

Name of Faculty	:	Faculty of Nursing	
Name of Program	:	Basic B.Sc. Nursing	
Course Code	:	2BSN02	
Course Title	:	Applied Nutrition and Dietetics	
Type of Course	:	PC	
Year of Introduction	:	2023-24	

Pre requisite	:	Basic Knowledge of Applied Nutrition and Dietetics Subject
Course Objective	:	The course is designed to assist the students to acquire basic knowledge and understanding of the principles of Nutrition and Dietetics and apply this knowledge in the practice of Nursing.
Course Outcomes	:	On completion of the course, the students will be able to
	CO1	Identify the importance of nutrition in health and wellness.
	CO2	Apply nutrient and dietary modifications in caring patients.
	CO3	Explain the principles and practices of Nutrition and Dietetics
	CO4	Identify nutritional needs of different age groups and plan a balanced diet for them.
	CO5	Identify the dietary principles for different diseases.
	CO6	Plan therapeutic diet for patients suffering from various disease conditions.
	CO7	Prepare meals using different methods and cookery rules.



Course Content

Unit No.	Topics	Teaching Hours	Weightage	Mapping With COs
Ι	Introduction to Nutrition			
	Concepts			
	Definition of Nutrition & Health			
	Malnutrition- Under Nutrition & Over Nutrition			
	Role of Nutrition in maintaining health			
	Factors affecting food and nutrition			
	Nutrients	02	3.33%	CO1
	Classification			
	Macro & Micronutrients			
	Organic & Inorganic			
	Energy Yielding & Non-Energy Yielding			
	Food			
	Classification-Food groupsOrigin			
II	Carbohydrates			
	Composition -starches, sugar and cellulose			
	 Recommended Daily Allowance(RDA) 			
	 Dietary sources 			
	Functions	03	05%	CO2,CO3
	Energy		0570	,
	Unit of energy-Kcal			
	 Basal Metabolic Rate(BMR) 			
	 Factors affecting BMR 			
III	Proteins			
	Composition			
	Eight essential amino acids			
	Functions	03	05 %	CO2, CO3
	Dietary sources			
	Protein requirements-RDA			
IV	Fats			
	Classification-saturated &unsaturated			
	Calorie value	00		
	Functions	02	3.33 %	CO2, CO3
	• Dietary sources of fats and fatty acids			
	Fat requirements-RDA			

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V	Vitamins			
·	Classification-fat soluble & water soluble			
	• Fat soluble-Vitamins A, D, E, and K			
	• Water soluble-Thiamine (vitamin B1), Riboflavin (vitamin B2), Nicotinic acid, Pyridoxine (vitamin B6), Pantothenic acid, Folic acid, Vitamin B12, Ascorbic acid (vitamin C)	03	05 %	CO2, CO3
	• Functions, Dietary Sources & Requirements- RDA of every vitamin			
VI	Minerals			
	 Classification- Major minerals (Calcium, phosphorus, sodium, potassium, and magnesium)and Trace elements Functions Dietary Sources Requirements-RDA 	03	05 %	CO2, CO3
VII	Balanced diet			
	Definition, principles, steps			
	 Food guides – Basic Four Food Groups 			
	• RDA – Definition, limitations, uses			
	Food Exchange System			
	Calculation of nutritive value of foods			
	Dietary fibre			
	Nutrition across life cycle			
	 Meal planning/Menu planning – Definition, principles, steps 			
	• Infant and Young Child Feeding (IYCF) guidelines- breast feeding, infant foods	07	25 %	CO2, ,CO4
	• Diet plan for different age groups- Children, adolescents and elderly			
	• Diet in pregnancy- nutritional requirements and balanced diet plan			
	• Anemia in pregnancy-diagnosis, diet for anemic pregnant women, iron & folic acid supplementation and counseling			
	 Nutrition in lactation-nutritional requirements, diet for lactating mothers, complementary feeding/weaning 			
VIII	Nutritional deficiency disorders			
	• Protein energy malnutrition- magnitude of the problem, causes, classification, signs	06	10 %	CO2, CO6



	 &symptoms, Severe acute malnutrition (SAM), management & prevention, nurses 'role Childhood obesity-Signs & symptoms, assessment, management & prevention and nurses' role Vitamin deficiency disorders- vitamin A, B, C & D deficiency disorders: causes, signs & symptoms, management & prevention and nurses 'role Mineral deficiency diseases-iron, iodine and calcium deficiencies: causes, signs & symptoms, management & prevention and nurses' role 			
IX	 Therapeutic diets Definition, Objectives, Principles Modifications – Consistency, Nutrients, Feeding techniques. Diet in Diseases – Obesity, Diabetes Mellitus, CVD, Underweight, Renal diseases Hepatic disorders Constipation, Diarrhea, Pre and Post operative period 	04	18.34 %	CO2, CO5,CO6
x	 Cookery rules and preservation of nutrients Cooking - Methods, Advantages and Disadvantages Preservation of nutrients Measures to prevent loss of nutrients during preparation Safe food handling and Storage of foods Food preservation Food additives and food adulteration Prevention of Food Adulteration Act (PFA) Food standards 	03	05%	CO2,CO7
XI	 Nutrition assessment and nutrition education Objectives of nutritional assessment Methods of assessment-clinical examination, anthropometry, laboratory & biochemical assessment, assessment of dietary intake including Food frequency questionnaire (FFQ)method Nutrition education-purposes, principles and methods 	04	6.67 %	CO2, CO1



XII	National Nutritional Programmes and role of nurse			
	Nutritional problems in India			
	National nutritional policy			
	 National nutritional programmes: Vitamin Supplementation, Anemia Mukt Bharat Programme, Integrated Child Development Services (ICDS), Mid-day Meal Scheme (MDMS), National Iodine Deficiency Disorders Control Programme (NIDDCP), Weekly Iron Folic Acid Supplementation (WIFS) an others as introduced Role of nurse in every programme 	03	05 %	CO2,CO1
XIII	Food safety			
	Definition, Food safety considerations &			
	Measures			
	• Food safety regulatory measures in India			
	– Relevant Acts			
	• Five keys to safer food	02	3.33	CO1
	• Food storage, food handling and cooking	02	5.55	COI
	General principles of food storage of			
	fooditems (ex. milk, meat)			
	Role of food handlers in food borne			
	Diseases			
	 Essential steps in safe cooking practices 			

	Suggested distribution of Theory Marks Using Bloom's Taxonomy					
Level	RemembranceUnderstandingApplicationAnalyseEvaluateCreate					
Weightage	25	30	30	5	5	5

NOTE: This specification table shall be treated as a general guideline for the students and the teachers. The actual distribution of marks in the question paper may vary slightly from above table.



Suggested List of Experiments/Tutorials

Sr.No.	Name of Experiment/Tutorial	Teaching Hours
1	Preparation of balanced diet for different categories, Low cost nutritious dishes	08
2	Lab session on preparation of therapeutic diets	07

Name of Laboratory Required

Sr.No.	Name of Laboratory
1	Nutrition lab

Reference Books

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1	A textbook of Biochemistry for B.sc Nursing by Pankaja Naik,, Jaypee Publication 1 st edition, 2022
2	Essentials of Biochemistry for B.sc Nursing students by Harbans lal, CBS publishers and Distributors
3	Textbook of Biochemistry for Paramedical students by P. Ramamoorthy, 2 nd edition,2021, Jaypee Publication
4	Applied Biochemistry for B.sc Nursing by Manjula shantaram, Jaypee Publication 2 nd edition, 2022
5	Concise textbook of Biochemistry for Paramedical students by DM Vasudevan and Sukhes Mukherjee, 2 nd edition 2021, Jaypee Publication
6	Textbook of Nutrition and Dietetics for B.sc Nursing students by Monika Sharma, 3 rd edition, CBS Publications.
7	A comprehensive textbook of Applied Nutrition and Dietetics by Parshan Sohi, 3 rd edition,2022, Jaypee Publications.
8	A comprehensive textbook of Nutrition for B.sc Nurses bu Rishi Avasthi, 1 st edition,2016, Jaypee Publication.
9	Applied Nutrition, Dietetics and Biochemistry for Basic B.sc Nursing By I clement, 2 nd editions, 2022, Jaypee Publication
10	Essentials of Nutrition and Dietetics for Nursing by Sheila John and Jasmine Devaselvam, 2 nd edition, Wolter kluwer publication.