

Course Description Form

1. Course Name:	
Biochemistry II (Theoretical+ Practical)	
2. Course Code:	
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3. Semester / Year:	
2 nd Semester/3 rd year	
4. Description Preparation Date:	
01/02/2025	
5. Available Attendance Forms:	
Students' signature on attendance sheet	
6. Number of Credit Hours (Total) / Number of Units (Total)	
3 hours Theoretical + 2 hours Practical (75) /4 units	
7. Course administrator's name	
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8. Course Objectives	
Course Objectives The course teaches the biochemical processes by which all living organisms sustain life. Metabolism is the sum of all chemical processes occurring within living cells and organisms.	The course detailed the biochemical reactions that accompanied the metabolism of carbohydrates, proteins, and lipids
9. Teaching and Learning Strategies	
Strategy	Lecturing Seminars Homework Quiz

		Practical laboratory demonstrations, clinical blood tests, and general urine examination.			
10. Course Structure					
Week	Hours	Required Learning Outcomes	Unit or subject name	Learning method	Evaluation method
1	3+2	Biomedical importance Free energy Coupling of endergonic and exergonic reactions The role of ATP Adenylyl kinase interconverts adenine nucleotides	Bioenergetic	Theoretical lectures Laboratory experiments	Paper-based exams
2	3+2	free energy changes can be expressed in terms of redox potential, oxidases use oxygen as a hydrogen acceptor, many dehydrogenases depend on nicotinamide coenzymes hydroperoxidases use hydrogen peroxide or an organic peroxide as substrate	Biologic oxidation	Theoretical lectures Laboratory demonstration	Paper-based exams
3	3+2	Respiratory Chain Complexes The Chemiosmotic Theory ATP Synthase Amount of energy produced via oxidative phosphorylation vs. substrate level phosphorylation Inhibitors of The Respiratory Chain Respiratory Chain Control and the Action of Uncouplers Transfer of reducing equivalents through the inner mitochondrial membrane	The respiratory chain and oxidative phosphorylation.	Theoretical lectures Laboratory demonstration	Paper-based exams
4	3+2	Introduction Levels of organization of metabolic pathways Regulation of the Flux of Metabolites through Metabolic Pathways Clinical Aspects	Overview metabolism		

5	3+2	Reactions of the Citric Acid Cycle Energetics of the Citric Acid Cycle Roles of the B vitamins in the Citric Acid Cycle Anaplerotic reactions Regulation of the Citric Acid Cycle	Citric acid Cycle	Theoretical lectures Laboratory demonstration	Paper-based exams
6	3+2	Reactions of the Glycolysis The Fates of Pyruvate Glycolysis and Pyruvate dehydrogenase Regulation Clinical Aspects	Glycolysis	Theoretical lectures Laboratory experiments	Paper-based exams
7	3+2	Biomedical importance Glycogenesis, Glycogenolysis The regulation of glycogenesis and glycogenolysis	Metabolism of glycogen	Theoretical lectures Laboratory demonstration	Paper-based exams
8	Mid-term exam				
9	3+2	Biomedical importance Gluconeogenesis reactions Regulation of gluconeogenesis Cori cycle	Gluconeogenesis	Theoretical lectures Laboratory demonstration	Paper-based exams
10	3+2	Biomedical importance PPP reactions Uronic acid pathway Fructose metabolism Galactose metabolism Metabolism of amino sugars	Pentose phosphate pathway and other pathways of hexose metabolism	Theoretical lectures Laboratory demonstration	Paper-based exams
11	3+2	Biomedical importance Lipogenesis reactions The source of acetyl-coA and NADPH Elongation of fatty acids Regulation of lipogenesis Biosynthesis of unsaturated fatty acids.	Biosynthesis of fatty acids	Theoretical lectures Laboratory demonstration	Paper-based exams
12	3+2	Biomedical importance Carnitine cycle	Oxidation of fatty acids	Theoretical lectures	Paper-based exams

		Reactions of fatty acid oxidation Energy production from fatty acid oxidation Oxidation of unsaturated fatty acids Ketogenesis The regulation of ketogenesis		Laboratory demonstration	
13	3+2	Biomedical importance Biosynthesis of acylglycerols Biosynthesis of alkylglycerols Degradation of acylglycerols Biosynthesis of sphingolipids Biosynthesis of glycolipids	Metabolism of acylglycerol and sphingolipids	Theoretical lectures Laboratory demonstration	Paper-based exams
14	3+2	Biomedical importance Structure of lipoproteins Metabolism of lipoproteins Storage and hydrolysis of triacylglycerol	Lipid transport and storage	Theoretical lectures Laboratory demonstration	Paper-based exams
15	3+2	Cholesterol synthesis, transport, and excretion	Cholesterol	Theoretical lectures Laboratory demonstration	Paper-based exams
16	3+2	Transamination Assimilation of free ammonia Modification of the carbon skeletons of existing amino acids synthesis of hydroxyproline, hydroxylysine, and selenocysteine	Biosynthesis of the Nutritionally Nonessential Amino Acids	Theoretical lectures Laboratory demonstration	Paper-based exams
17	3+2	Introduction Deamination Urea cycle reactions, regulation, and disposal of urea Metabolic Disorders of Urea cycle.	Catabolism of Proteins & of Amino Acid Nitrogen	Theoretical lectures Laboratory demonstration	Paper-based exams
18	3+2	Specific keto acid products of deaminated amino acids	Catabolism of the Carbon Skeletons of Amino Acids	Theoretical lectures	Paper-based exams

		One-carbon units metabolism Metabolic diseases of amino acids catabolism		Laboratory demonstration	
19	3+2	Conversion of Amino Acids to Specialized Products	Conversion of Amino Acids to Specialized Products	Theoretical lectures Laboratory demonstration	Paper-based exams
20	3+2	Introduction Biosynthesis of Heme: reactions, regulation, and disorders Catabolism of Heme	Porphyrins & Bile Pigments	Theoretical lectures Laboratory demonstration	Paper-based exams
21	Students' seminars				
11. Course Evaluation					
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 20 M Theoretical assessment; (paper-based mid-term exam + quiz + attendance + seminar)• 20 M practical assessment (attendance + quiz + practice)• 60 M paper-based theoretical final exam <hr/> <p>100 M total</p>					
12. Learning and Teaching Resources					
Required textbooks			Harper's Illustrated Biochemistry 29 th edition		
Main references (sources)			Lippincott-biochemistry-6th-edition 2014		
Electronic References, Websites			https://pbthru.com/biochemistry-basics https://www.lecturio.com/medical-courses/biochemistry-basics.course#/		