





BASIC MEDICAL SCIENCES

HANDBOOK FOR 2023

FACULTY of HEALTH SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT of BASIC MEDICAL SCIENCES

The Department of Basic Medical Sciences is a specialist department servicing programmes primarily in the Faculty of Health Sciences. This Department does not offer any programmes.

Modules are offered in the following disciplines:

Anatomy Epidemiology Pathology Pharmacology Physiology

This handbook offers information on these modules.

WHAT IS A UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY?

A university of technology is characterised by being research informed rather than research driven where the focus is on strategic and applied research that can be translated into professional practice. Furthermore, research output is commercialised, thus providing a source of income for the institution. Learning programmes, in which the emphasis on technological capability is as important as cognitive skills, are developed around graduate profiles as defined by industry and the professions.

NOTE TO ALL REGISTERED STUDENTS

Your registration is in accordance with all current rules of the Institution. If, for whatever reason, you do not register consecutively for every year/semester of your programme, your existing registration contract with the Institution will cease. Your re-registration anytime thereafter will be at the discretion of the institution and, if permitted, will be in accordance with the rules applicable at that time.

IMPORTANT NOTICES

The rules in this departmental handbook must be read in conjunction with the General Rules (G Rules) contained in the Durban University of Technology (DUT) General Handbook for Students as well as the relevant module Study Guides.

Your attention is specifically drawn to Rule G1 (8), and to the process of dealing with student issues.

FACULTY VISION, MISSION, GOALS & VALUES

VISION

"Leading transformative and innovative Health Sciences education"

MISSION

"Developing holistic professionals responsive to healthcare needs, "through excellence in:

- Teaching and learning
- Research, Innovation and Engagement
- Fostering Entrepreneurship

VALUES professionalism

To work within the regulatory framework of professional conduct.

To maintain and develop professional expertise and good work ethic.

INTEGRITY

To conduct ourselves with strong moral principles.

To be honest and authentic. To do what is ethical and just.

UBUNTU

To treat people with respect, fairness courtesy, politeness, and kindness.

TRANSPARENCY

To conduct ourselves with openness and honesty through shared governance. **ACCOUNTABILITY**

To accept responsibility for one's actions.

DERPARTMENTAL VISION, MISSION, GOALS & VALUES

Vision

To be a leading provider of Basic Medical Science education and research

Mission

Making sense of the human body:

Building the foundation for future health professionals

Values

I. Behaviour

To uphold and promote professionalism, integrity and ethics.

To be responsible and accountable.

2. Mutual Respect

To embrace the principles of uBuntu that represent our humanity and community: kindness, empathy, sensitivity and caring.

3. Student Centeredness

To provide high quality teaching, learning and assessment incorporating innovative strategies to address the distinct learning needs of our student.

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- 6.7 BHSc: Medical Orthotics & Prosthetics
- 6.8 BHSc: Nursing Science
- 6.9 BHSc: Radiography
- 6.10 D: Somatology
- 6.11 HC: Dental Assisting

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3. DEPARTMENTAL INFORMATION & RULES

3.1 Programmes serviced by the Department

Programmes serviced	Qualification	SAQA NLRD
	code	number
BHSc: Clinical Technology	BHCLTI	96409
BHSc: Chiropractic	BACHRI	96409
BHSc: Emergency Medical Care and Rescue	BHEMCI	72207
BHSc: Environmental Health	BHEVHI	74471
BHSc: Homoeopathy	BHHOMI	74471
BHSc: Medical Laboratory Science	BHMLSI	94553
BHSc: Medical Orthotics and Prosthetics	внморз	91786
BHSc: Nursing Science	BCHNSG/E	76925
BHSc: Radiography: Diagnostic Radiography	BHDRDI	94832
BHSc: Radiography: Diagnostic Sonography	BHDSNI	94679
BHSc: Radiography: Nuclear Medicine	BHNMDI	94803
BHSc: Radiography: Radiotherapy	BHRDTI	94800
D: Somatology	DISOMI	99725
HC: Dental Assisting	HCDNAI	66412

3.2 MODULES OFFERED BY THE DEPARTMENT Refer to 6. Modules and content per programme

3.3 DEPARTMENTAL INFORMATION

3.3.1. Academic Integrity

Please refer to the General Rules pertaining to academic integrity GI3 (I) (o). These will be enforced wherever necessary to safeguard the quality of our qualifications, and the integrity of the Faculty of Health Sciences at the DUT.

3.3.2. Code of Conduct for Students

In addition to the General Rules pertaining to Student Conduct SR3 (3), a professional code of conduct pertaining to behaviour, appearance, personal hygiene and dress shall apply to all students registered within the Faculty of Health Sciences, at all times.

Students registered in the department will be required to adhere to the dress code as determined by the Head of Department.

Students must adhere to all Health and Safety regulations both at DUT's Wentworth Hospital teaching facility, all DUT campuses and in clinical placement sites. Failure to do so will be treated as a breach of discipline.

3.3.3. Uniforms

Students must adhere to instructions regarding specific uniforms required during practical sessions. Refer to your Study Guide for more details.

3.3.4 Health and Safety

Students must adhere to all Health and Safety regulations both while at DUT and in Work Integrated Learning (WIL) placements. Failure to do so will be treated as a breach of discipline. Refer to your Study Guide for more details.

3.3.5 Attendance

Students are encouraged to achieve 100% attendance for all planned academic activities as these are designed to provide optimal support for the required competency. Where absence is unavoidable, the student must timeously advise the department of the reason. Only exceptional reasons will be condoned. Poor attendance records may lead to penalties.

A register of attendance will be circulated during each lecture and practical. It is the responsibility of all students to sign the register personally during these sessions. In the case of online sessions delivered via Microsoft Teams, a register will be downloaded at the start and the end of the session.

Consult your module Scheme of Work for the dates of the assessments. Absence from these assessments will not be condoned without a valid reason (and proof thereof). These assessments collectively constitute the module course (final) mark.

Assignments and short assessments may also be conducted as determined by the lecturers and marks from these assessments may contribute towards the course (final) mark.

3.3.6 General Information for Anatomy Dissection Hall

- 3.3.6.1. Under no circumstances may unauthorised persons (persons not registered for Anatomy) enter. Disciplinary action will be taken against anyone flouting this rule.
- 3.3.6.2. Cadavers and all human materials must be treated with utmost respect.
- 3.3.6.3. All students must be appropriately dressed. White lab coats and closed shoes (e.g. takkies) are compulsory.
- 3.3.6.4. Smoking, drinking and eating are strictly prohibited.
- 3.3.6.5. Each cadaver has 2 stainless steel tags attached (ear and small toe). Do not remove these tags.
- 3.3.6.6. Do not cut or tear the plastic used to cover cadavers.
- 3.3.6.7. Buckets at the base of the table are for collecting body fluids only and not for waste paper, scalpel blades, etc. Specific bins are provided for the disposal of wastepaper, scalpel blades, etc.
- 3.3.6.8. Do not leave scalpel, forceps, etc. on the tables or in the cadaver.
- 3.3.6.9. Keep tables clean at all times.
- 3.3.6.10. Do not drop pieces of human material on the floor. Place all off-cuts into bowls provided.

- 3.3.6.11. A bowl is provided at each dissection table for human material only. Please refrain from placing paper towels, scalpel, blades, etc. into these receptacles.
- 3.3.6.12. Do not dispose of paper towels, scalpel blades, etc. into bins specifically provided for human material.
- 3.3.6.13. As far as possible do not discard skin. Use it to cover the cadaver. These are best to prevent dehydration.
- 3.3.6.14. After each session of dissection cover the cadavers appropriately.
- 3.3.6.15. Use the fluids provided in sprays to keep cadavers moist.
- 3.3.6.16. Disposal procedures to be adhered to in the Anatomy laboratory are as follows:
 - All cadaveric material to be placed in bins provided for each table
 - Used and broken scalpel blades must be placed in the Sharps containers provided
 - $\bullet\,$ Used gloves to be discarded in the Glove disposal boxes provided in each lab
 - $\bullet\,$ Wastepaper and paper towels must be disposed of in the black bins located at/near the sinks
- 3.3.6.17. Report injuries to the staff present immediately

3.3.7 General Laboratory Information

- 3.3.7.1. No student is allowed in the laboratory unless a staff member is present.
- 3.3.7.2. Any student without a laboratory coat will NOT be admitted into the laboratory.
- 3.3.7.3. Closed shoes must be worn at all times especially when dissecting equipment is in use.
- 3.3.7.4. No eating, drinking or smoking is allowed in the laboratory.
- 3.3.7.5. All cuts and sores must be covered.
- 3.3.7.6. Appropriate behaviour is expected at all times.
- 3.3.7.7. Each student will be allocated a bench space/work station for the year. It is the responsibility of the students to check their stations BEFORE the commencement of each practical session and to report any discrepancies immediately to a staff member. This pertains particularly to microscopes and slides.
- 3.3.7.8. Any breakages will be charged to the student responsible. The combined class will share the cost if the person responsible for the damage is not identified.
- 3.3.7.9. Students are not permitted into the preparation room or wash up room.
- 3.3.7.10. Students are responsible for keeping their workstations clean and tidy.
- 3.3.7.11. Microscopes must be handled and stored correctly after use. You will be advised on these procedures. Any mishandling of equipment could result in a student being denied access to the laboratory for the remainder of the year/course.
- 3.3.7.12. Practical sessions will begin promptly at the scheduled times. Students arriving late will not be admitted into the laboratory.
- 3.3.7.13. Report injuries to a staff member immediately.

4. DEPARTMENTAL RULES

These rules apply to all students registered for modules offered by this Department.

4.1 Special Assessments and Condonements

No missed assessments will be condoned.

- Due to COVID-19 related restricts some assessment might have to be undertaken virtually. In addition, some summative assessments might also have to be changed to continuous assessment methods. Clarity on the nature of assessments will be communicated to students upon receipt of relevant decisions from university management.
- If a student misses an assessment for reasons of illness, a special assessment
 may be granted if the student provides a valid medical certificate specifying the
 nature and duration of the illness, and a declaration that for health reasons it
 was impossible for the student to sit for the assessment. This certificate must
 be submitted to the module lecturer no later than two (2) working days after
 the "fit for duty" date on the medical certificate.
- If a student misses an assessment for reasons other than illness, a special assessment may be granted if the student provides a valid notification that for unavoidable reasons it was impossible for the student to sit for the assessment. This must be submitted to the module lecturer no later than two (2) working days after that date of the missed assessment.
- Any student who misses an assessment and who does not qualify for a special assessment, and any student who qualifies for a special assessment but fails to write it, shall be awarded a zero (0) mark for the missed assessment.

4.2 Student Appeals

Rule GI (8) refers to:

Any student wishing to appeal against:

- (a) The implementation of an Institutional Rule must do so in the first instance to the relevant Head of Department;
- (b) The decision of a Head of Department must do so via the relevant Executive Dean to the Faculty Board or a delegated Committee of the Faculty Board. The decision of the Faculty Board or a delegated Committee of the Faculty Board is final, and no further appeals will be considered thereafter (Amended weaf 2009(01))

(Amended w.e.f. 2009/01)

5. BOOKLIST - PRESCRIBED TEXTBOOKS FOR 2022

(The student must obtain the prescribed textbooks, and should consult the recommended textbooks)

Authors Name	Course			Library Copies
Gosling, Harris, Whitemore, Wiiliam	Homoeo/Chiro (Anatomy I, II)	Human Anatomy Atlas & Text	Latest Edition	I

	MOP/Homoeo/ Chiro-	Neuroanatomy, An illustrated		
Crossman, A.R.; Neary, D	(2nd yr. only)	colour text	Latest Edition	1
	(Anatomy II-Clin Anat)	Churchill Livingston		
Moore, K L	Homoeo/Chiro	Clinically Oriented Anatomy	Latest Edition	2
Moore. K. L	(Anatomy I, II)	Williams and Wilkens, Baltimore	Latest Edition	2
Wheater, et al.	Homoeo/Chiro/ (Anatomy I) (Physio I, II)	Functional Histology: A text and colour Atlas Churchill	Latest edition	I
Penny Webb, Chris Bain &	Homoeo/Chiro	Essential Epidemiology	Latest edition	4
Sandi Pirozzo	(Epi II)	edition	Latest edition	4
C.J. Finlayson & B.A.T. Nevel	Homoeo/Chiro III (Pathology)	Pathology at a Glance	Latest edition	5
Dreyer A, Kharwa R, Moch, S and Thandar Y	Homoeo/Chiro/ Clin Tech/EMC/ Postgrad & Nursing Science (Pharmacology)	Pharmacology for Nurses and Pharmacology for Health Sciences	4 th edition	3
Tortora, G.J. & Derrickson, B.	Food & Consumer Science/Medical Laboratory Science/Nursing Science/Soma I/ /MOP/Clin Tech I/ Homoeo/Chiro/ EH/EMC (Physiology I)	Introduction to the Human Body	Latest edition	4
Tortora, G.J., Derrickson, B	Radiography (Physiology I)	Principles of Anatomy and Physiology	Latest edition	2
Keith L. Moore, Anne M.R. Agur	MOP/Clin Tech/EMC I/ Radiography (Anatomy I)	Essential Clinical Anatomy	Latest Edition	2
Derrickson, B	EMC II/ Homoeo/Chiro II (Physio 2)	Human Physiology	Latest Edition	I
McKinney & Woodman	Homoeo/Chiro (Pathology)	Pathology -Crash course	5th edition	I

6. MODULES AND ASSESSMENTS PER PROGRAMME

NB: Students are required to read this section in conjunction with the relevant study guide. (CA: Continuous Assessment)

MODULE (CODE)	LEARNING AREAS/CONTENT	ASSESSMENT PLAN
Anatomy	Introduction to Anatomy	CA
AAMY101	Thorax	
	Abdomen and Pelvis	
	Limbs and Back	
	Neuroanatomy	
	Head and Neck	
Physiology	Introduction	CA
PYSLI01	Nervous System	
	Cardiovascular System	
	Respiratory System	
	Renal System	
	Cardiovascular system	
	Lymphatic & Immunity	
	Reproductive System	
	Gastro-intestinal system	

6.1 BACHELOR OF HEALTH SCIENCES: CLINICAL TECHNOLOGY

6.2 BACHELOR OF HEALTH SCIENCES: CHIROPRACTIC

MODULE (CODE)	LEARNING AREAS/CONTENT	ASSESSMENT PLAN
Gross Anatomy	Introduction to Anatomy	CA
IA	Thorax	
ANGR111 Gross Anatomy	Abdomen	CA
B	Pelvis	CA
ANGR121		
Histology	Introduction to Histology	CA
HISTIII	Primary Tissues: including epithelia, connective tissues (Binding tissues, blood,	
	cartilage and bone), muscle and nervous tissue	
	Histology of the Body Systems including cardiovascular, integumentary, lymphatic organs, respiratory, digestive, urinary, endocrine & reproductive	
Physiology IA	The Human Body	CA
PHGYIII	The Chemical level of organisation: Basic Chemistry	
	The Cellular level of organisation	
	The Integumentary System: Skin and membranes	
	The Muscular System	
	The Nervous System Special Senses	
	Special Senses	
Physiology IB	The Endocrine System	CA
PHGY121	The Cardiovascular System	
	The Lymphatic System and Body Defences	
	The Respiratory System	
	The Digestive System The Urinary System	
	The Reproductive System	
Biological	The scope of biology,	CA
Sciences	characteristics of cells,	
BIOS101	Multicellular organisation,	
	Energy transformation and nutrient procurement, Gaseous exchange, Internal transport,	
	Cellular reproduction and inheritance,	
	Reproduction and development,	
	Evolution,	
	Ecology,	
	Origin of life, viruses and monera,	
	The Protistan Kingdom, The Plant Kingdom,	
	The Fungal Kingdom,	
	The Animal Kingdom.	
	The scope of microbiology.	
	Characteristics and types of bacteria.	
	Characteristics of protozoa,	
	Yeasts and moulds. Laboratory study of bacteria.	
	Characteristics of Rickettsaie, Chlamydaie and Mycoplasmas.	
	Characteristics of viruses.	
	General bacterial physiology.	
	Micro-organisms in the ecological system.	
	Basic principles of sterilization and disinfection. Antimicrobial agents and chemotherapy.	
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Gross Anatomy II	Back	CA
ANGR201	Upper Limb	
	Lower Limb	
Clinical Anatomy	Neuroanatomy	CA
ANGR221	Head & Neck Applied Anatomy	
Physiology IIA	The Neuro-endocrine System	CA

PHGG201	The Cardiorespiratory System	
Physiology IIB PHGY201	The Genitourinary system	CA
Immunology, Parasitology and Communicable Diseases EPIP201	Parasitology Immunology Communicable Diseases	CA
General Pathology GEPA201	Introduction to Pathology and Disease Cell injury, death and necrosis Amyloid Calcification Pigmentation Jaundice Oedema, fluid and electrolyte imbalance; Hyperaemia, congestion, haemorrhage, thrombosis, embolism, infarction Inflammation, healing and repair; Infection and disease Disorders of Growth and cancers; Effects of Radiation Disorders of Carbohydrate metabolism; Nutritional disorders Autoimmune disorders	CA
Systemic Pathology IA SYSP311	Skin Cardiovascular System Haematopoietic and Lymphoid Systems; Respiratory System Renal System	CA
Systemic Pathology IB SYSP321	Gastrointestinal Tract & Liver, Pancreas & Biliary Tract Musculoskeletal System The Nervous System; Endocrine System The reproductive system	CA

6.3 BACHELOR OF HEALTH SCIENCES: HOMOEOPATHY

MODULE (CODE)	LEARNING AREAS/CONTENT	ASSESSMENT PLAN
Gross Anatomy	Introduction to Anatomy	CA
Module A	Thorax	
GRAN101		
Gross Anatomy	Abdomen	CA
Module B	Pelvis	
GRAN102		
Histology	Introduction to Histology	CA
HSTLI01	Primary Tissues: including epithelia, connective tissues (Binding tissues,	
	blood, cartilage and bone), muscle and nervous tissue	
	Histology of the Body Systems including cardiovascular, integumentary,	
	lymphatic organs, respiratory, digestive, urinary, endocrine & reproductive	
Anatomy II	Back	CA
Gross	Upper Limb	
GRAN201	Lower Limb	
Anatomy II	Neuroanatomy	CA
Clinical	Head & Neck	
CLAN101	Applied Anatomy	
Epidemiology II	Immunology	CA
EPIP101	Parasitology	
	Communicable Diseases	
Epidemiology II EPPH101	Public Health	CA
General Pathology II	Introduction to Pathology and Disease	CA

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GPAT101	Cell injury, death and necrosis	
	Amyloid	
	Calcification	
	Pigmentation	
	Jaundice Opdoma fluid and electrolyte imbalance:	
	Oedema, fluid and electrolyte imbalance; Hyperaemia, congestion, haemorrhage, thrombosis, embolism, infarction	
	Inflammation, healing and repair; Infection and disease	
	Disorders of Growth and cancers; Effects of Radiation	
	Disorders of Carbohydrate metabolism; Nutritional disorders	
	Autoimmune disorders	
Physiology IA	The Human Body	CA
PHSY102	The Chemical level of organisation: Basic Chemistry	
	The Cellular level of organisation	
	The Integumentary System: Skin and membranes	
	The Muscular System	
	The Nervous System	
	Special Senses	
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Physiology IB PHSY 103	The Endocrine System	CA
	The Cardiovascular System	
	The Lymphatic System and Body Defences The Respiratory System	
	The Digestive System	
	The Urinary System	
	The Reproductive System	
Physiology IIA	The Neuro-endocrine System	CA
/***0/	The Cardiorespiratory System	
Physiology IIB	Genitourinary System	CA
PHGU201		
Systematic	Skin	CA
Pathology II	Cardiovascular System	
Module I	Haematopoietic and Lymphoid Systems;	
SYPT101	Respiratory System	
	Renal System	
Systemic Pathology	Gastrointestinal Tract & Liver, Pancreas & Biliary Tract	CA
Module II	Musculoskeletal System	5
SYPT102	The Nervous System;	
511 1102	Endocrine System	
	The reproductive system	
Pharmacology	General Aspects of Drug Therapy;	CA
PHYCI02	Pharmacokinetics and Pharmacodynamics	
	Administration of drugs to patients	
	Adverse effects of drugs	
	Drugs affecting the autonomic, somatic and sensory nervous system	
	Central nervous system	
	Haemopoietic system	
	Respiratory system	
	Digestive tract	
	Analgesics and anti-inflammatory drugs	
	Antihistamines	
	Hormones and hormone antagonists Antimicrobial and other anti-infective drugs	
	Cardiovascular drugs	
	Poisoning and drug treatment in emergencies	
Biological Principles I	The scope of biology,	CA
BLGP101	characteristics of cells.	
	Multicellular organisation,	
	Energy transformation and nutrient procurement,	
	Gaseous exchange, Internal transport,	
	Cellular reproduction and inheritance,	
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Reproduction and development,
Evolution,
Ecology,
Origin of life, viruses and monera,
The Protistan Kingdom,
The Plant Kingdom,
The Fungal Kingdom,
The Animal Kingdom.
The scope of microbiology.
Characteristics and types of bacteria.
Characteristics of protozoa,
Yeasts and moulds.
Laboratory study of bacteria.
Characteristics of Rickettsaie, Chlamydaie and Mycoplasmas.
Characteristics of viruses.
General bacterial physiology.
Micro-organisms in the ecological system.
Basic principles of sterilization and disinfection.
Antimicrobial agents and chemotherapy.

6.4 BACHELOR OF HEALTH SCIENCES: MEDICAL LABORATORY SCIENCES

MODULE (CODE)	LEARNING AREAS/CONTENT	ASSESSMENT PLAN
Anatomy &	Organization and functions of all systems of the human body;	CA
Physiology IA	Homeostatic mechanisms	
ANPA 102	Structure and function of cellular organelles, including the causes and cellular basis of cancer	
	Body tissues, including epithelial, connective, muscle and nervous tissues	
	The integumentary system	
	The Neuro-endocrine systems	
Anatomy &	The Cardiovascular and respiratory systems;	CA
Physiology IB	The digestive & urinary systems;	
ANPB 102	Reproductive system	

6.5 BACHELOR OF HEALTH SCIENCES: EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE

MODULE (CODE)	LEARNING AREAS/CONTENT	ASSESSMENT PLAN
Physiology I	Introduction	CA
PHSL101	Cells	
	Tissues	
	Nervous System	
	Endocrine System	
	Reproductive System	
	Cardiovascular System	
	Respiratory System	
	Muscular System	
	Digestive System	
	Urinary System	
General	Introduction to Pathology and Disease	CA
Pathology	Cell injury, death and necrosis	
GPTA101	Amyloid	
	Calcification	
	Pigmentation	
	Jaundice	
	Oedema, fluid and electrolyte imbalance;	
	Hyperaemia, congestion, haemorrhage, thrombosis, embolism, infarction	
	Inflammation, healing and repair; Infection and disease	
	Disorders of Growth and cancers; Effects of Radiation	

	Disorders of Carbohydrate metabolism; Nutritional disorders	
	Autoimmune disorders	
Pharmacology I	General Aspects of Drug Therapy	CA
PHAR101	Pharmacokinetics and Pharmacodynamics	
	Administration of drugs to patients	
	Adverse effects of drugs	
	Drugs affecting the autonomic, somatic and sensory nervous system	
	Central nervous system	
	Haemopoietic system	
	Respiratory system	
	Digestive tract	
	Analgesics and anti-inflammatory drugs	
	Antihistamines	
	Hormones and hormone antagonists	
	Antimicrobial and other anti-infective drugs	
	Cardiovascular drugs	
	Poisoning and drug treatment in emergencies	
Anatomy I	Introduction to Anatomy	CA
AAMY102	Thorax	
	Abdomen and Pelvis	
	Limbs and Back	
	Neuroanatomy	
	Head and Neck	
Physiology II A	The Neuro-endocrine System	CA
PSYA 201	The Cardiorespiratory System	
Physiology II B PSYB 202	The Genitourinary System	CA

6.6 BACHELOR OF HEALTH SCIENCES: ENVIROMENTAL HEALTH

MODULE (CODE)	LEARNING AREAS/CONTENT	ASSESSMENT PLAN
Anatomy &	Organisation of the body	CA
Physiology	Homeostatic mechanisms	
ANPAIOI	Structure and function of cellular organelles, including the causes and cellular	
	basis of cancer	
	Body tissues, including epithelial, connective, muscle and nervous tissues	
	The integumentary system	
	The Neuro-Endocrine system	
Anatomy &	The Cardiovascular and respiratory system	CA
Physiology	The digestive & urinary systems	
ANPB102	Reproductive system	

6.7 BACHELOR OF HEALTH SCIENCES: MEDICAL ORTHOTICS & PROSTHETICS

MODULE (CODE)	LEARNING AREAS/CONTENT	ASSESSMENT PLAN
Anatomy I	Introduction to Anatomy	CA
ANMY101	Musculoskeletal Anatomy	
	Back, Upper limbs and Lower limbs.	
Anatomy II ANMY201	Section A: Neck –surface anatomy, superficial neck muscles, triangles of the neck, deep structures of the neck, root of the neck, cervical viscera, thyroid gland, parathyroid glands, facial planes, pharynx, larynx. Section B: Head – Osteology, the Face - muscles, neurovascular structures, lymphatic drainage, the Scalp, cranial fossae and foramina (self- study), the Orbit, parotid and Temporal regions, temporomandibular joint, oral region (self-study), salivary glands, nose and paranasal sinuses, ear (self- study). Section C: Neuroanatomy – Embryology, cerebral topography,	CA

	brainstem and spinal cord, cerebellum, thalamus, epithalamus and	
	hypothalamus, reticular formation, visual, olfactory and limbic systems,	
	cranial nerves, blood supply of the brain.	
Clinical Studies	Inflammation, repair and healing.	CA
CLCS101	Inflammatory diseases.	
	Degenerative diseases.	
	Post traumatic conditions.	
	Metabolic disorders.	
	Circulatory disorders	
	Amputations	
	Post-traumatic osteoporosis	
	Aseptic bone necrosis.	
	Paralysis resulting from nerve lesions.	
	Diseases of the pelvis and hip.	
	Diseases of the knee.	
	Diseases of the foot.	
	Diseases of the shoulder, elbow and hand, limb deformities, skin disorders	
	and wound repair	
Clinical Studies	Nervous system disorders and diseases (child and adult)(CNS and PNS)	CA
CLCS201		CA
CLC3201	including Polio, Cerebral palsy, paraplegia and quadriplegia, ataxia.	
	Parkinson's disease.	
	Spinal and thoracic deformities, scoliosis, kyphosis.	
	Diseases of the spine.	
	Circulatory disorders.	
	Metabolic disorders.	
	Tumors.	
	Degenerative diseases.	
	Burns.	
	Fractures.`	
Physiology for MOP	Organisation of the body	CA
PYSL102	Homeostatic mechanisms	
PYSL102	Structure and function of cellular organelles, including the causes and	
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6.8 BACHELOR OF HEALTH SCIENCES: NURSING SCIENCE

MODULE (CODE)	LEARNING AREAS/CONTENT	ASSESSMENT PLAN
Introduction to	General aspects of drug therapy including scheduling and legislation	
Pharmacology	Pharmacokinetics and Pharmacodynamics	CA
INPH102	Adverse drug reactions including drug interactions	

	Administration of during to potion to	
	Administration of drugs to patients	
D	Autonomic Nervous System (Pharm)	
Pharmacology	Infective diseases, antimicrobial and antiparasitic drugs	CA
PHMC201	Central nervous system drugs	
	Drugs that affect the respiratory system	
	Drugs that affect the cardiovascular system	
	Analgesics and anti-inflammatory drugs	
	Drugs that affect the digestive tract	
	Drugs that affect the endocrine system	
	Family planning and immunization	
	Pharmacodynamics with ref to toxicity, adverse drug reactions and	
	interactions, drugs in pregnancy, lactation, children and elderly; Adverse	
	drug events and reporting mechanisms	
Primary Health	General Aspects of Drug Therapy	CA
Care IV	Pharmacokinetics and Pharmacodynamics	
PRHC401	Administration of drugs to patients	
	Adverse effects of drugs	
	Drugs affecting the autonomic, somatic and sensory nervous system	
	Central nervous system	
	Haemopoietic system	
	Respiratory system	
	Digestive tract	
	Analgesics and anti-inflammatory drugs; Antihistamines	
	Hormones and hormone antagonists	
	Antimicrobial and other anti-infective drugs	
	Cardiovascular drugs	
	Poisoning and drug treatment in emergencies	
	Cough /Emphysema	
	Ulcers / Constipation / Diarrhea	
	Poisoning and Emergency drug treatment	

6.9 BACHELOR OF HEALTH SCIENCES: RADIOGRAPHY

MODULE (CODE)	LEARNING AREAS/CONTENT	ASSESSMENT PLAN
Anatomy I	Introduction to Anatomy	CA
ANTMIOI	Musculoskeletal Anatomy	
Anatomy II	Thorax	CA
ANTM201	Abdomen and Pelvis	
	Limbs and Back	
	Neuroanatomy	
	Head and Neck	
Physiology IA	Introduction	CA
PYSAI0I	Nervous System	
	Endocrine System	
Physiology IB	Cardiovascular System	CA
PYSBI01	Respiratory System	
	Renal System	
	Lymphatic & Immunity	
	Reproductive System	
	Gastro-intestinal system	

6.10 NATIONAL DIPLOMA: SOMATOLOGY

MODULE (CODE)	LEARNING AREAS/CONTENT	ASSESSMENT PLAN
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Anatomy and Physiology for Somatology APHA101	Introduction to living organisms, Cell - cell metabolism, Tissues, Integumentary System, Muscular System, Skeletal System, Nervous System, Senses, Endocrine System	CA
Anatomy and Physiology for Somatology APHB101	Cardiovascular System, Blood, Heart & Vessels, Lymphatic System, Respiratory Systems, Digestive System, Urinary System, Reproductive System	CA
Disease Fundamentals DSFD101	Overview of disease processes and fundamental terminology. Disorders of cells and tissues, skin, bone, joints, muscles and pregnancy. Disorders in the neurological, digestive, endocrine, cardiovascular, lymphatic, immune, respiratory, renal and reproductive systems	CA
Basic Pharmacology I BSPH101	Introduction and basic pharmacology Care and control of Medicines Pharmacokinetics and Pharmacodynamics Male and Female Hormones and Contraceptives Topical Dermatologicals Drugs acting on the heart and blood Antimicrobials Drugs acting on the GIT Drugs acting on the CNS Drugs in endocrine disorders	CA

6.11 HIGHER CERTIFICATE: DENTAL ASSISTING

MODULE (CODE)	LEARNING AREAS/CONTENT	ASSESSMENT PLAN
Pharmacology for	Introduction to Pharmacology Terminology	CA
Dental Assisting	Pharmacokinetics	
PHDA101	Pharmacodynamics	
	Analgesics	
	Antimicrobials	
	Sedative / hypnotics	
	Miscellaneous Classes	
	Drug Interactions	
	Prescription Writing	