SEMESTER-IV

COURSE 4: ANIMAL PHYSIOLOGY: LIFE SUSTAINING SYSTEMS

Theory Credits: 3 3 hrs/week

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- To acquire knowledge of organ systems function.
- To develop the ability to integrate physiology from the cellular and molecular level to the organ system and organismic level of organization.
- To Effectively read, evaluate and communicate scientific information related to physiological processes in the body.
- To gain a deep knowledge of current topics in physiology.

LEARNING OUTCOMES:

The overall course outcome is that the student shall develop deeper understanding of concepts of Physiology. This course will provide students with a deep knowledge in physiology by the completion of the course the graduate shall able to –

- Understand the physiology of digestion and hormonal control of digestion
- Develop a comprehensive picture of respiratory physiology
- Acquire knowledge on the Renal physiology
- Understand the physiology of Nerve and muscle
- Understand the physiology of heart

SYLLABUS:

UNIT-I: Physiology of Digestion

- 1.1 Structural organization and functions of gastrointestinal tract and associated glands;
- 1.2 Vitamins & Mineral composition of food & Mechanical and chemical digestion of food;
- 1.3 Absorptions of carbohydrates, lipids, proteins, water, minerals and vitamins;
- 1.4 Hormonal control of secretion of enzymes in Gastrointestinal tract.

Activity: Assignment /Students Seminar/Quiz/Project/Peer teaching/Report writing after watching any video on the above /Chart preparation on the hormonal control of secretion of enzymes Evaluation: Instructor supposed to prepare a detailed Rubrics for the evaluation of the above activity

UNIT-II: Physiology of Respiration

- 2.1 Structural organization of Respiratory system, Mechanism of respiration, Control of respiration
- 2.2 Pulmonary ventilation; Respiratory volumes and capacities;
- 2.3 Transport of oxygen in blood and dissociation curves and the factors influencing it
- 2.4 Transport of Carbon dioxide in blood; dissociation curves and the factors influencing it, Carbon monoxide poisoning

Activity: Assignment /Students Seminar/Quiz/Project/Peer teaching/Report writing after watching any video on the above /Group discussion on the CO poisoning/Debate on the dissociation curves

Evaluation: Instructor supposed to prepare a detailed Rubrics for the evaluation of the above activity

UNIT-III: Renal Physiology

- 3.1 Structure of kidney and its functional unit
- 3.2 Mechanism of urine formation
- 3.3 Regulation of water balance
- 3.4 Regulation of acid-base balance

Activity: Assignment /Students Seminar/Quiz/Project/Peer teaching/Report writing after watching any video on the above /Group discussion on the Urine formation/Working model of Kidney Evaluation: Instructor supposed to prepare a detailed Rubrics for the evaluation of the above activity

UNIT-IV: Physiology of exciting tissues

- 4.1 Neuron structure and types
- 4.2 Nerve impulse transmission-(Myelinated, Non-myelinated, synaptic)
- 4.3 Ultra structure of muscle
- 4.4 Molecular and chemical basis of muscle contraction

Activity: Assignment /Students Seminar/Quiz/Project/Peer teaching/Report writing after watching any video on the above /Group discussion on the impulse trasnmisson/Debate on the dissociation curves

Evaluation: Instructor supposed to prepare a detailed Rubrics for the evaluation of the above activity

UNIT- V: Physiology of Heart

- 5.1 Structure of mammalian heart, Coronary circulation;
- 5.2 Structure and working of conducting myocardial fibers. Origin and conduction of cardiac impulses
- 5.3 Cardiac Cycle-Cardiac output and its regulation
- 5.4 Nervous and chemical regulation of heart rate. Blood pressure and its regulation

Activity: Assignment /Students Seminar/Quiz/Project/Peer teaching/Report writing after watching any video on the above /Group discussion on the phases of Cardiac output /case study on the Blood Pressure

Evaluation: Instructor supposed to prepare a detailed Rubrics for the evaluation of the above activity

Co-curricular activities (Suggested)

- Chart on cardiac cycle, human lung, kidney/nephron structure etc.
- Working model of human / any mammalian heart.
- Working model of human / any mammalian urine formation
- Chart/model of sarcomere
- Chart/model on nerve impulse transmission

REFERENCES BOOKS:

- Eckert H. Animal Physiology: Mechanisms and Adaptation. W.H. Freeman & Company.
- Floray E. An Introduction to General and Comparative Animal Physiology. W.B.Saunders Co., Philadelphia.
- Goel KA and Satish KV. 1989. *A Text Book of Animal Physiology*, RastogiPublications, Meerut, U.P.
- Hoar WS. General and Comparative Physiology. Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi.
- Lehninger AL. Nelson and Cox. Principles of Biochemistry. Lange Medical Publications, New Delhi.
- Prosser CL and Brown FA. *Comparative Animal Physiology*. W.B. SaundersCompany, Philadelphia.

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Practical Credits: 1 2 hrs/week

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- To acquire knowledge of anatomy of certain important organs.
- To develop the ability to test the biological sample like saliva and urine.
- To Effectively estimate the blood haemoglobin.
- To Acquire skill to use the sphygmomanometer in recording blood pressure.
- To observe the ECG

SYLLABUS:

- 1. Examination of sections of mammalian oesophagus, stomach, duodenum, ileum, rectum liver, trachea, lung, kidney
- 2. Study of activity of Salivary amylase under optimum condition
- 3. Qualitative tests for identification of Carbohydrates
- 4. Qualitative tests for identification of Proteins
- 5. Qualitative tests for identification of Fats
- 6. Urine test for sugar, albumin
- 7. Estimation of haemoglobin using Sahli's haemoglobinometer
- 8. Recording of blood pressure using a sphygmomanometer
- 9. Recording of frog's heart beat under in situ and perfused conditions
- 10. ECG observation- Spotting/identification of curves from the given ECG

RFERENCE WEB LINKS:

- https://www.vlab.co.in/participating-institute-amrita-vishwa-vidyapeetham
- https://library.csi.cuny.edu/oer/virtuallabs-simulations#anatomy
- https://www.labster.com/simulations?course-packages=animal-physiology
- http://www.zoologyresources.com/uploadfiles/books/dc64b77d8769325515d17c945e461b45.pdf
- https://physiology.elte.hu/gyakorlat/jegyzet/Physiology Pactical (2013).pdf
