning	Methods of Evaluation
A. Use information technology to manage information, access on-line medical information; and support their own education	-Observation and supervision -Written & oral communication	Logbook

# **Interpersonal and Communication Skills**

ILOs	Methods of teaching/learning	Methods of Evaluation
<ul><li>B. Write a report</li><li>Patients' medical reports</li></ul>	-Senior staff experience	-Log book -Chick list

# **Professionalism**

ILOs	Methods of teaching/learning	Methods of Evaluation
C. Demonstrate respect, compassion, and integrity; a responsiveness to the needs of patients and society	-Observation & supervision -Didactic	-Patient survey
D. Demonstrate sensitivity and responsiveness to		-Patient
patients' culture, age, gender, and disabilities		survey

# **Systems-Based Practice**

ILOs	Methods of teaching/	Methods of Evaluation
	learning	
E. Work effectively in relevant health care delivery	-Observation	-360o global
settings and systems.	&	rating
	supervision	
	-Didactic	
F. Partner with health care managers and health		-Check list
care providers to assess, coordinate, and improve		evaluation
health care and predict how these activities can		of live or
affect system performance		recorded
		performance

# 4. Course contents (topic s/modules/rotation Course) Matrix

**Time Schedule: First part** 

Topic	Covered ILOs			
	Knowledge	Intellectual	Practical skills	General Skills
	A	В	C	D
<ul> <li>Thyroid</li> </ul>				
-Hypothyroidism	A-H	A	-	-
-Hyperthyroidism	A-H	A-C	-	A-F
-Thyroiditis	A-H	A	-	-
- Thyroidmalignancies	A-H	A	-	-
<ul> <li>Parathyroid</li> </ul>	A-H	A-C	-	A-F
-Hyperparathyroidism&				
Hypoparathyroidism				
<ul> <li>Suprarenal</li> </ul>				
-Cushing	A-H	A	-	-
-Addison's	A-H	A	-	-
-Pheochromocytoma	A-H	A-C	-	A-F
<ul><li>Renal:</li></ul>				
-Chronic renalfailure	A-H	A-C	-	A-F
-Golmerulonephritis	A-H	A-C	-	-
-Pyelonephritis	A-H	A-C	-	A-F
-Kidney transplant	A-H	A-C	-	A-F
-Acue renal failure	A-H	A-C	-	A-F
Heart				
-CAD	A-H	A-C	-	A-F
-Angina	A-H	A-C	-	A-F
-Infarction	A-H	A-C	-	A-F
-Cardiomyopathy	А-Н	A	-	-

Respiratory system				
Bronchginec carcinoma	A-H	A	-	-
Pulmonary embolism				
• GIT				
-Liver cirrhosis	A-H	A	-	-
-Jaundice	A-H	A	ı	A-F
-Causes of hepato-	A-H	A	-	-
splenomegaly				
- GIT bleeding.	A-H	A	-	-

## 5. Methods of teaching/learning:

- 1. Didactic; Lectures
- 2. Clinical rounds
- 3. Seminars Clinical rotations
- 4. Post graduate teaching
- 5. Hand on workshops

# 6. Methods of teaching/learning: for students with poor achievements

1. Extra Didactic (lectures, seminars, tutorial) according to their needs

### 7. Assessment methods:

- i. Assessment tools:
  - 1. Written
  - 2. log book
- iii. Time schedule: After 12 months from applying to the MD

degree.

iv. Marks: 100

### 8. List of references

- i. Lectures notes
  - Course notes
  - Staff members print out of lectures and/or CD copies
- ii. Essential books

 Davidson's Principles and Practice of Medicine-20th Edition - 2006-07

#### iii. Recommended books

<u>Harrison's Principles of Internal Medicine</u>, 17th
 <u>Edition</u> by Anthony Fauci, Eugene Braunwald, Dennis
 Kasper, and Stephen Hauser (Hardcover-Mar 6 2008)

iv. Periodicals, Web sites, ... etc

#### > Periodicals

- Internal medicine journal
- Annals of Internal medicine journal
- Journal of General Internal Medicine

#### > Websites

• www.pubmed. Com

#### V. others

None

# 9. Signatures

Course Coordinator:	Head of the Department:
Prof. Dr./Mohammad A. Mekkawy	Prof. Dr./Samir Shehata
Date:	Date:

#### **Course 6 General Surgery**

Name of department: of Clinical Oncology and Nuclear Medicine Faculty of medicine Assiut University 2016-2017

#### 1. Course data

- Course Title: General Surgery
- Course code: CLO211
- Speciality is Nuclear Medicine
- **♣ Number of credit points:** 2 credit point for didactic (100%)
- Department (s) delivering the course : General Surgery
- **Unit coordinator:** Prof. Dr./ Mohamed A. Mekkawy

**Assistant coordinator (s) Staff** member of General Surgery as approved by the Department council

Date last reviewed: September 2017

- Requirements (prerequisites) if any :
  - None
- Requirements from the students to achieve course ILOs are clarified in the joining log book.

# 2. Unit Aims

The student should acquire the basic surgical Knowledge necessary for clinical reasoning, diagnosis and management of diseases related to Nuclear Medicine.

# 3. Courseintendedlearningoutcomes (ILOs):

## A-Knowledge and understanding

A-Milowieuge and under		
ILOs	Methods of	Methods of
	teaching/	Evaluation
	learning	
<ul> <li>A. Demonstrate principles of the following clinical conditions:</li> <li>Thyrotoxicosis</li> <li>Multinodular Goiter</li> <li>Solitary thyroid nodule</li> <li>Benign and malignant thyroid tumors</li> <li>Parathyroid glands tumors</li> <li>Suprarenal tumors</li> <li>Lymphadenopathy</li> <li>Lymphomas</li> <li>Breast cancer</li> <li>Jaundice</li> <li>Cholecystitis and gall stones</li> <li>Testicular torsion</li> </ul>	-Didactic (lectures, seminars, tutorial)	Log book -Written exam
<ul> <li>Causes of swollen leg &amp; diagnosis of lymphoedema</li> <li>Clinical picture and diagnosis of osteomylitis Bone metastasis</li> </ul>		
B. Memorize the facts and principles of the relevant basic and clinically supportive sciences related to conditions mentioned in A.A.		

#### **B-Intellectual outcomes**

ILOs	Methods of	
	teaching/ learning	Evaluation
A. Apply the basic and clinically supportive sciences which are appropriate to Nuclear Medicine related	-Clinical	- Logbook
problems.	-Seniorstaff experience	

# C- Practical skills (Patient Care)

Practical Hours: 0 Hours

# D-General Skills Practice-Based Learning and Improvement

ILOs	Methods of teaching/ learning	Methods of Evaluation
A. Use information technology to manage information, access on-line medical information; and support their own education	-Observation and supervision -Written and oral communication	Log book

## **Interpersonal and Communication Skills**

ILOs	Methods of teaching/learning	Methods of Evaluation
B. Write a report in common condition mentioned in A.A	-Clinical round -Seminars -Lectures	-Global rating -Log book -Chick list

# **Professionalism**

ILOs	Methods of teaching/ Learning	Methods of Evaluation
C. Demonstrate respect, compassion, and integrity; a responsiveness to the needs of patients and society that supersedes self-interest.	- Observation and supervision Written & oral communication	- Patient survey

# **Systems-Based Practice**

ILOs	Methods of teaching/learning	Methods of Evaluation
D. Workeffectivelyindifferenthealthcare delivery settings and systems.	-Observation -Senior staff experience	-360o global rating
E. Partner with health care managers and health care providers to assess, coordinate, and improve health care and predict how these activities can affect system performance		

# 4. Course contents (topic s/modules/rotation) Course Matrix

Time Schedule: First part

Time Schedule: First	part	~		
Topic	Covered ILOs			
	Knowledge	Intellectual	Practical	General
			skill	Skills
<ul> <li>Thyrotoxicosis</li> </ul>	A,B	Α	ı	A-E
<ul> <li>Multinodular Goiter</li> </ul>	A,B	Α	ı	A-E
<ul> <li>Solitary thyroid nodules</li> </ul>	A,B	Α	-	A-E
<ul> <li>Benign and malignant</li> </ul>	A,B	Α	-	A-E
tthyroid tumors				
<ul> <li>Parathyroid glands</li> </ul>	A,B	Α	-	A-E
tumors				
<ul> <li>Suprarenal tumors</li> </ul>	A,B	Α	ı	A-E
<ul> <li>Lymphadenopathy</li> </ul>	A,B	Α	ı	A-E
<ul> <li>Lymphomas</li> </ul>	A,B	Α	ı	A-E
Breast cancer	A,B	А	-	A-E
<ul> <li>Jaundice</li> </ul>	A,B	А	ı	A-E
Cholecystitisandgallstones	A,B	Α	-	A-E
Testicular tortion	A,B	А	-	A-E
Causes of swollen leg &	A,B	Α	-	A-E
diagnosis of lymphoedema				
Clinical picture and diagnosis	A,B	А	-	A-E
of osteomylitis				
Bone metastasis	A,B	А	-	A-E

# 5. Methods of teaching/learning:

- 1. Didactic; Lectures
- 2. Clinical rounds
- 3. Seminars Clinical rotations
- 4. (service teaching) Observation
- 5. Post graduate teaching
- 6. Hand on workshops

# 6. Methods of teaching/learning: for students with poor achievements

1. Extra Didactic (lectures, seminars, tutorial) according to their needs

#### 7. Assessment methods:

#### i. Assessment tools:

- 1. Written examination
- 2. log book

**ii. Time schedule: A**fter 12 months from applying to the M D degree.

iii. Marks: 100 mark

#### 8. List of references

#### i. Lectures notes

- Course notes
- Staff members print out of lectures and/or CD copies

#### ii. Essential books

(General surgery textbooks)

#### iii. Recommended books

- Management of Thyroid Cancer and Related Nodular Disease
- Bailey and love (short practice of surgery)
- Abd Elazeem Refaat

iv. Periodicals, Web sites, ... etc

Surgical Clinics of North America

v. others: None

#### 9. Signatures

Course Coordinator: Prof. Dr./Mohammad A. Mekkawy	Head of the Department:  Prof. Dr./ Samir Shehata
Date:	Date:

## **Second Part**

#### **Course 7 Clinical Nuclear Medicine**

- Name of department: Clinical Oncology and Nuclear Medicine
- Faculty of medicine
- Assiut University
- **2016-2017**

#### 1. Course data

- **Course Title:** Diagnostic and Therapeutic Nuclear Medicine
- **Course code:** CLO3227A
- Speciality is Nuclear Medicine
- 147 credit point didactic 24 credit point (16.3%) practical
   123 credit point (83.7%)
- Department of Clinical Oncology and Nuclear Medicine Faculty of Medicine- Assiut- EGYPT
- Coordinator (s)

Course coordinator: Prof. Dr./ Mohamed A. Mekkawy

Assistant coordinator (s)

Dr./ Lamiaa Mahmoud

- **Date last reviewed:** September 2017
- Requirements (prerequisites) if any: None
- Requirements from the students to achieve course ILOs are clarified in the joining log book.

### 2. Course Aims

- To gain proficiency in the use of radiopharmaceuticals, performance and interpretation of different diagnostic Nuclear Medicine procedures emphasizing indications, complications and likelihood of successful outcome.
- 2. To enable MD students to master high level of clinical skills, in addition to update medical knowledge as well as clinical experience and competence in the area of Radioisotopes therapy.

#### 3. Course intended learning outcomes (ILOs):

# Unit 1 (Module) Clinical Nuclear Medicine

## A-Knowledge and understanding

ILOs	Methods of teaching/	Methods of Evaluation
A. Explain update and evidence based indications, contraindications, procedures and interpretation of the following common radionuclide studies:  A. ENDOCRINE SYSTEM:  ➤ Thyroid scintigraphy  • Indications of thyroid uptake studies and thyroid scans:  -Thyroid nodule  -Goiter  -Ectopic thyroid tissue  -Thyrotoxicosis	teaching/ learning  -Didactic (lectures, seminars, tutorial) -Clinical rounds -Seminars -Clinical rotations -Service teaching	OSCE at the end of each year -log book & portfolio - One MCQ examination at the second half of the second year and another one in the
-Thyroiditis		third year

-Thyroid cancer	-Written
<ul> <li>Other thyroid function studies: T<sub>3</sub></li> </ul>	and oral
suppression, TSH stimulation, Perchlorate	examination
discharge test	
Parathyroidscintigraphy	
Adrenal scintigraphy	
Adreno-medullary scintigraphy	
B.SKELETALSCINTIGRAPHY:	
Clinical uses	
Primary bone tumors	
Metastatic disease	
Metabolicbone disease	
Skeletal trauma	
<ul> <li>Assessment of infection, Painful joint prosthesis Vascular manifestations</li> </ul>	
C.HEPATOBILIARY SYSTEM:	
Cholescintigraphy	
Acute and chronic chalcovetitic	

#### C

- Acute and chronic cholecystitis
- Biliary duct obstruction
- Post operative biliarytract
  - > Tc-99m red blood cell liver scintigraphy
  - > Tc-99m sulphur colloid liver spleen imaging
  - > Tc-99m MAA hepatic arterial perfusion

#### D-GENITOURINARY SYSTEM:

- > Dynamic renal imaging, measuring renal function: GFR and ERPF
- Obstructive uropathy
- Reno vascular hypertension

- Renaltransplantevaluation
- Renal cortical imaging
- Renalinfection
- Renal failure
- Radionuclide cystography
- Vesico-ureteric reflux
- Scrotal imaging

#### E- NUCLEAR MEDICINE IN TUMOR DIAGNOSIS:

- Ga-67 tumor imaging
- ➤ Thallium-201, Tc-99m MIBI and Tc-99m tetrofosmin tumor imaging
- Lymphoscintigraphy
- Lymphatic mapping and sentinel LN detection
- > Positron emission tomography clinical uses
- Lung carcinoma
- Head and neck carcinoma
- Lymphoma
- Melanoma
- Others (colorectal, breast, ......)

#### F-GASTRO-INTESTINAL SYSTEM:

- Gastrointestinal motility disorders
- GIT bleeding

#### G-INFECTION AND INFLAMMATION:

### Clinical applications:

- Osteomyelitis
- Infected joint prosthesis
- Intra-abdominal infection
- Fever of unknown origin

#### H-CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM:

- Cerebral perfusion imaging
- Dementias
- Cerebro-vascular diseases
- Brain tumors
- Cisternography

#### I-CARDIAC SYSTEM:

Myocardial perfusion imaging		
<ul> <li>cardiac stresstesting</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>Diagnosis and evaluation of coronary artery disease</li> </ul>		
Viability studies     Dragnagia and right stratifications		
Prognosis and risk stratifications     Padianualida, vantriaulagraphy		
<ul> <li>Radionuclide ventriculography</li> </ul>		
Infarct avid imaging J-PULMONARY SYSTEM:		
<ul> <li>Ventilation perfusion scintigraphy in Pulmonary embolism</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>Interpretation and PIOPED criteria</li> </ul>		
B. Mention the principles of :	Didactic	OSCE at the
Radionuclide production	(lectures,	end of each
Radio pharmacy	seminars,	year
	tutorial)	-logbook&
<ul> <li>Radio pharmaceuticals: pharmacokinetics, methods of tracer localization and excretion,</li> </ul>	-Clinical rounds	•
· ·	-Seminars	- One MCQ
<ul><li>target organs,</li><li>Pathophysiology of diseases related to Nuclear</li></ul>	-Clinical	examination
Medicine Imaging studies	rotations	at the
<ul> <li>Image methodology, interpretation, and</li> </ul>	-Service	secondhalf
possible artifacts	teaching	of the
<ul> <li>Basic physics, detection and counting of</li> </ul>	J	secondyear
radiation in nuclear medicine		and another
Single photon emission computed tomography		one in the
<ul> <li>Positron emission tomography</li> </ul>		third year
<ul> <li>Molecular imaging fundamentals</li> </ul>		-Written
<ul> <li>Radiation protection and dosimetry in clinical</li> </ul>		and oral
practice		examination
<ul> <li>Nuclear medicine computers</li> </ul>		
C. Mention bases of the following rare	Didactic	OSCE at the
radionuclide studies:	(lectures,	end of each
	seminars,	year
ENDOCRINE SYSTEM:	tutorial)	-log book&
<ul> <li>Adrenal cortical scintigraphy</li> </ul>		3.55.00

SKELETAL SCINTIGRAPHY:  Bone scintigraphy in sport medicine NUCLEAR MEDICINE IN TUMOR DIAGNOSIS:  Peptide receptor scintigraphy  Radio-labeled antibodies GASTRO-INTESTINAL SYSTEM:  Intestinal transit time  Heterotopic gastric mucosa CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM:  Blood brain barrier studies  Brain death  Brainimaging in epilepsy psychiatric disorders CARDIAC SCINTIGRAPHY  SPECT for congenital heart disease  PET in cardiology I-123 MIBG imaging of the heart PULMONARY SYSTEM:  Role of scintigraphy in non-embolic lung disease  Radionuclide techniques in assessment of human thrombosis and atheroma APOPTOSIS IMAGING HYPOXIA IMAGING	-Clinical rounds -Seminars -Clinical rotations -Service teaching	portfolio - One MCQ examination at the secondhalf of the secondyear and another one in the third year -Written and oral examination
<ul> <li>D. Explain the facts and principles of the relevant basic supportive sciences related to Clinical Nuclear Medicine.</li> <li>E. explain the facts and principles of the relevant clinically supportive sciences related to Clinical</li> </ul>		
Nuclear Medicine.  F. Describe the basic ethical and medico-legal principles revenant to the Clinical Nuclear Medicine.		
G. describe the basics and measurements of quality assurance to ensure good clinical care in		

the field of Clinical Nuclear Medicine.	
H. Explain the ethical and scientific principles of	
medical research	
I. Explains the impact of common health problems	
in the field of Clinical Nuclear Medicine on the	
society.	

# **B-Intellectual outcomes**

ILOs	Methods of teaching/ learning	Methods of Evaluation
A. Design & present case in common problem related to Clinical Nuclear Medicine.	Clinical rounds -Senior staff experience	-Procedure and case presentation -Log book & Portfolio
B. Apply the basic and clinically supportive sciences which are appropriate to the Clinical Nuclear Medicine related conditions, problem and topics.		
C. Demonstrate an investigatory and analytic thinking "problem – solving "approaches to clinical situation related to Clinical Nuclear Medicine.  D. Plan research projects.		
E. Write scientific papers.		
F. Lead risk management activities as a part of clinical governs.		
G. Plan quality improvement activities in the field of medical education and clinical practice in Clinical Nuclear Medicine.		

H. Create and innovate plans, systems, and other issues for improvement of performance in his practice.	
I. Present and defend his / her data in front of a	
panel of experts	

# **C-Practical skills (Patient Care)**

ILOs	Methods of teaching/ learning	Methods of Evaluation
A. Take history, examine and clinically diagnose different conditions related to Clinical Nuclear Medicine.	-Didactic (lectures, seminars, tutorial) -Clinical rounds Clinical rotations (service teaching)	OSCE at the end of each year -log book & portfolio - One MCQ examination at the second half of the secondyear and another one in the third year -Clinical exam
<ul> <li>B. orderthefollowing noninvasive and invasive diagnostic procedures</li> <li>Blood picture.</li> <li>Kidneyfunction test.</li> <li>Thyroid function test.</li> <li>Other Lab tests according to the case</li> <li>Tumor markers of thyroid cancer.</li> </ul>	-Clinical round with senior staff Observation -Post graduate teaching	-Procedure presentation - Log book - Chick list

<ul> <li>Chest X ray.</li> <li>Neck sonography</li> <li>CT &amp; MRI scans according to the case</li> <li>Fine needle aspiration&amp; True cut needle biopsy</li> </ul>	-Hand on workshops -Perform under supervision of senior staff	
<ul> <li>C. Interpret the following invasive and non-invasive diagnostic procedures</li> <li>Nuclear medicine diagnostic procedures mentioned in A.A.</li> <li>other diagnostic procedures according to the case:</li> <li>Routine appropriate Lab investigations</li> <li>X ray Chest, skeletal radiographs</li> <li>Pulmonary function testing</li> <li>CT &amp; MRI scans</li> <li>ECG</li> </ul>		
D. Perform different diagnostic nuclear medicine procedures mentioned in A.A	Clinical round with senior staff Observation -Post graduate teaching -Hand on workshops -Perform under supervision of senior staff	Procedure presentation - Log book - Chick list

E. Develop and carry out patient management plans for the conditions mentioned in A.A.		
F. Counsel and educate patients and their family about his/her diagnostic procedure and required precautions	Clinical round with senior staff	
G. Use information technology to support patient care decisions and patient education for Clinical Nuclear Medicine related conditions.	Clinical round with senior staff	
H. Work with health care professionals, including those from other disciplines, to provide patient-focused care.	Clinical round with senior staff	
I. Write competently all forms of patient charts and sheets including reports evaluating these charts and sheets. (Write and evaluate a consultation note, Inform patients of a diagnosis plan, completing and evaluating comprehensive, timely and legible medical records)		

## <u>D-General Skills</u> Practice-Based Learning and Improvement

Practice-based Learning and improvement			
ILOs	Methods of teaching/	Methods of Evaluation	
	learning		
A. Perform practice-based improvement activities using a systematic methodology in the common problems mentioned in A.A. (Plan and conduct audit cycles)	Simulations -Clinical round -Seminars -Lectures -Case presentation -Handon workshops	Global rating -Procedure & case presentation -Log book & Portfolios - Chicklist	
B. Locate, appraises, and assimilates evidence from scientific studies related to patients' health problems.	Simulations -Clinical round -Seminars -Lectures -Case presentation -Hand on workshops	Global rating -Procedure & case presentation -Log book & Portfolios - Chicklist	
C. Apply knowledge of study designs and statistical methods to the appraisal of clinical studies and other information on diagnostic and the rapeutic effectiveness			
D. Use information technology to manage information, access on-line medical information; and support their own education			
E. Lead the learning of students and other health care professionals.			

#### **Interpersonal and Communication Skills**

ILOs	Methods of teaching/learning	Methods of Evaluation
F. Create and sustain a therapeutic and ethically sound relationship with patients	Simulations -Clinical round -Seminars -Lectures -Case presentation -Handon workshops	Global rating -Procedure & case presentation -Log book & Portfolios - Chicklist
G. Perform the following oral		
communications:		
Interpretation of the results of		
different radionuclide scans,		
discussion with the referring doctor		
and correlation with other		
diagnostic imaging modalities		
H. Fill the following reports:		
-patient medical reports		
-Pre-test sheet		
-Report for diagnostic nuclear medicine studies mentioned in A.A.		
I. Work effectively with others as a member or leader of a health care team.		

#### **Professionalism**

ILOs	Methods of teaching/ Learning	Methods of Evaluation
J. Demonstrate respect, compassion, and integrity; a responsiveness to the needs of patients and society that supersedes self-interest.	Observation - Senior staff experience -Casetaking	structured clinical examination
K. Demonstrate a commitment to ethical principles pertaining to provision or withholding of clinical care, confidentiality of patient information, informed consent, and business practices.		1. 360o global rating
L. Demonstrate sensitivity and responsiveness to patients' culture, age, gender, and disabilities		

#### **Systems-Based Practice**

ILOs	Methods of teaching/ learning	Methods of Evaluation
M.Work effectively in different health care delivery settings and systems.	Observation - Senior staff experience	1. 360o global rating
N. Practice cost-effective health care and resource allocation that does not compromise quality of care		1. Check list evaluation of live or recorded performance
O. Advocate for quality patient care and assist patients in dealing with system complexities		<ol> <li>360o global rating</li> <li>Patient survey</li> </ol>
P. Partner with health care managers and health care providers to assess, coordinate, and improve health care and predict how these activities can affect system performance		

#### **Unit 2 (Module) Radio-isotopes therapy**

# A-Knowledge and understanding

ILOs	Methods of teaching/learning	Methods of Evaluation
1. Explain update and evidence based etiology, clinical picture, diagnosis and management of the following common diseases and clinical conditions:  • Thyroid diseases: -Hyperthyroidism -Secondry toxic goiter -Autonomous toxic adenoma -Differentiated thyroid carcinoma  • Neuro-endocrine tumorsparticularly:  ○ Neuroblastoma  ○ pheochromocytoma  ○ Carcinoid  ○ Medullary cancer thyroid  • Palliation of metastatic bone pain  • Radionuclide therapy of lymphoma  • Radionuclide therapy of primary and metastatic hepatic tumors  • Somatostatin receptor-targeted radiotherapy  • Intracoronary brachytherapy  • Radiation synovectomy  • Myeloproliferative diseases and their radionuclide treatment (polycythemia vera and essential thrombocythemia)	-Didactic (lectures, seminars, tutorial) -Outpatient -Inpatient -Case presentation -Direct observation	- logbook -Objective structure clinical examination (OSCE) One MCQ examination at the secondhalf of the secondyear -Written and oral exam
<ul><li>B. Mention the principles of:</li><li>Cancer cell biology: the basics for nuclear</li></ul>	-Didactic (lectures,	<ul><li>logbook</li><li>Objective</li></ul>

<ul> <li>oncology imaging and therapy</li> <li>Principles of radionuclide therapy</li> <li>Dosimetric and radiobiological considerations</li> <li>Special considerations for pediatric patients</li> <li>Alternative approaches to targeting therapy</li> <li>Use of intra-operative probes in surgical oncology</li> </ul>	seminars, tutorial) -outpatient -inpatient -case presentation -Direct observation	structure clinical examination (OSCE) One MCQ examination at the secondhalf of the secondyear -Written and oral exam
C. Mention basics of the following rare diseases and conditions  • Undifferentiated thyroid carcinoma  • MEN syndromes	-Didactic (lectures, seminars, tutorial) -Clinical rounds -Seminars -Clinical rotations -Service teaching	-OSCE at the end of each year -logbook & portfolio - One MCQ examination at the secondhalf of the secondyear and another one in the third year -Written andoral examination
D. Explain the facts and principles of the relevant basic supportive sciences related to Radio-isotopes therapy.		
E. Explain the facts and principles of the relevant clinically supportive sciences related to Radio-		

isotopes therapy.	
F. Describe the basic ethical and medicolegal	
principles revenant to the Radio-isotopes therapy.	
G. Describe the basics and measurements of quality	
assurance to ensure good clinical care in Radio-	
isotopes therapy.	
H. Explain the ethical and scientific principles of	
medical research.	
G. Explain the impact of common health problems in	
the field of Radio-isotopes therapy.on the society.	

#### **B-Intellectual outcomes**

ILOs	Methods of teaching/ learning	Methods of Evaluation
A. Design and present case in common problem related to the rapeutic nuclear medicine, topics mentioned in A.A unit 2	-Clinical rounds -Senior staff experience	-Procedure and case presentation -Log book & Portfolio
B. Apply the basic and clinically supportive sciences which are appropriate to the Radio-isotopes therapy.		
C. Demonstrate an investigatory and analytic thinking "problem – solving "approaches to clinical situation related to Radio-isotopes therapy.		
D. Plan research projects.		
E. Write scientific papers.		

F. Lead risk management activities as a part of	
clinical governs.	
G. Plan quality improvement activities in the	
field of medical education and clinical	
practice in Radio-isotopes therapy.	
H. Create and innovate plans, systems, and	
other issues for improvement of	
performance in Radio-isotopes therapy.	
I. Present and defend his / her data in front of	
a panel of experts	
J. Formulate management plans and	
alternative decisions in different situations	
in the field of Radio-isotopes therapy.	

## **C-Practical skills (Patient Care)**

ILOs	Methods of teaching/ learning	Methods of Evaluation
A. Take history, examine and clinically diagnose different conditions related to Radio-isotopes therapy.	Lecture - Seminar - Outpatient -Inpatient -Case presentation -Direct observation	-OSCE at the end of each year -logbook & portfolio - One MCQ examination at the second half of the second year and another one in the third year -Clinical exam
B. Orderthefollowing noninvasive and invasive diagnostic procedures	-Clinical round with senior staff	-Procedure presentation

<ul> <li>Complete bloodpicture.</li> <li>Kidney function test.</li> <li>Other Lab tests according to the case</li> <li>Tumor markers:         <ul> <li>Serum thyroglobulin, antithyroglobulin antibodies</li> <li>Serum calcitonin</li> <li>Norepinephrine metabolites</li> </ul> </li> <li>Chest X ray.</li> <li>Neck sonography</li> <li>CT &amp; MRI scans according to the case</li> <li>Fine needle aspiration True cut needle biopsy</li> </ul>	-Observation -Post graduate teaching -Hand on workshops -Perform under supervision of senior staff	- Log book - Chick list
<ul> <li>C. Interpret the following non invasive and invasive diagnostic procedures:</li> <li>Appropriate Lab investigations according to the case</li> <li>Chest X ray.</li> <li>Neck sonography</li> <li>CT &amp; MRI scans according to the case</li> <li>Different diagnostic radionuclide procedures according to the case</li> <li>Bone scintigraphy</li> <li>Thyroid scintigraphy</li> <li>I-131 WBS</li> <li>MIBG Whole body scan</li> <li>Tumor imaging (Thallium, Gallium, Tc99m MIBI, DMSA-V,)</li> <li>PET and PET/CT studies</li> <li>Sentinel lymph node localization</li> </ul>	-Clinical round with senior staff -Observation -Post graduate teaching -Hand on workshops -Perform under supervision of senior staff	- Procedure presentation - Log book - Chick list
D. Perform the following non invasive and	-Clinical round with	- Procedure

<ul> <li>invasive diagnostic procedures</li> <li>Different diagnostic radionuclide procedures according to the case</li> </ul>	senior staff -Observation -Post graduate teaching -Hand on workshops -Perform under supervision of senior staff	presentation - Log book - Chick list
<ul> <li>E. Develop and Carry out patient management plans for the following problems</li> <li>Diseases mentioned in A.A in Unit 2</li> </ul>	-Clinical round with senior staff	
<ul> <li>F. Counsel and educate patients and their family about</li> <li>Procedure of receiving radionuclide therapy doses</li> <li>Possible side effects of radionuclides and methods of management</li> <li>Precautions in dealing with patients receiving radionuclide therapy</li> </ul>	-Clinical round with senior staff	
G. Use information technology to support patient care decisions and patient education for the Radio-isotopes therapy.	-Clinical round with senior staff	
<ul> <li>H. Provide health care services aimed at preventing the following conditions</li> <li>Prevention of undue radiation exposure through use of radiation protection rules</li> </ul>	-Clinical round with senior staff	
I. Work with health care professionals, including those from other disciplines, to provide patient-focused care for the	-Clinical round with senior staff	

<ul><li>following</li><li>Tracheostomytube care</li><li>Disinfection</li><li>Caring wounds</li></ul>	
J. Write competently all forms of patient charts and sheets including reports evaluating these charts and sheets.( Write and evaluate a consultation note, Inform patients of a therapeutic plan, completing and evaluating comprehensive, timely and legible medical records)	

#### **D-General Skills**

# **Practice-Based Learning and Improvement**

ILOs	Methods of teaching/ learning	Methods of Evaluation
<ul> <li>A. Perform practice-based improvement activities using a systematic methodology in the common problems (Plan and conduct audit cycles) in the following problems:</li> <li>Thyrotoxicosis</li> <li>Differentiated thyroid cancer</li> <li>Neuroblastoma, pheochromocytoma</li> <li>Palliation of bone pain</li> </ul>	-Simulations -Clinical round -Seminars -Lectures -Case presentation -Hand on workshops	- Global rating -Procedure & case presentation -Log book & Portfolios - Chick list
B. Locate, appraises, and assimilates evidence	-Simulations -Clinical	- Global rating -Procedure &
health problems mentioned in A.A. Unit 2	round -Seminars -Lectures	case presentation -Log book & Portfolios

	-Case presentation -Hand on workshops	- Chick list
C. Apply knowledge of study designs and statistical methods to the appraisal of clinical studies and other information on diagnostic and therapeutic effectiveness		
D. Use information technology to manage information, access on-line medical information; and support their own education		
E. Lead the learning of students and other health care professionals.		

## **Interpersonal and Communication Skills**

ILOs	Methods of teaching/ learning	Methods of Evaluation
F. Create and sustain a therapeutic and ethically sound relationship with patients	-Simulations -Clinical round -Seminars	rating -Procedure & case presentation -Log book &
<ul><li>G. Perform the following oral communications:</li><li>a. Deal with patient relatives</li><li>b. Ordering residents</li><li>c. Ordering nurses</li></ul>		

<ul> <li>H. Fill the following reports:</li> <li>Patients' medical reports</li> <li>Pre test sheet</li> <li>Final comment on the results of the therapeutic Nuclear Medicine procedures</li> <li>Write a consultation note</li> <li>Maintaining comprehensive and eligible medical records</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>I. Work effectively with others as a member or leader of a health care team</li> <li>A member of a health care team in nuclear medicine inpatient unit</li> <li>A leader of a health care team in night shift</li> </ul>	

#### Professionalism

ILOs	Methods of teaching/ Learning	Methods of Evaluation
J. Demonstrate respect, compassion, and integrity; a responsiveness to the needs of patients and society that supersedes self-interest.	<ul><li>Observation</li><li>Seniorstaff</li><li>experience</li><li>Casetaking</li></ul>	-Objective structured clinical examination - Patient survey
K. Demonstrate a commitment to ethical principles pertaining to provision or withholding of clinical care, confidentiality of patient information, informed consent, and business practices.		- 360o global rating
L. Demonstrate sensitivity and responsiveness to patients' culture, age, gender, and disabilities		

#### **Systems-Based Practice**

ILOs	Methods of teaching/learning	Methods of Evaluation
M.Workeffectivelyindifferenthealthcare delivery settings and systems.	<ul><li>Observation</li><li>Senior staff experience</li></ul>	- 360oglobal rating
N. Practice cost-effective health care and resource allocation that does not compromise quality of care		- Check list evaluation of live or recorded performance
O. Advocate for quality patient care and assist patients in dealing with system complexities		<ul><li>- 360o global</li><li>rating</li><li>- Patient</li><li>survey</li></ul>
P. Partner with health care managers and health care providers to assess, coordinate, and improve health care and predict how these activities can affect system performance		

# 4. Course contents (topic s/modules/rotation Course Matrix

Time Schedule: Second part

Topic	Covered ILOs			
	Knowledge	Intellectual	Practical skills	General Skills
	Α	В	С	D
Unit	1 Clinical Nu	ıclear Medici	ne	
	A.ENDOCRIN	E SYSTEM:		
Thyroid scintigrap	ohy			
<ul> <li>Indications of thyroid u</li> </ul>	ptake studies	s and thyroid	scans:	
-Thyrotoxicosis	A, B, D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
-Goiter	A,B, D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
-Thyroid nodules	A, B, D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
-Ectopic thyroid tissue	A, B, D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
-Thyroiditis	A, B, D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
-Thyroid cancer	A, B, D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
<ul> <li>Other thyroid function studies: T<sub>3</sub> suppression, TSH stimulation, Perchlorate discharge test</li> </ul>	A, B, D-I	A-I	A-I	B-P
Parathyroid scintigraphy	A,B, D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
Adrenal scintigraphy				
<ul><li>Adreno-medullary scintigraphy</li></ul>	A,B, D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
<ul> <li>Adreno-cortical scintigraphy</li> </ul>	C-I	B-I	B-I	B-P
B.SKELETAL SCINTIGRAPHY:				
<ul> <li>Primary bone tumors</li> </ul>	A,B, D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P

Patterns ofmetastatic disease	A,B, D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
Metabolic bone disease	A,B, D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
Skeletal trauma	A,B, D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
<ul> <li>Assessment of infection, Painful joint prosthesis</li> </ul>	A,B, D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
<ul> <li>Vascular manifestations</li> </ul>	A,B, D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
<ul> <li>Sport injuries</li> </ul>	C-I	B-I	B-I	B-P
	IEPATOBILIAF	RY SYSTEM:		
Cholescintigraphy	<u></u>			
- Acute and chronic cholecystitis	A, B, D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
- Biliary ductobstruction	A,B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
- Postoperative biliary tract	A,B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
➤ Tc-99m red blood cell liver scintigraphy	A,B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
➤ Tc-99m sulphur colloid liver spleen imaging	A,B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
Tc-99m MAA hepatic arterial perfusion	A,B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
		RY SYSTEM:		
Dynamic renal imaging				
Obstructive uropathy	A,B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
<ul> <li>Reno vascular hypertension</li> </ul>	A,B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
Renal transplant evaluation	A,B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
Renal cortical imaging				
<ul> <li>Renal infection</li> </ul>	A,B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P

Renal failure	A,B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
Radionuclide	A,B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
cystography: Vesico-				
ureteric reflux				
Scrotal imaging	A,B,D-I	A-I	A-I	B-P
E- NUCLEAR	MEDICINE IN	I TUMOR DIA	GNOSIS:	
➤ Thallium-201, Tc-99m	A,B,D-I	A-I	A-I	B-P
MIBI and Tc-99m				
tetrofosmin tumor				
imaging				
➢ Ga-67 tumor imaging	A,B,D-I	A-I	A-I	B-P
Peptide receptor	B-I	B-I	B-I	B-P
imaging				
Monoclonal antibody	B-I	B-I	B-I	B-P
imaging				
Lymphoscintigraphy	A,B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
<ul> <li>Lymphatic mapping</li> </ul>	A,B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
and sentinel LN				
detection				
Positron emission tomo		aluses		
-Lung carcinoma	A, B,D-I	A-I	A-I	B-P
-Head and neck carcinoma	A, B,D-I	A-I	A-I	B-P
- Lymphoma	A, B,D-I	A-I	A-I	B-P
- Melanoma	A, B,D-I	A-I	A-I	B-P
- Others (colorectal, breast,	A, B,D-I	A-I	A-I	B-P
)				
F-GAS	STRO-INTEST	INAL SYSTEM	<b>1</b> :	
<ul> <li>Gastrointestinal</li> </ul>	A, B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
motility disorders				
GIT bleeding	A, B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
Intestinal transittime	B-I	B-I	B-I	B-P
Heterotopic gastric	B-I	B-I	B-I	B-P
mucosa				
G-INFECTION AND INFLAMMATION:				

<ul> <li>Osteomyelitis</li> </ul>	A, B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
<ul> <li>Infected joint</li> </ul>	A, B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
prosthesis				
<ul><li>Intra-abdominal</li></ul>	A, B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
infection				
<ul><li>Fever of unknown</li></ul>	A, B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
origin				
	NTRAL NERV		<u>1:</u>	
Clinical applications of	ı			T
<ul> <li>Dementias</li> </ul>	A,B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
Cerebro-vascular	A,B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
diseases				
Brain tumors	A,B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
Brain death	A,B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
Cisternography	A,B,D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
Blood brain barrier	B-I	B-I	B-I	B-P
studies	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	
➤ Brain imaging in	B-I	B-I	B-I	B-P
epilepsy psychiatric disorders				
disorders	I-CARDIAC S	VOTEM:		
Myocardial perfusion im		OTSTEIVI.		
cardiac stress testing		A-I	A-I	A-P
	A,B-D-I A,B-D-I	A-I A-I	A-I A-I	A-P A-P
<ul> <li>Diagnosis and evaluation of</li> </ul>	H,D-D-I	A-1	A-I	A-P
coronary artery				
disease				
<ul> <li>Viability studies</li> </ul>	A,B-D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
Prognosis and risk	A,B-D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
stratifications	,	, · · ·	, , ,	
SPECT for congenital	B-I	B-I	B-I	B-P
heart disease	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>		
➤ Radionuclide	A,B-D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
	·	L	L	ı

ventriculography				
Infarct avidimaging	A,B-D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
➤ PET in Cardiology	B-I	B-I	B-I	B-P
➤ I-123 MIBG imaging of	B-I	B-I	B-I	B-P
the heart				
J-	PULMONARY	SYSTEM:		
Pulmonary embolism	A,B-D-I	A-I	A-I	A-P
Ventilation/perfusion				
scintigraphy		5.1	5.1	D. D.
Non-emboliclung	B-I	B-I	B-I	B-P
disease		D 1	D 1	D D
assessment of human	B-I	B-I	B-I	B-P
thrombosis and				
atheroma APOPTOSIS IMAGING	B-I	B-I	B-I	B-P
HYPOXIA IMAGING	B-I	B-I	B-I	B-P
De Para Pilana de Car	BASIC SIE	T.	I	
Radionuclide production	B,D-I	D,E	-	-
Radio pharmacy	B,D-I	D,E	-	-
Radio pharmaceuticals :	B,D-I	D,E	-	-
pharmacokinetics,				
methods of tracer				
localization and excretion,				
<ul><li>target organs,</li><li>Pathophysiology of</li></ul>	B,D-I	D,E	_	_
diseases related to	0,0-1	D,L	_	_
Nuclear Medicine Imaging				
studies				
<ul> <li>Image methodology,</li> </ul>	B,D-I	D,E	-	-
interpretation, and	,	<b>'</b>		
possible artifacts				
Basic physics, detection	B,D-I	D,E	-	-
and counting of radiation				
in nuclearmedicine				

Single photon emission computed tomography	B,D-I	D,E	-	-
<ul> <li>Positron emission tomography</li> </ul>	B,D-I	D,E	-	-
<ul> <li>Molecular imaging fundamentals</li> </ul>	B,D-I	D,E	-	-
<ul> <li>Radiation protection and dosimetry in clinical practice</li> </ul>	B,D-I	D,E	-	-
Nuclear medicine computers	B,D-I	D,E	-	-
UNIT (Mod	dule)2: Radio	o-isotopes th	erapy.	
Thyroid diseases:				
<ul> <li>Hyperthyroidism</li> </ul>	A,D-F	A-J	A-J	A-P
<ul> <li>Secondary toxic goiter</li> </ul>	A, D-F	A-J	A-J	A-P
<ul> <li>Autonomous toxic adenoma</li> </ul>	A, D-F	A-J	A-J	A-P
Differentiatedthyroid carcinoma	A, D-F	A-J	A-J	A-P
<ul> <li>Neuro-endocrine tumo</li> </ul>	rs:			
<ul> <li>Neuroblastoma</li> </ul>	A,D-F	A-J	A-J	A-P
<ul><li>pheochromocytoma</li></ul>	A, D-F	A-J	A-J	A-P
<ul><li>Carcinoid</li></ul>	A, D-F	A-J	A-J	B-P
<ul><li>Medullary cancer thyroid</li></ul>	A, D-F	A-J	A-J	B-P
<ul> <li>Palliation of metastatic bone pain</li> </ul>	A, D-F	A-J	A-J	A-P
<ul> <li>Radionuclide therapy of lymphoma</li> </ul>	A, D-F	A-J	A-J	B-P
<ul> <li>Radionuclide therapy of primary and metastatic hepatic tumors</li> </ul>	A, D-F	A-J	-	-
<ul> <li>Somatostatin receptor- targeted radiotherapy</li> </ul>	A, D-F	A-J	-	-

<ul><li>Intracoronary brachytherapy</li></ul>	A, D-F	A-J	-	-
Radiation synovectomy	A, D-F	A-J	-	-
Myeloproliferative     diseases and their     radionuclide     treatment     (polycythemia vera     and essential     thrombocythemia)	A, D-F	A-J	-	-
<ul> <li>Cancer cell biology: the basics for nuclear oncology imaging and therapy</li> </ul>		A-J	-	-
<ul> <li>Principles of radionuclide therapy</li> </ul>	B, D-F	A-J	-	-
<ul> <li>Dosimetric and radiobiological considerations</li> </ul>	B, D-F	A-J	-	-
<ul> <li>Special considerations for pediatric patients</li> </ul>	B, D-F	A-J	-	-
<ul> <li>Alternative approaches to targeting therapy</li> </ul>	B, D-F	A-J	-	-
<ul> <li>Use of intra-operative probes in surgical oncology</li> </ul>	B, D-F	A-J	-	-
Undifferentiated thyroid carcinoma	С	E	-	-
<ul> <li>MEN syndromes</li> </ul>	С	E	-	-

#### 5. Methods of teaching/learning:

- 1. Didactic; Lectures
- 2. Clinical rounds
- 3. Seminars Clinical rotations
- 4. (service teaching) Observation
- 5. Post graduate teaching
- 6. Hand on workshops
- 7. Perform under supervision of senior staff
- 8. Simulations
- 9. Case presentation
- 10. Case Taking

# 6. Methods of teaching/learning: for students with poor achievements

- Extra Didactic (lectures, seminars, tutorial) according to their needs
- 2. Extra training according to their needs

#### 7. Assessment methods:

#### i. Assessment tools:

- Clinical examination
- Written and oral examination
- Chick list
- log book & portfolio
- > Procedure/case presentation
- One MCQ examination inf the second year and one in the third year
- Objective structured clinical examination
- > Check list evaluation of live or recorded performance
- Patient survey
- 360o global rating

ii. Time schedule: at the end of the second part

iii. Marks: 1200 Degrees

#### 8. List of references

#### i. Lectures notes

- Course notes
- Staff members print out of lectures and/or CD copies

#### ii. Essential books

- Nuclear Medicine: The Requisites. James H. Thrall, Harvey
   A. Ziessman 2006, third edition
- Nuclear Medicine in clinical diagnosis and treatment. Peter
   J. ELL, Sanjiv Sam Gambhir-2004 Third edition.
- Clinical Nuclear Medicine: Gary J. R. Cook, Michael N. Maisey, Keith E. Britton. fourth edittien 2006
- OrthopedicNM: Abdelhamid H. Elgazzar Springer-Verlag Berlin Heidelberg, 2004 printed in Germany

#### iii. Recommended books

- Nuclear Medicine therapy: Janet F. Eary, Winfried Brenner, 2007
- Targeted Radionuclide Tumor Therapy: Bilogical aspects:
   Torgny Stigbrand, Jorgen Carlsson, Gregory P. Adams 2008 .
- Essentials of thyroid cancer managment: Robert J. Amdur,
   Ernest L. Mazzaferri, 2005 Springer Science
- Thyroid Cancer A Comprehensive Guide to Clinical Management: L. Wartofsky, Douglas Van Nostrand Second Edittion,2006
- Radiation Safety in Nuclear Medicine: Max H. Lombardi –
   Second Edittion, 2007
- Basics of PET Imaging: Physics, Chemistry, and Regulations: Gopal B. Saha, Springer Science+Business Media, 2010
- Clinical PET and PET/CT: H. Jadvar, J. Anthony Parker,
   Springer Verlag London, 2005

 Pediatric PET Imaging: Martin Charron (MD.), Martin Charron - 2006

#### iv. Periodicals, Web sites, ... etc

- The Journal of Nuclear medicine
- Journal of clinical Nuclear Medicine
- European Journal of Nuclear Medicine and Molecular Imaging
- o www.snm.org
- o www.pubmed.com
- o www.eanm.org

#### v. others

 Atlas of PET-CT, A Quick Guide to Image Interpretation: By Stefano Fanti, Mohsen Farsad, Luigi Mansi, Springer Verleg-Berlin Heidlberg, 2009

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# ANNEX 2 Program Academic Reference Standards (ARS)

1- Graduate attributes for medical doctorate in Nuclear Medicine

# The Graduate (after residence training and medical doctorate years of study) must:

- 1- Demonstrate competency and mastery of basics, methods and tools of scientific research and clinical audit in Nuclear Medicine.
- **2-** Have continuous ability to add knowledge to Nuclear Medicine through research and publication.
- **3-** Appraise and utilise relevant scientific knowledge to continuously update and improve clinical practice.
- **4-** Acquire excellent level of medical knowledge in the basic biomedical, behavioural and clinical sciences, medical ethics and medical jurisprudence and apply such knowledge in patient care and scientific research.
- **5-** Function as a leader of a team to provide patient care that is appropriate, effective and compassionate for dealing with health problems and health promotion.
- **6-** Identify and create solutions for health problems in Nuclear Medicine.
- **7-** Acquire an in depth understanding of common areas of Nuclear Medicine, from basic clinical care to evidence

- based clinical application, and possession of required skills to manage independently all problems in these areas.
- 8- Demonstrate leadership competencies including interpersonal and communication skills that ensure effective information exchange with individual patients and their families and teamwork with other health professions, the scientific community and the public.
- **9-** Function as teacher in relation to colleagues, medical students and other health professions.
- **10-**Master decision making capabilities in different situations related to Nuclear Medicine.
- 11- Show leadership responsiveness to the larger context of the health care system, including e.g. the organisation of health care, partnership with health care providers and managers, practice of cost-effective health care, health economics, and resource allocations.
- 12- Demonstrate in depth awareness of public health and health policy issues including independent ability to improve health care, and identify and carryout systembased improvement of care.
- **13-** Show model attitudes and professionalism.
- **14-** Demonstrate commitment for lifelong learning and maintenance of competence and ability for continuous medical education and learning in subsequent stages and in Nuclear Medicine or one of its subspecialties.
- **15-** Use recent technologies to improve his practice in Nuclear Medicine.
- **16-** Share in updating and improving clinical practice in Nuclear Medicine.

# 2- Competency based Standards for medical doctorate in Nuclear Medicine.

#### 22.1- Knowledge and understanding

By the end of the program, the graduate should demonstrate satisfactory knowledge and understanding of

- **2-1-A-** Established, updated and evidence- based theories, basics and developments of Nuclear Medicine and relevant sciences.
- **2-1-B-** Basics, methods and ethics of medical research.
- **2-1-C-** Ethical and medicolegal principles of medical practice related to Nuclear Medicine.
- **2-1-D-** Principles and measurements of quality in Nuclear Medicine.
- **2-1-E-** Principles and efforts for maintainace and improvements of public health.

#### **2- Intellectual skills**

By the end of the program, the graduate should be able to demonstrate the following

- **2-2-A-** Application of basic and other relevant science to solve Nuclear Medicine related Problems.
- 2-2-B- Problem solving based on available data.
- **2-2-C-** Involvement in research studies related to Nuclear Medicine.
- 2-2-D- Writing scientific papers.
- **2-2-E-** Risk evaluation in the related clinical practice.
- **2-2-F-** Planning for performance improvement in Nuclear Medicine.
- 2-2-G- Creation and innovation in Nuclear Medicine.
- 2-2-H-Evidence—based discussion.
- **2-2-I-** Decision making in different situations related to Nuclear Medicine.

#### 2.3- Clinical skills

By the end of the program, the graduate should be able to **4** Competency-based outcomes for Patient Care:-

- **2-3-A-** MD students must be able to provide extensive level of patient care that is compassionate, appropriate, and effective for the treatment of health problems and the promotion of health extensive level means in depth understanding and from basic science to evidence based clinical application and possession of skills to manage independently all problems in Nuclear Medicine.
- **2-3-B-** Master patient care skills relevant to Nuclear Medicine.for patients with all diagnoses and procedures.
- **2-3-C-** Write and evaluate reports for situations related to the Nuclear Medicine.

#### 2.4- General skills

By the end of the program, the graduate should be able to

Competency-based outcomes for Practice-based Learning
and Improvement

- 2-4-A-Master practice-based learning and improvement skills that involves investigation and evaluation of their own patient care, appraisal and assimilation of scientific evidence, improvements in patient care and risk management
- **2-4-B-** Use competently all information sources and technology to improve his practice.
- 2-4-C- Master skills of teaching and evaluating others.
  - Competency-based objectives for Interpersonal and Communication Skills
- **2-4-D-**Master interpersonal and communication skills that result in effective information exchange and teaming with patients, their families, and other health professionals.

#### Competency-based objectives for Professionalism

- **2-4-E-**Master Professionalism behavior, as manifested through a commitment to carrying out professional responsibilities, adherence to ethical principles, and sensitivity to a diverse patient population.
- **4** Competency-based objectives for Systems-based Practice:
- **2-4-F-**Demonstrate an awareness of and responsiveness to the larger context and system of health care and the ability to effectively use system resources to provide care that is of optimal value.
- **2-4-G-** Participate in improvement of the education system.
- **2-4-H-** Demonstrate skills of leading scientific meetings including time management
- **2-4-O-** Demonstrate skills of self and continuous learning.

# Annex 3, Methods of teaching/learning

#### Annex 3, Methods of teaching/learning

	Patient care	Medical knowledge	Practice- based learning/ Improvement	and communication	Professionalism	Systems- based practice
Didactic (lectures, seminars, tutorial)	X	X		X	X	Χ
journal club,	Х	Х	Х			
Educational prescription	Χ	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
Present acase (true or simulated) in a grand round		X	X	X	X	
Observation and supervision	Χ		X	X	X	Χ
conferences		Х	Х	X		Х
Written assignments	X	Х	Х	X	Х	X
Oral assignments	Х	Х	Х	X	Х	Х

#### Teaching methods for knowledge

- Didactic (lectures, seminars, tutorial)
- ❖ journal club
- Critically appraised topic
- ❖ Educational prescription (a structured technique for following up on clinical questions that arise during rounds and other venues).
- Present a case (true or simulated) in a grand round
- Others

#### Teaching methods for patient care

- Observation and supervision/Completed tasks procedure/case logs
- On-thejob" training without structured teaching is not sufficient for this skill (checklists).
- Simulation is increasingly used as an effective method for skill/ teamwork training.

#### Teaching methods for other skills

- Written communication (e.g., orders, progress note, transfer note, discharge summary, operative reports, and diagnostic reports).
- Oral communication (e.g., presentations, transfer of care, interactions with patients, families, colleagues, members of the health care team) and/or non verbal skills (e.g., listening, team skills)
- Professionalism, including medical ethics, may be included as a theme throughout the program curriculum that includes

both didactic and experiential components (e.g., may be integrated into already existing small group discussions of vignettes or case studies and role plays, computer-based modules) and may be modeled by the faculty in clinical practice and discussed with the resident as issues arise during their clinical practice.

# Annex 4, Assessment methods

#### Annex 4, ILOs evaluation methods for MD students.

Method	Practical skills	K	Intellectual	General skills			
	Patient care	K	I	Practice-based learning/ Improvement	Interpersonal and communication skills	Professionalism	Systems- based practice
Record review	Х	Х	Х		Х	Х	Х
Checklist	Х				Х		
Global rating	Χ	Χ	Х	X	X	X	Χ
Simulations	X	Х	X	Х	Х	Х	
Portfolios	X	X	X	X	X		
Standardized oral examination	X	X	X	X	X		X
Written examination	Х	Х	Х	Х			Х
Procedure/ case log	Х	Х					
OSCE	Х	>	<b>\</b>	Х	Х	λ	Х

#### Annex 4, Glossary of MD students assessment methods

- Record Review- Abstraction of information from patient records, such as medications or tests ordered and comparison of findings against accepted patient care standards.
- Chart Stimulated Recall Uses the MD doctor's patient records in an oral examination to assess clinical decisionmaking.
- Mini clinical evaluation: Evaluation of Live/Recorded Performance (single event) – A single resident interaction with a patient is evaluated using a checklist. The encounter may be videotaped for later evaluation.
- Standardized Patients (SP)- Simulated patients are trained to respond in a manner similar to real patients. The standardized patient can be trained to the MD doctor's performance on checklists and provide feedback for history taking, physical examination, and communication skills. Physicians may also rate the MD doctor's performance.
- ❖ Objective Structured Clinical Examination (OSCE) A series of stations with standardized tasks for the MD doctors to perform. Standardized patients and other assessment methods often are combined in an OSCE. An observer or the standardized patient may evaluate the MD doctors.
- Procedure or Case Logs MD doctors prepare summaries of clinical experiences including clinical data. Logs are useful to document educational experiences and deficiencies.
- PSQs- Patients fill out Patient Survey questionnaires (PSQs) evaluating the quality of care provided by MD doctors.

- Case/problems- assess use of knowledge in diagnosing or treating patients or evaluate procedural skills.
- Models: are simulations using mannequins or various anatomic structures to assess procedural skills and interpret clinical findings. Both are useful to assess practice performance and provide constructive feedback.
- ❖ 360 Global Rating Evaluations— MD doctors, faculty, nurses, clerks, and other clinical staff evaluate MD doctors from different perspectives using similar rating forms.
- ❖ Portfolios— A portfolio is a set of project reports that are prepared by the MD doctors to document projects completed during the MD study years. For each type of project standards of performance are set. Example projects are summarizing the research literature for selecting a treatment option, implementing a quality improvement program, revising a medical student clerkship elective, and creating a computer program to track patient care and outcomes.
- Examination MCQ- A standardized examination using multiple-choice questions (MCQ). The in-training examination and written board examinations are examples.
- Examination Oral—Uses structured realistic cases and patient case protocols in an oral examination to assess clinical decision-making.
- Procedure or Case Logs MD doctors prepare summaries of clinical experiences including clinical data. Logs are useful to document educational experiences and deficiencies.
- PSQs- Patients fill out Patient Survey questionnaires (PSQs) evaluating the quality of care provided by MD doctors.

## Annex 5, Program evaluation tools

By whom	Method	sample
Quality Assurance Unit	Reports	#
	Field visits	
External Evaluator (s):According to	Reports	#
department council	Field visits	
External Examiner (s): According to		
department council		
Stakeholders	Reports	#
	Field visits	
	questionnaires	
Senior students	questionnaires	#
Alumni	questionnaires	#

# Annex 6, program Correlations:

مصفوفة توافق المعايير القومية القياسية العامة لبرامج الدكتوراه مع المعايير الأكاديمية المعتمدة من كلية الطب - جامعة أسيوط لدرجة الدكتوراه في الطب النووي

## I- General Academic Reference Standards (GARS) versus Program ARS

#### 1- Graduate attributes

Faculty ARS	NAQAAE General ARS for Postgraduate Programs
1- Demonstrate competency and mastery of basics, methods and tools of scientific research and clinical audit in Nuclear Medicine.	1-إتقان أساسيات و منهجيات البحث العلمي
2- Have continuous ability to add knowledge new developments to Nuclear Medicine through research and publication.	2-العمل المستمر علي الإضافة للمعارف في مجال التخصيص
3- Appraise and utilise scientific knowledge to continuously update and improve clinical practice and relevant basic sciences.	3-تطبيق المنهج التحليلي والناقد للمعارف في مجال التخصص و المجالات ذات العلاقة
4- Acquire excellent level of medical knowledge in the basic biomedical, clinical, behavioural and clinical sciences, medical ethics and medical jurisprudence and apply such knowledge in patient care and scientific	4-دمج المعارف المتخصصة مع المعارف ذات العلاقات العلاقات البينية بينها
<ul> <li>5- Function as a leader of a team to provide patient care that is appropriate, compassionate for dealing with effective and health Problems and health promotion.</li> <li>7- Acquire an in depth understanding of common areas of speciality, from basic clinical care to evidence based clinical application, and possession of skills to manage independently all problems in these areas.</li> </ul>	5-إظهار وعيا عميقا بالمشاكل الجارية و النظريات الحديثة في مجال التخصيص
6- Identify and create solutions for health problems in Nuclear Medicine.	6-تحديد المشكلات المهنية و إيجاد حلو لا مبتكرة لحلها
5- Function as a leader of a team to provide patient care that is appropriate,	7 -إتقان نطاقا واسعا من المهارات المهنية في مجال التخصص

effective and compassionate for dealing with health problems and health promotion.  7- Acquire an in depth understanding of common areas of Nuclear Medicine, from basic clinical care to evidence based clinical application, and possession of skills to manage independently all problems in these areas.  16- Share in updating and improving clinical practice in Nuclear Medicine.	8- التوجه نحو تطوير طرق و أدوات و أساليب جديدة للمز اولة المهنية
9- Function as teacher in relation to colleagues, medical students and other health professions.	اسالیب جدیده تنمر او ته انمهنیه
15- Use recent technologies to improve his practice in Nuclear Medicine.	9-استخدام الوسائل التكنولوجية المناسبة بما يخدم ممارسته المهنية
<ul> <li>8- Demonstrate leadership competencies including interpersonal and communication skills that ensure effective information exchange with individual patients and their families and teamwork with other health professions, the scientific community and the public.</li> <li>5- Function as a leader of a team to provide patient care that is appropriate, effective and compassionate for dealing with health problems and health promotion.</li> </ul>	10-التواصل بفاعلية و قيادة فريق عمل في سياقات مهنية مختلفة
10- Master decision making capabilities in different situations related to Nuclear Medicine.	11-اتخاذ القرار في ظل المعلومات المتاحة
11- Show leadership responsiveness to the larger context of the health care system, including e.g. the organisation of health care, partnership with health care providers and managers, practice of cost-effective health care, health economics, and resource allocations.	12-توظيف الموارد المتاحة بكفاءة و تنميتها والعمل على إيجاد موارد جديدة
12- Demonstrate in depth awareness of public health and health policy issues including	13-الوعي بدوره في تتمية المجتمع والحفاظ

independent ability to improve health care, and identify and carryout system-based improvement of care.	على البيئة
13- Show model attitudes and professionalism.	14-التصرف بما يعكس الالتزام بالنزاهة و المصداقية و قواعد المهنة
<ul> <li>14- Demonstrate commitment for lifelong learning and maintenance of competence and ability for continuous medical education and learning in subsequent stages and in Nuclear Medicine or one of its subspecialties.</li> <li>15- Use recent technologies to improve his practice in Nuclear Medicine.</li> </ul>	15-الالتزام بالتنمية الذاتية المستمرة و نقل علمه و خبراته للآخرين

#### 2- Academic standards

Faculty ARS	NAQAAE General ARS for
racuity ANS	Postgraduate Programs
2.1. A- Established, updated and	2-1-أ- النظريات و الأساسيات والحديث من
evidence- based theories, basics and developments of Nuclear Medicine and relevant sciences.	المعارف في مجال التخصص
of Nuclear Medicine and relevant sciences.	والمجالات ذات العلاقة
2.1. B- Basic, methods and ethics of medical research.	2-1-ب -أساسيات و منهجيات و أخلاقيات
	البحث العلمي و أدواته المختلفة
2.1. C- Ethical and medicologal principles of medical	2-1-ج- المبادئ الأخلاقية و القانونية
practice related to Nuclear Medicine.	للممارسة المهنية في مجال
	التخصص
2.1. D- Principles and measurements of quality in Nuclear	2-1- مبادئ و أساسيات الجودة في
Medicine.	الممارســة المهنيــة فــي مجـــال
	التخصيص
2.1. E- Principles and efforts for maintains and	2-1-هـ - المعارف المتعلقة بآثار ممارسته
improvements of public health.	المهنية على البيئة وطرق تتمية
	البيئة وصيانتها
2.2. A- Application of basic and other relevant science to solve Nuclear Medicine related problems.	2-2-أ -تحليل و تقييم المعلومات في مجال
solve Nuclear Medicine related problems.	التخصص و القياس عليها و
	الاستتباط منها
2.2.B- Problem solving based on available data.	2-2-ب حل المشاكل المتخصصة استنادا
	علي المعطيات المتاحة
2.2.C- Involvement in research studies related to Nuclear Medicine.	2-2-ج - إجراء دراسات بحثية تضيف إلى
Medicine.	المعارف
2.2. D- Writing scientific papers.	2-2-د- صياغة أوراق علمية
2.2. E- Risk evaluation in the related clinical practice.	2-2-ــهــ تقييم المخاطر في الممارسات
	المهنية
2.2.F- Planning for performance improvement in Nuclear Medicine.	2-2-و التخطيط لتطوير الأداء في مجال
ivieuicine.	التخصيص

2-2-G- Creation and innovation in the Nuclear Medicine.	SANN/ ASINI = :-2-2
	2-2-ز - الابتكار /الإبداع
2.2. H- Evidence – based discussion.	2-2-ح- الحوار والنقاش المبني علي
	البراهين والأدلة
2.2.I- Discussion making in different situations related to	2-2-ط -اتخاذ القرارات المهنية في
Nuclear Medicine.	سياقات مهنية مختلفة
2.3. A- MD students must be able to provide extensive level	
of patient care that is compassionate, appropriate,	2-3-أ =إتقان المهارات المهنية الأساسية و
and effective for the treatment of health problems	الحديثة في مجال التخصص
and the promotion of health extensive level means	
in depth understanding and from basic science to	
evidence – based clinical application and possession of skills to manage independently all problems in	
Nuclear Medicine.	
2.3. B- Master patient care skills relevant to Nuclear	
Medicine or patients with all diagnoses and	
procedures.	
2.3. C- Write and evaluate reports for situations related to the field of Nuclear Medicine.	2-3-ب- كتابة و تقييم النقارير المهنية.
2.4.A-Master practice-based learning and improvement	2-3-ج -تقييم و تطوير الطرق و الأدوات
skills that involves investigation and evaluation of	القائمة في مجال التخصص
their own patient care, appraisal and assimilation of scientific evidence, improvements in patient care	<u> </u>
and risk management	
2.4.B- Use competently all information sources and	2-3-د - استخدام الوسائل التكنولوجية بما
technology to improve his practice.	- '
2.4.A-Master practice-based learning and improvement	يخدم الممارسة المهنية
skills that involves investigation and evaluation of	2-3-4 - التخطيط لتطوير الممارسة
their own patient care, appraisal and assimilation	المهنية وتنمية أداء الآخرين
of scientific evidence, improvements in patient care	
and risk management	
2.4.G- Participate in improvement of the education system.	
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#### **II-Program ARS versus program ILOs**

## Comparison between ARS- ILOS for medical doctorate for Nuclear Medicine

(ARS)	(ILOs)
2-1- Knowledge and understanding	2-1- Knowledge and understanding
2-1-A- Established, updated and evidence-based Theories, Basics and developments of Nuclear Medicine and relevant sciences.	2-1-A- Demonstrate in-depth knowledge and understanding of theories, basics and updated biomedical, clinical epidemiological and socio behavioral science relevant to his speciality as well as the evidence-based application of this knowledge to patient care.
<b>2-1-B</b> Basic, methods and ethics of medical research.	2-1-B-Explain basics, methodology, tools and ethics of scientific medical, clinical research.
2-1-C- Ethical and medicologal principles of medical practice related to Nuclear Medicine field.	2-1-C-Mention ethical, medico logical principles and bylaws relevant to his practice in the field of Nuclear Medicine.
<b>2-1-D-</b> Principles and measurements of quality in the Nuclear Medicine field.	2-1-D- Mention principles and measurements of quality assurance and quality improvement in medical education and in clinical practice of Nuclear Medicine.
<b>2-1-E</b> -Principles and efforts for maintains and improvements of public health.	2-1-E- Mention health care system, public health and health policy, issues relevant to this speciality and principles and methods of system_based improvement of patient care in common health problems of the field of Nuclear Medicine.
2-2- Intellectual skills:	2-2- Intellectual skills:
2-2-A-Application of basic and other	2-2-A- Apply the basic and clinically supportive

relevant science to solve Nuclear Medicine related problems.	sciences which are appropriate to Nuclear Medicine related conditions / problem /topics.
2-2-B-Problem solving based on available data.	2-2-B- Demonstrate an investigatory and analytic thinking "problem – solving "approaches to clinical situation related to Nuclear Medicine.
2-2-C-Involvement in research studies related to the Nuclear Medicine.	2-2-C- Plan research projects.
2-2-D Writing scientific papers.	2-2-D- Write scientificpaper.
<b>2-2-E-</b> Risk evaluation in the related clinical practice.	<b>2-2-E-</b> Participate in clinical risk management as a part of clinical governance.
<b>2-2-F-</b> Planning for performance improvement in the Nuclear Medicine field.	<b>2-2-F-</b> Plan for quality improvement in the field of medical education and clinical practice in Nuclear Medicine.
2-2-G-Creation and innovation in the speciality field.	2-2-G- Create / innovate plans, systems, and other issues for improvement of performance in his practice.
<b>2-2-H-</b> Evidence_ based discussion.	<b>2-2-H-</b> Present and defend his / her data in front of a panel of experts.
<b>2-2-I-</b> Decision making in different situations related to Nuclear Medicine fields.	2-2-I- Formulate management plans and alternative decisions in different situations in the field of the Nuclear Medicine.

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#### 2-3- Clinical skills:

- 2-3-A-MD students must be able to provide extensive level of patient care that is compassionate, appropriate, and effective for the treatment of health problems and the promotion of health extensive level means in depth understanding and from basic science to evidence—based clinical application and possession of skills to manage independently all problems in his field of practice.
- **2-3-B-** Master patient care skills relevant to Nuclear Medicine for patients with all diagnoses and procedures.

#### 2/3/1/Practical skills (Patient care :)

- 2-3-1-A- Provide extensive level of patient care that is compassionate, appropriate, and effective for the treatment of health problems and the promotion of health. p.s. Extensive level means in-depth understanding from basic science to evidence based clinical application and possession of skills to manage independently all problems in field of practice.
- **2-3-1-B-** Provide extensive level of patient care for patients with all common diagnoses and for uncomplicated procedures related to Nuclear Medicine.
- 2-3-1-C- Provide extensive level of patient care for non-routine, complicated patients and under increasingly difficult circumstances, while demonstrating compassionate, appropriate and effective care.
- 2-3-1-D- Perform diagnostic and therapeutic procedures considered essential in the field of Nuclear Medicine
- 2-3-1-E- Handles unexpected complications, while demonstrating compassion and sensitivity to patient needs and concerns.
- 2-3-1-F- Communicate effectively and demonstrate caring and respectful behaviors when interacting with patients and their families in the Nuclear Medicine related situations.

- **2-3-1-G-** Gather essential and accurate information about patients of the Nuclear Medicine related conditions.
- 2-3-1-H Make informed decisions about diagnostic and therapeutic interventions based on patient information and preferences, up-to-date scientific evidence and clinical judgment for the Nuclear Medicine related conditions.
- **2-3-1-I-** Develop and carry out patient management plans for Nuclear Medicine related conditions.
- **2-3-1-J-** Counsel and educate patients and their families about Nuclear Medicine related conditions.
- 2-3-1-K- Use information technology to support patient care decisions and patient education in all Nuclear Medicine related clinical situations.
- **2-3-1-L-** Perform competently all medical and invasive procedures considered essential for the Nuclear Medicine related conditions/area of practices.
- **2-3-1-M-** Provide health care services aimed at preventing the Nuclear Medicine related health problems.
- 2-3-1-N- Lead health care professionals, including those from other disciplines, to provide patient-focused care in Nuclear Medicine related conditions.

- **2-3-C-**Write and evaluate reports for situations related to the field of Nuclear Medicine.
- 2-3-1-O- Write competently all forms of patient charts and sheets including reports evaluating these charts and sheets. (Write and evaluate a consultation note, Inform patients of a diagnosis and therapeutic plan, completing and evaluating comprehensive timely and legible medical records).

#### 2-4- General skills

2-4-A- Master practice-based learning and improvement skills that involves investigation and evaluation of their own patient care, appraisal and assimilation of scientific evidence, improvements in patient care and risk management

#### 2/3/2 General skills

- **2-3-2-A-** Demonstrate the competency of continuous evaluation of different types of care provision to patients in the different area of Nuclear Medicine.
- 2-3-2-B- Appraise scientific evidence.
  - **2-3-2-C-** Continuously improve patient care based on constant self-evaluation and <u>life-long</u> learning.
- **2-3-2-D**. Participate in clinical audit and research projects.
- **2-3-2-E-** Practice skills of evidence-based Medicine (EBM).
- 2-3-2-G- Design logbooks.
- **2-3-2-H-** Design clinical guidelines and standard protocols of management.
- **2-3-2-I-** Appraise evidence from scientific studies related to the patients' health problems.

2-4-B- Use competently all information sources and technology to improve his practice.	<ul> <li>2-3-2-J- Apply knowledge of study designs and statistical methods to the appraisal of clinical studies.</li> <li>2-3-2-K- Use information technology to manage information, access online medical information; for the important topics.</li> </ul>
<b>2-4-C-</b> Master skills of teaching and evaluating others.	<b>2-3-2-F-</b> Educate and evaluate students, residents and other health professionals.
2-4-D- Master interpersonal and communication Skills that result in effective information exchange and teaming with patients, their families, and other health professionals.	2-3-2-L- Master interpersonal and communication skills that result in the effective exchange of information and collaboration with patients, their families, and health professionals, including:  • Present a case.  • Write a consultation note.
	<ul> <li>Inform patients of a diagnosis and therapeutic plan Completing and maintaining comprehensive.</li> <li>Timely and legible medical records.</li> <li>Teamwork skills.</li> </ul>
	<b>2-3-2-M-</b> Create and sustain a therapeutic and ethically sound relationship with patients.
	<b>2-3-2-N</b> - Elicit and provide information using effective nonverbal, explanatory, questioning, and writing skills.
	<b>2-3-2-O-</b> Work effectively with others as a member or leader of a health care team or other professional group.
2-4-E-Master Professionalism behavior, as manifested through a commitment to carrying out professional responsibilities, adherence to ethical	<b>2-3-2-P-</b> Demonstrate respect, compassion, and integrity; a responsiveness to the needs of patients and society.

principles, and sensitivity to a diverse patient population.	2-3-2-Q- Demonstrate a commitment to ethical principles including provision or withholding of clinical care, confidentiality of patient information, informed consent, and business practices.
	2-3-2-R- Demonstrate sensitivity and responsiveness to patients' culture, age, gender, and disabilities.
2-4-F- Demonstrate an awareness of and responsiveness to the larger context and system of health care and the ability to effectively use system resources to provide care that is of optimal value.	2-3-2-S- Work effectively in health care delivery settings and systems related to Nuclear Medicine including good administrative and time management.
2-4-G- Participate in improvement of the education system.	2-3-2-T- Practice cost-effective health care and resource allocation that does not compromise quality of care.
	2-3-2-U- Advocate for quality patient care and assist patients in dealing with system complexities.
	2-3-2-V- Design, monitor and evaluate specification of under and post graduate courses and programs.
2-4-H- Demonstrate skills of leading scientific meetings including time management	2-3-2-W- Act as a chair man for scientific meetings including time management 2-3-2-S- Work effectively in health care delivery settings and systems related to Nuclear Medicine including good administrative and time management.
<b>2-4-O-</b> Demonstrate skills of self and continuous learning.	From A to H

## III-Program matrix Knowledge and understanding

Course	Program coveredILOs				
	2/1/A	2/1/B	2/1/C	2/1/D	2/1/E
Course 1 : Medical statistics		✓			
Course 2 : Research		✓			
Methodology					
Course 3: Medicolegal Aspects			✓		
and Ethics in Medical Practice					
and ScientificResearch					
Course 4:Pathology	<b>✓</b>				
Course 5 : Internal Medicine	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Course 6 : General surgery	✓				
Course 7 : Nuclear Medicine	✓	✓	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	✓

#### Intellectual

Course		Program covered ILOs							
	2/2/A	2/2/B	2/2/C	2/2/D	2/2/E	2/2/F	2/2/G	2/2/H	2/2/1
Course 1: Medical statistics			<b>\</b>	<b>√</b>				<b>\</b>	
Course 2: Research Methodology			>	>				<b>&gt;</b>	
Course 3: Medicolegal Aspects and Ethics in Medical Practice and Scientific Research								>	
Course 4 :Pathology	✓	✓							
Course5: Internal Medicine	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>							<b>√</b>
Course 6: General surgery	<b>\</b>								
Course 7: Nuclear Medicine	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	✓

#### Practical Skills (Patient Care)

Course	Program covered ILOs							
	2/3/1/ A	2/3/1/ B	2/3/1/ C	2/3/1/ D	2/3/1/ E	2/3/1/ F	2/3/1/ G	2/3/1/ H
Course 1:	A	В				Г	G	П
Medical								
statistics								
Course 2:								
Research								
Methodology								
Course 3:				<b>√</b>				<b>√</b>
Medicolegal								
Aspects and								
Ethics in								
Medical								
Practice and								
Scientific								
Research								
Course 4								
:Pathology								
Course 5:								
Internal								
Medicine								
Course 6:								
General								
surgery	,	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	,		,		
Course 7:	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>
Nuclear								
Medicine								

Course	Program covered ILOs							
	2/3/1/1	2/3/1/J	2/3/1/K	2/3/1/L	2/3/1/M	2/3/1/N	2/3/1/0	
Course 1:								
Medical								
statistics								
Course 2:								
Research								
Methodology								
Course 3:	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>					✓	
Medicolegal								
Aspects and								
Ethics in								
Medical								
Practice and								
Scientific								
Research								
Course 4								
:Pathology								
Course 5:								
Internal								
Medicine								
Course 6:								
General								
surgery								
Course 7:	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	✓	<b>√</b>	
Nuclear								
Medicine								

#### **General Skills**

Course	Program covered ILOs							
	2/3/2/ A	2/3/2/ B	2/3/2/ C	2/3/2/ D	2/3/2/ E	2/3/2/ F	2/3/2/ G	2/3/2/ H
Course 1 : Medical statistics		<u> </u>	<u> </u>					
Course 2: Research Methodology		<b>V</b>		<b>~</b>	<b>~</b>			
Course 3: Medicolegal Aspects and Ethics in Medical Practice and Scientific Research								
Course 4 :Pathology								
Course 5: Internal Medicine								
Course 6: General surgery								
Course 7: Nuclear Medicine	<b>√</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>~</b>	<b>~</b>	<b>~</b>	<b>~</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>√</b>

Course	Program covered ILOs								
	2/3/2/I	2/3/2/	2/3/2/	2/3/2/			2/3/2/	2/3/2/	
	<b></b>	J	K	L	М	N	0	Р	
Course 1:	·	•	•						
Medical									
statistics									
Course 2:	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>							
Research									
Methodology									
Course 3:				<b>√</b>					
Medicolegal									
Aspects and									
Ethics in									
Medical									
Practice and									
Scientific									
Research									
Course 4			<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>					
:Pathology									
Course 5:			✓	✓				<b>√</b>	
Internal									
Medicine									
Course 6:			✓	<b>√</b>				<b>√</b>	
General									
surgery									
Course7:	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	✓	<b>√</b>	
Nuclear									
Medicine									

#### **General Skills**

Course	Program covered ILOs							
	2/3/2/Q	2/3/2/R	2/3/2/S	2/3/2/T	2/3/2/U	2/3/2/V	2/3/2/W	
Course 1: Medical statistics								
Course 2: Research Methodology								
Course 3: Medicolegal Aspects and Ethics in Medical Practice and Scientific Research								
Course 4 :Pathology	<b>√</b>		✓					
Course 5: Internal Medicine		<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>					
Course 6: General surgery			<b>√</b>					
Course 7: Nuclear Medicine	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	✓	✓	✓	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	

(End of the program specifications)