

Course Detailed Description – Procedures of the Course Plan Committee /Faculty of Pharmacy	QF02/0408–2.1E
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Department	Pharmacy
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Course Name	Pharmaceutical Biochemistry	Course No.	201313
Prerequisite	Pharmaceutical organic chemistry	Credit Hours	3
Number & date of course plan approval	2015-2016	Brief Description	See form QF02/0409

Course Objective	To understand the structure, metabolism and function of the three major dietary components; protein, carbohydrate and fat, including the chemical reactions involved in their metabolic pathways, in addition to understanding enzymes and how they catalyze biological reactions.
Intended Learning Outcomes	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Describe the molecular & functional organization of a cell & list its subcellular & components. 2. Delineate structure, function & interrelationship of various biomolecules 3. Summarize the fundamental aspects of enzymology & clinical applications Describe digestion & assimilation of nutrients & consequences of malnutrition. 4. Integrate the various aspects of metabolism & their regulatory pathways. 5. Explain biochemical basis of inherited disorders 6. Describe mechanisms involved in maintenance of body fluid & pH homeostasis. 7. Suggest experiments to support theoretical concepts & clinical diagnosis. 8. Understand different types of Bio-medical waste, their potential risks.
Course Topics	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Chemical and Biologic Foundations 2. Fuel Oxidation and the Generation 3. Carbohydrate Metabolism 4. Lipid Metabolism 5. Nitrogen Metabolism 6. Protein metabolism 7. Tissue Metabolism
Text Books	<p>1- Marks' basic medical biochemistry :a clinical approach / Michael Lieberman, Allan Marks ; illustrations by Mathew Chansky.—3rd ed Copyright © 2009</p> <p>2- Harper's Illustrated Biochemistry, 28e Robert K. Murray, David A Bender, Kathleen M. Botham, Peter J. Kennelly, Victor W. Rodwell, P. Anthony Weil</p> <p>Copyright © 2009 by The McGraw-Hill Companies, Inc.</p>

References	Lippincott's Illustrated Reviews: Biochemistry, 4th Edition Pamela C. Champe, Richard A. Harvey, Denise R. Ferrier			
Grade Determination	1 st Exam = 25% 2 nd Exam = 25% Final Exam = 50%	Practical Course Grade Determination	Course Work = 50% (Reports, Term Papers, Quizes) Final Exam = 50%	
Course Outline				
Week	Hours	Subjects	Chapters in Textbook	Notes
1	1	Amino Acids	1	
1	2	Structure of Protein	2	
2	1 1 1	Enzymes as Catalysts Regulation of Enzymes	5	
3	1 1 1	Electron-Transport chain Oxidative Phosphorylation	6	
4	1	Introduction to Carbohydrates Digestion, Absorption, and Transport of Carbohydrates	7	
5	1 1 1	Generation of ATP from Glucose: Glycolysis	8	
6	1 1 1	Tricarboxylic Acid Cycle	9	
7	1 1 1	Gluconeogenesis and Maintenance of Blood Glucose Levels	10	
8	1 1 1	Pentose Phosphate Pathway Biochemistry of Erythrocytes	13	
9	1 1 1	Digestion, Absorption and Transport of Dietary Lipids	15	
10	1 1 1	Synthesis of Fatty Acids, Triacylglycerols, and the Major Membrane Lipids	16	
Week	Hours	Fatty Acid and Triacylglycerol Metabolism	Chapters in Textbook	Notes
11	1 1	Cholesterol, Metabolism and Fate	18	



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12	1 1 1	Amino Acids: Disposal of Nitrogen	19	
13	1 1 1	Amino Acid Degradation and Synthesis	20	
14	1 1 1	Hormonal Regulation of Metabolism	3+5+8+9	

Approved by Dept. Chair		Date of Approval	
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