

Post Graduate Certificate in Family Medicine (General Practice)

1-Program Specifications

Title	Post Graduate Certificate in Family Medicine (General Practice)
Awarding Institution	University of Health Sciences Lahore
Responsible Department	Department of Family Medicine
Total Duration	9 months
Total Contact Days	42
Modules	Module 1: Principles of Family Medicine Module 2:Minor Ailments and Public Health Module 3:Acute Care Module4:Chronic Disease Management Module 5:Maternal and Child Health Module 6:Practice of Family Medicine
Number of Students per batch	30
Fees	40,000 PKR
Training Sites	UHS DHQ Jhang Sharif Medical and Dental City Rashid Latif Medical College

2-Modules

Module Code	Name of Module	Contents
CFM 7501	Principles of Family Medicine	Principles of patient care in community Communication and clinical examination skills ECG /Chest Xray / Lab investigations
CFM 7502	Minor ailments and public health	Disease prevention and promoting health Minor disease management Research / Clinical Audit in General Practice
CFM 7503	Acute Care	Basic Life Support Common medical, surgical and trauma emergencies
CFM 7504	Chronic Disease Management	Diabetes, Hypertension, IHD, Mental Health Disorders Rheumatologic and dermatological problems
CFM 7505	Maternal and Child Health	Antenatal, labor and postnatal care Common gynecological disorders Contraception Immunization Child Assessment and health surveillance
CFM 7506	Practice of Family Medicine	Terminal care Financial and medico legal aspects of General Practice Referrals from primary care

3- Training Structure

Each student will attend:

- 24 One Day Workshops / Tutorials
- 18 OPD sessions

In addition, he /she will maintain a university provided portfolio during the course of the training. The portfolio will include record of clinical cases seen, professional meetings, tutorials, formative assessments and professional development plan.

4- Assessment

Each student will undergo formative assessments in the form of Case based discussions, Direct observation of procedural skills, clinical observation tool and summative assessment in the form of MCQ, Viva and Portfolio Evaluation.

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