

# The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Syllabus

**NUTRITION - 91115** 

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HU Credits: 2

<u>Degree/Cycle:</u> 1st degree (Bachelor)

Responsible Department: Nursing - Ein Kerem

Academic year: 0

Semester: 1st and/or 2nd Semester

<u>Teaching Languages:</u> Hebrew

Campus: Ein Karem

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Teaching Staff:

#### Dr. Limor Ben-Yacov

# Course/Module description:

The course presents the contribution of nutrition to health promotion, including, life Cycle and its nutritional requirement, nutritional assessment and nutritional care.

#### **Course/Module aims:**

- 1. Comprehending the basis of nutritional concepts
- 2. Perceiving the interrelationships between nutritional effects and metabolic systems in human health and disease states
- 3. Understanding the main dietary recommendations for health promotion and prevention of chronic diseases
- 4. Experiencing nutritional tools

# <u>Learning outcomes - On successful completion of this module, students should be able to:</u>

- Understand nutritional factors that impact health
- Present the major nutritional recommendations in health and disease
- Assess nutritional status
- Evaluate and compare food products
- Identify situations that require advice or intervention related to the patient's diet

## Attendance requirements(%):

There is no requirement

Teaching arrangement and method of instruction: On-line lectures and student discussions

# Course/Module Content:

- 1. Basic nutritional terms.
- 2. Central role of nutrients as energy suppliers, building blocks of body components or as modulators of metabolic processes.
- 3. Energy-balance; energy intake or expenditure components, body composition.
- 4. Macronutrients: proteins, lipids-functions, types, requirements, metabolism.
- 5. Carbohydrates, dietary fibers- functions, types, requirements, metabolism. The microbiome.
- 6. Impaired homeostasis of carbohydrates or lipid metabolism: diabetes mellitus,

lactose intolerance, constipation, dyslipidemia

- 7. Micronutrients vitamins & minerals
- 8. Summary of nutritional Recommendations, based on the Israeli Ministry of Health and the current academic literature
- 9. Nutritional aids such as food groups, nutritional labeling. The Mediterranean pyramid
- 10. Different physiological aspect of obesity, the metabolic syndrome.
- 11. Weight control: Weight regulation by nutritional and medical treatment.
- 12. Nutritional assessment including anthropometric and biochemical parameters

### Required Reading:

No requirement

# Additional Reading Material:

.2019. ההמלצות התזונתיות החדשות, אגף התזונה, משרד הבריאות הישראלי, 2019. https://health.gov.il/PublicationsFiles/dietary-guidelines.pdf
2. הנחיות תזונתיות לכלל האוכלוסייה בעת מגפת הקורונה, אגף התזונה, משרד הבריאות הישראלי, 2020.

https://govextra.gov.il/media/18223/nutd-214986720.pdf . 2014 , א. מזון ותזונה בבריאות ובחולי. האוניברסיטה הפתוחה, 3

4. Berman AT, Snyder S & Frandsen G. (Eds.) Kozier & Erb's Fundamentals of Nursing: Concepts, process and practice. (11th ed.). London, UK: Pearson Prentice Hall. (Nutrition chapter 46). 2020.

#### Course/Module evaluation:

End of year written/oral examination 100 %
Presentation 0 %
Participation in Tutorials 0 %
Project work 0 %
Assignments 0 %
Reports 0 %
Research project 0 %
Quizzes 0 %
Other 0 %

#### Additional information: