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NOTIFICATION

Sub: Amendment to Ordinance V

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Following addition be made to Appendix-II-A to the Ordinance V (2-A) of the Ordinances of the University;

Add the following:

The Syllabi of the following Programmes for Semester-VII and Semester-VIII under the Department of Home (Faculty of Science) based on Undergraduate Curriculum Framework 2022, are notified herewith for the information of all concerned:

1. BA (Prog.) Food Technology (**Appendix -1**)
2. B.A. Programme with Apparel Design & Construction (ADC) (**Appendix -2**)
3. B.A. (Prog.) with Human Development and Family Empowerment (**Appendix -3**)
4. B.A. (Prog.) with Nutrition and Health Education (NHE) (**Appendix -4**)
5. B.Sc. (Hons.) Home Science - Semester-VII (**Appendix -5**)
6. B.Sc. (Hons.) Home Science - Semester-VIII (**Appendix -6**)
7. B.Sc. (Prog.) Home Science – Semester-VII (**Appendix -7**)
8. B.Sc. (Prog.) Home Science – Semester-VIII (**Appendix -8**)
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B.A (Prog) with Nutrition and Health Education (NHE) as Major

Category-II

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE – DSC-13-NHE: PUBLIC HEALTH NUTRITION

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility Criteria	Prerequisite of the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical / Practice		
Public Health Nutrition	4	3	NIL	1	Class XII	DSC-NHE- 2

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

1. To explain the multidisciplinary nature, scope, and current concerns of public health nutrition and the role of nutritionists in healthcare systems.
2. To apprise the relevance of assessing nutritional status and the various tools/techniques for assessment of nutritional status.
3. To familiarize the students with the prevalence, etiology, clinical features, prevention, and management of major nutritional deficiency diseases.
4. To equip students with the practical skills in nutritional assessment, low-cost meal planning, and analyzing food security through case studies.

LEARNING OUTCOMES:

After completion of the course students will be able to:

1. Define public health nutrition and understand its interdisciplinary approach.
2. Assess nutritional status using both direct and indirect methods.
3. Gain knowledge of the common nutritional deficiency diseases and their management.
4. Develop practical skills in conducting dietary assessments and planning nutrition interventions for at-risk populations.

SYLLABUS OF DSC-13

THEORY
(Credits 3: 45 Hours)

UNIT 1: Public Health Nutrition and Health Care Systems (10 Hours)

- This unit will emphasize the multidisciplinary approach to improving population health through nutrition. It will also explore the role of public health nutritionists, health determinants, dimensions and healthcare delivery systems across various levels.
- *Subtopics:*
 - Definition and multidisciplinary nature of public health nutrition
 - Significance and emerging concerns in public health nutrition
 - Role of public health nutritionist
 - Health – definition, dimensions, determinants and indicators
 - Health care delivery system

UNIT 2: Assessment of nutritional status (10 Hours)

- This unit will equip the students the various methods of assessing nutritional status, objectives and importance.

- *Subtopics:*
 - Objectives and importance of assessment of nutritional status of individual and population groups
 - Methods of Assessment of Nutritional status of Individual and Population groups
 - Direct methods: Anthropometric assessment, Biochemical and biophysical assessment, Clinical examination, Dietary Assessment
 - Indirect methods: Health and Morbidity Indicators, Vital Statistics, Ecological factors

UNIT 3: Nutritional Deficiency Diseases/Disorders (15 Hours)

- This unit will introduce the students with the causes, symptoms, management, prevention of the following nutritional deficiency diseases/disorders:
- *Subtopics:*
 - Protein Energy Malnutrition, Moderate Acute Malnutrition, Severe Acute Malnutrition
 - Micronutrient deficiencies (Vitamin A deficiency, Nutritional anaemia, Iodine deficiency disorders, Vitamin D deficiency, Zinc deficiency, Fluorosis)

UNIT 4: Food and Nutrition Security (10 Hours)

- This unit will explore the aspects of food and nutrition security, focusing on definitions, methods and challenges. It will also examine the National Programmes in this area.
- *Subtopics:*
 - Definitions, indicators, determinants and challenges
 - Methods for attaining food and nutrition security
 - National programmes for ensuring food and nutrition security

**PRACTICAL
(Credit 1: 30 hours)**

1. Assessment of nutritional status:

- Anthropometry (height, weight, BMI, middle upper arm circumference, hip circumference, waist circumference, waist hip ratio)
- Dietary Assessment methods
- Clinical examination

2. Planning and preparation of low cost nutritious snacks for vulnerable groups:

- Protein Energy Malnutrition
- Nutritional Anemia
- Vitamin A deficiency

3. Case Studies

- Analysis of food security in India vs. other countries
- Success stories from nutrition security programmes

ESSENTIAL/RECOMMENDED READINGS:

- Park, K. (2021). *Park's Textbook of Preventive and Social Medicine* (26th ed.). Banarasidas Bhanot Publishers.
- Vir, S. (2023). *Child, adolescent and women nutrition in India: Public Policies, programme and progress*. KW Publishers, Daryaganj, New Delhi, India.
- FAO. (2023). *The state of food security and nutrition in the world 2023: Transforming food systems for affordable healthy diets*. Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations. <https://www.fao.org/publications/sofi/en/>

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B.A (Prog) with Nutrition and Health Education (NHE) as Major

Category-II

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE – DSC-14-NHE: THERAPEUTIC NUTRITION

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course Title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Therapeutic Nutrition	4	3	NIL	1	Class XII	NIL

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

- To impart students' basic knowledge on the role of diet in various disease conditions
- To understand principle of diet therapy, modification of normal diet for therapeutic purposes, role of dietician
- To develop skills in planning and preparation of therapeutic diets for various conditions

LEARNING OUTCOMES:

After completion of the course, the students will be able to:

- Describe therapeutic adaptations of normal diet
- Create an understanding regarding etiology, clinical features, dietary and nutritional management of common diseases like febrile conditions, gastrointestinal disorders, food allergy etc.
- Understand the risk factors, complications and dietary management of lifestyle disorders like diabetes, hypertension, atherosclerosis and obesity.
- Conduct market survey of therapeutic items

SYLLABUS OF DSC-NHE-14

THEORY
(Credits: Hours)

UNIT I: Nutrition Care Process

(8 Hours)

- This unit will focus on basics of nutrition care process, role of dietician, modification of normal diet into therapeutic diet and types of diets and special feeding methods.

- *Subtopics:*

- Rationale for Nutrition Support
- Organization of Nutrition Support Services (Role of Dietician)
- Dietary Modifications and types of diet
- Special Feeding Methods enteral, parenteral

UNIT II: Nutrition in Infection

(12 Hours)

- This unit will focus on etiology, clinical features, metabolic changes and dietary management during infections and GI disorders.

- *Subtopics:*

- Fever (Acute and Chronic)
- HIV AIDS
- Upper GIT-GERD, Peptic Ulcers
- Intestinal-Diarrhea, Constipation, Inflammatory Bowel Disease
- Liver-Hepatitis

UNIT III: Lifestyle Related Disorders

(15 Hours)

- This unit will focus on etiology, clinical features, assessment methods, complications and nutritional management of various lifestyle related diseases.

- *Subtopics:*

- Overweight / Obesity
- Diabetes Mellitus
- Hypertension
- Metabolic Syndrome
- Cardiovascular- Atherosclerosis, Hypercholesterolemia
- Cancer

UNIT IV: Inborn Errors of Metabolism / Specialized Diets / Food Allergy

(10 Hours)

- This unit will focus on etiology and dietary modifications in inborn errors of metabolism / food allergy / specialized diets.

- *Subtopics:*

- Lactose Intolerance
- Celiac Disease
- Food Allergy
- Ketogenic Diet
- Purine Restricted Diet

PRACTICAL
(Credits 1: 30 Hours)

1. Market Survey of Therapeutic Foods
2. Planning of Therapeutic Diets
 - Normal Diet
 - Soft Diet
 - Clear Fluid Diet
 - Full Fluid Diet
3. Develop a Questionnaire regarding basic information of patients for dietary management
4. Planning and preparation for the full day's diet for the following conditions: -
 - Fevers – Acute and Chronic
 - Chronic Diarrhea
 - Constipation
 - Obesity
 - Diabetes
5. Planning and preparation of snack/dish for following diseases: -
 - Typhoid/Tuberculosis
 - Diabetes – Sweet and Savory Snack
 - Hypertension
 - Obesity
 - Diarrhea
6. Develop a handout/visual material for any one of the following: -
 - Diarrhea
 - Lactose Intolerance/Celiac Disease
 - Diabetes
 - Hypertension
 - Obesity
 - Metabolic Syndrome

ESSENTIAL/ RECOMMENDED READINGS (Theory and Practical):

- Khanna, K, Gupta, S, Passi, S.J, Seth, R, Mahana, R, Puri, S (2013). Textbook of Nutrition and Dietetics (2nd Edition). Elite Publishing House Pvt. Ltd.
- Srilakshmi, B (2023) (9th Edition). Dietetics. New Age International (P) Ltd Publishers.
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Pool of Discipline Specific Elective Course (DSE) for Odd Semesters(Vth and VIIth)

**B.A (Prog.) with Nutrition and Health Education (NHE)
Category-V**

**DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE
DSE-NHE 1: Basic Physiology of Digestive System**

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PREREQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course and Code	Title	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility Criteria	Prerequisite of the course
			Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
	Basic Physiology of Digestive System	4	3	1	0	XII Pass	NIL

Learning Objectives

- To impart knowledge about the basic structure of human digestive system.
- To explain the functioning of the human digestive system.
- To provide overview of the various disorders in relation with human digestive system.

Learning Outcomes

After completion of the course, the students will be able to:

- Understand the fundamentals of the human digestive system.
- Develop insight of functioning of the digestive system in the human body.
- Understand overview of the various diseases of human digestive system.

SYLLABUS OF DSE-NHE-1

**THEORY
(Credits 3; Hours 45)**

UNIT I: Fundamentals of Human Digestive System (10 Hours)

This unit explains the concept of the gross positioning and basic functioning of digestive system. It also imparts understanding about the contribution of different organ systems in relation to the digestive system.

- Overview of the gross structural positioning of digestive system in human body
- Contributions of different systems of human body in relation to the digestive system
- Functions of digestive system: ingestion, propulsion, digestion, absorption, and elimination
- Digestion and absorption of carbohydrates, fats, and proteins

UNIT II: Physiology of Gastrointestinal Tract (GIT) of Human Digestive System 14 Hours

This unit presents an understanding of the gross structure and functions of alimentary canal of digestive system and their correlation with specific disease conditions.

- Gross structure and functions of Gastro Intestinal Tract (GIT): mouth, pharynx, oesophagus, stomach, small intestine, large intestine, rectum and anal canal

UNIT III: Physiology of Accessory Organs of Human Digestive System (12 Hours)

This unit presents an understanding of structure and functions of accessory organs of the digestive system.

- Gross structure and functions of accessory organs of digestive system: teeth, tongue, salivary glands, liver, gallbladder, pancreas.

Unit IV Specific Disease Conditions in Correlation with Human Digestive System (9 Hours)

The unit presents an understanding of specific disease conditions in correlation with human digestive system.

- An overview of the diseases in correlation with alimentary canal/GIT: gastro oesophageal reflux disease (GERD), peptic ulcers, diarrhoea, constipation, irritable bowel syndrome etc.
- An overview of the diseases in correlation with accessory organs of digestive system: hepatitis, Non-alcoholic Fatty Liver Disease (NAFLD), liver cirrhosis, cholelithiasis, pancreatitis, diabetes etc.

TUTORIALS (Credits 1; Hours 15)

Tutorial classes will involve:

1. Q&A sessions/ Group Discussions/ Problem Solving exercises with the Students
2. Presentation of project/ research activity by students
3. Any other scholastic work related to application of conceptual understanding of the subject
4. Evaluation and feedback by the teacher

ESSENTIAL/ RECOMMENDED READINGS

- Jain, A. K. (2019). *Human Physiology for BDS*. (6th edn.). Avichal Publishing Company.
- Singh, H. D. (2010). *Handbook of basic human physiology for paramedical students*. S. Chand Publishing.
- *Manav evan igyan evum yog*, M.Y-104. Uttrakhand Mukta Vishwa Vidyalaya
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B.A (Prog.) with Nutrition and Health Education (NHE)
Category-V

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE
DSE-NHE-3: Recent Advances in Food and Nutrition

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PREREQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course Title and Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility Criteria	Prerequisite of the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Recent advances in food and nutrition	4	3	1	0	XII Pass	Nil

Learning Objectives

- To introduce students with the advances in food trends to fulfill developing health requirements.
- To equip them with knowledge of various recent advances in technologies in nutrition and food science.

Learning Outcomes

After completion of the course, the students will be able to:

- Develop understanding of modern approach to types of diet, and advancement in high altitude and space foods.
- Understand the multidisciplinary approaches in enrichment of nutrition.
- Understand and explore technologies involved in preparation and preservation of processed and convenience foods.
- Understand and explore different advanced methods of processing, preservation and packaging materials.

SYLLABUS OF DSE-NHE-3

THEORY
(Credits 3; Hours 45)

UNIT I: Recent Advances in Food for Health **12 Hours**

This unit will introduce diets and specified foods in order to attain desired health status by individuals

- Dietary approaches: Intermittent fasting, veganism, mediterranean diet, detox diet, gluten free diet, paleo diet, ketogenic diet, atkins diet, circadian rhythms diet.
- Recent advances with respect to functional foods, organic foods, nutraceuticals, dietary supplements, nutrigenomics, nutrigenetics, prebiotics, probiotics, synbiotics, postbiotics, high altitude and space foods.

UNIT II: Advanced Technologies to Enrich Nutrition **10 Hours**

This unit will explain the multidisciplinary approach in enrichment of nutrition.

- Food fortification
- Food biotechnology: role, application and concerns for the following:
 - Genetically modified foods
 - Biofortification
- WHO guidelines for fortified foods
- FSSAI regulations/standards for fortified foods

UNIT III: Technological Advancement in Food Processing

15 Hours

This unit will introduce different technologies involved in preparation and preservation of processed and convenience foods.

- Concept, application, advantages and disadvantages of the following techniques /technologies:
 - Extrusion technology
 - Microencapsulation
 - Nanotechnology
 - Ohmic heating
 - High-power ultrasound (HPU)
 - Electrohydrodynamic drying
 - Pulsed electric field (PEF)
 - Manothermosonication
 - High-pressure processing (HPP)
 - Food printing

UNIT IV: Advances in Food Packaging

8 Hours

This unit will introduce the advancement in different methods of food packaging.

- Sustainable food packaging: edible packaging, bioplastics
- Controlled atmosphere packaging (CAP) and Modified atmosphere packaging (MAP)
- Active, smart and intelligent packaging

TUTORIALS **(Credits 1; Hours 15)**

Tutorial classes will involve:

1. Q&A sessions/ Group Discussions/ Problem Solving exercises with the Students
2. Presentation of project/ research activity by students
3. Any other scholastic work related to application of conceptual understanding of the subject
4. Evaluation and feedback by the teacher

ESSENTIAL/ RECOMMENDED READINGS

- Srilakshmi, B. (2022). *Food Science* (7th edition). New Age International (P) Ltd.
- Fellows, P. J. (2022). *Food processing technology: Principles and Practice* (5th edn.). Woodhead publishing.
- Anjana, A., & Shobha, A. U. (2021). *Textbook of human nutrition* (3rd edn.). Jaypee Brothers medical publishers.
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B.A (Prog.) with Nutrition and Health Education (NHE)
Category-V

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE
DSE-NHE-5: Health and Nutrition for Women and Children

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PREREQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course Title and Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility Criteria	Prerequisite of the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Health and Nutrition for Women and Children	4	3	0	1	XII Pass	NIL

Learning Objectives

- To sensitize students towards the current scenario with respect to health and nutrition indicators for women and children
- To impart holistic knowledge about health and nutrition issues concerning women
- To educate students about various aspects of child health and nutrition including IYCF, immunization as well as problems of malnutrition
- To create awareness regarding Government of India's ongoing programmes for nutrition and health of women and children

Learning Outcomes

After completion of the course, the students will be able to:

- Understand the various dimensions of women's health and nutrition
- Explain every aspect of children's health and nutrition including breast feeding, complementary feeding, immunization and nutrition related problems
- Gain sufficient knowledge to be able to contribute to the efforts made by the government towards promoting health and nutrition of women and children

SYLLABUS OF DSE-NHE-5

THEORY (Credits 3; Hours 45)

UNIT I: Health and Nutrition for Non-pregnant, Non-lactating Women 12 Hours

This unit will familiarize the student with the current scenario and knowledge regarding nutrition and care for non-pregnant, non-lactating women.

- Nutrition situation of women in India
- Vital statistics related to health
- Importance of optimal nutrition for healthy life
- Nutritional concerns

UNIT II: Pregnancy and Lactation 12 Hours

This unit will address issues related to various aspects of health and nutrition of pregnant and lactating mothers.

- Health and nutritional considerations
- Factors affecting pregnancy outcomes and lactation performance
- Immunization/ vaccination during pregnancy
- Nutritional problems and their management

UNIT III: Infancy and Childhood 12 Hours

This unit will introduce all aspects of nutrition as well as other dimensions of child health.

- IYCF guidelines, first 1000 days
- Importance of appropriate nutrition during childhood
- Immunization: Universal Immunization programme, Intensified Mission Indradhanush 4.0
- Growth monitoring
- Malnutrition – Wasting, stunting and micronutrient deficiencies among children
– Childhood obesity
- Diarrhoea

UNIT IV: Women and Child Nutrition Programmes: 9 Hours

This unit will give a complete overview of the government's flagship programme 'Poshan Abhiyan' and other programmes to improve nutritional outcomes for women and children

- Poshan Abhiyan

- Aanganwadi services
- Pradhanmantri Surakshit Matritva Abhiyan
- Anemia mukt bharat
- Janani-Shishu Suraksha Karyakram
- Rashtriya Bal Swasthya Karyakram

PRACTICAL
(Credit 1; 30 Hours)

1. Development of questionnaire/ presentation on health and nutritional problems in NPNL women
2. Planning and preparing an educational aid on the following suggested topics:
 - adequate care and nutrition during pregnancy/ lactation
 - dietary management of anemia during pregnancy
 - breastfeeding
 - complementary feeding
 - importance and schedule of immunization
3. Plotting and interpreting growth charts
4. Demonstrate age-specific complimentary food preparation
5. Preparation of information card about Poshan Abhiyan activities

ESSENTIAL/ RECOMMENDED READINGS

- Bamji, M. S., Rao, N. P., Reddy, V. (2017). *Textbook of Human Nutrition*. (4th edn.). Oxford and IBH Publishing Co. Pvt Ltd.
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B.A (Prog) with Nutrition and Health Education (NHE)

Category-V

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE – DSE-NHE-7 : COMMUNICATION FOR HEALTHY FOOD PROMOTION

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PREREQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course Title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility Criteria	Prerequisite of the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Communication for Healthy Food Promotion	4	3	1	-	Class XII	NIL

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

1. To familiarize students with the concept of communication
2. To impart knowledge regarding the role of IEC in healthy food promotion
3. To build capacity of students for implementation and impact assessment of IEC in community and food industry

LEARNING OUTCOMES:

After completion of the course, the students will be able to:

1. Understand definition, functions, models and channels of communication
2. Explain the role of IEC materials in spreading nutrition awareness
3. Learn efforts made by governments towards promoting healthy food choices.

SYLLABUS OF DSE-NHE-7

THEORY (Credits 3: 45 Hours)

UNIT 1: Concept of communication (10 Hours)

- This unit will introduce the meaning of communication and explain its concepts and characteristics in detail.
- *Subtopics:*
 - Concepts of communication
 - a) Definition and functions
 - b) Models and scope
 - c) Communication process
 - d) Communication channels
 - e) Feedback in communication

UNIT 2: Communication methods and IEC based materials (11 Hours)

- This unit will explain the role of Information Education Communication (IEC) and Behaviour Change Communication (BCC) in healthy food promotion.
- *Subtopics:*
 - Introduction to IEC and its importance
 - Introduction to BCC and its importance
 - Communication approaches and audio-visual aids
 - Use of social media and mass media in healthy food promotion

UNIT 3: Changing trends in food choices (12 Hours)

- This unit will help follow the journey of changing patterns in food choices and the current attempts at developing healthy food behaviour
- *Subtopics:*
 - Factors influencing food choices
 - changes in socio-cultural environment
 - changes in food environment
 - Promoting healthy food choices
 - social marketing techniques
 - food labelling in India: health and nutrition claims
 - developing healthy food choices among children
 - Front of pack labelling around the world

UNIT 4: Government initiatives towards healthy food promotion: (12 Hours)

- *Unit Description:* This unit will familiarize students with initiatives taken by Government of India to promote healthful eating
- *Subtopics:*
 - Initiatives under FSSAI
 - Safe and nutritious food at workplace
 - Eat Right Movement
 - Calorie count of restaurant menus
 - Reducing trans fats in partially hydrogenated vegetable oils
 - Social and Behavioural Change Communication (SBCC) campaign under Poshan Abhiyan

**TUTORIALS
(Credits 1; Hours 15)**

Tutorial classes will involve:

1. Q&A sessions/ Group Discussions/ Problem Solving exercises with the students
2. Presentation of project/ research activity by students
3. Any other scholastic work related to application of conceptual understanding of the subject
4. Evaluation and feedback by the teacher

ESSENTIAL/RECOMMENDED READINGS:

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- Supe SV (2015). *Textbook of Extension Education* (2nd ed). Udaipur, Rajasthan: Agrotech Publishing.
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B.A (Prog) with Nutrition and Health Education (NHE)

Category-V

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE – DSE-9-NHE: SUSTAINABLE FOOD SYSTEM

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course Title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Sustainable Food System	4	3	1	NIL	Class XII	NIL

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

- To develop understanding regarding various sustainable food systems
- To familiarize students about nutrition and food security issues
- To determine how to adopt / practice sustainability in the food system

LEARNING OUTCOMES:

After completion of the course, the students will be able to:

- Describe concept and importance of sustainable food system
- Determine pillars of sustainable food system

- Comprehend nutrition and food security, its challenges and outcomes
- Analyze and interpret Sustainable Development Goals (SDG)

SYLLABUS OF DSE-NHE-9

THEORY (Credits: 45 Hours)

UNIT I: Sustainable Food System: Concept and Framework (14 Hours)

- This unit will focus on basics of sustainable food system, its pillars and concept of nutrition and food security
- *Subtopics:*
 - Introduction to sustainable food system
 - Concepts and Importance of sustainable food system
 - Pillars of sustainable food system and its interrelationship
 - Concept of Nutrition and Food Security

UNIT II: Characteristics of Sustainable Food System (10 Hours)

- This unit will focus on challenges of sustainable food system and progress to achieve nutrition and food security.
- *Subtopics:*
 - Outline of food industry and impact of biodiversity
 - Challenges of sustainable food system
 - Ways to achieve nutrition and food security

UNIT III: Approaches for Sustainability in Food System (12 Hours)

- This unit will focus on benefits of sustainable food system and Government initiatives.
- *Subtopics:*
 - Approaches for sustainable food system
 - Optimize Agricultural Land Use
 - Improve efficiency through supply chain
 - Understand impact of climate change
 - Shift to more sustainable diets
 - Action initiation by government

UNIT IV: Nourishing the Future (9 Hours)

- This unit will focus on SDG 2 for food sustainability and ways to achieve it and promote nutrition and food

security.

- *Subtopics:*
 - SDG 2 for food sustainability
 - Sustainable Food Production and Distribution
 - Future Goals and Ways to incorporate practices effectively
 - Promote Nutrition and Food Security

TUTORIAL
(Credits 1: 15 Hours)

Tutorial Classes will involve

1. Q & A Session / Group Discussion Exercise with the Students
2. Presentation of the Project / Research Activity by the Student
3. Any other Scholastic Work related to Application of Conceptual Understanding of the Subject
4. Evaluation and Feedback by the Teacher

ESSENTIAL/ RECOMMENDED READINGS:

- A Anjana; U.A. Shobha (2014); Textbook of Human Nutrition; Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers (P) Ltd.
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- Sporchia, F Antonelli, M; Aguliar-Martinez et al (2024) zero hunger; Future Challenges and the way forward towards the achievement of Sustainable Development Goal 2; Sustain Earth Review 7; (Accessed on 15.12.24) <https://rdcu.be/d3Dq7>

B.A (Prog.) with Nutrition and Health Education (NHE)

Category-V

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE
DSE-NHE-11: RESEARCH METHODS IN HOME SCIENCE
DSE HS 6-1: RESEARCH METHODS IN HOME SCIENCE

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical		
Research Methods in Home Science	4	3	0	1	XII Pass	NIL

Theory
45 Periods; Practical 30 Periods

Learning Objectives

1. To provide students understandings about the basic concepts, approaches and methods in conducting Home Science research.
2. To enable learners to appreciate and critique the nuances of designing a research study well.
3. To sensitize students towards ethical concerns while conducting Home Science research.

Learning Outcomes

1. Demonstrate knowledge of the scientific method, purpose and approaches to research in Home Science
2. Compare and contrast quantitative and qualitative research approaches
3. Explain different types of research design and their applicability in Home Science research
4. Understand the key elements of a research process
5. Explain ethical principles, issues and procedures

SYLLABUS OF DSE HS 6-1

THEORY (Credits 3; Hours 45)

UNIT I: Research Purpose and Design

10 Hours

This unit will deal with meaning and importance of research in various areas of Home Science. Exposure to different types of research designs and measurement in Home Science research would also be given.

- Meaning, purpose and significance of research
- Research as a scientific method
- Types of research
- Quantitative, Qualitative and mixed method approaches
- Research Designs –Experimental and Non-Experimental; Descriptive and Observational; Participatory research
- Internal and external validity of research design
- Variables, concepts and measurement in research
- Levels of measurement
- Units of analysis

UNIT II: Sampling and Research tools & techniques

15 Hours

This unit will introduce the student to the concept of sampling and methods used to draw sample from population using examples from Home Science discipline. Students would also learn about types of data, its collection and reliability and validity concerns.

- Role of sampling in research
- Sampling techniques and their applicability, Sample size and sampling error
- Types of data: Primary and Secondary
- Tools of data collection; types, construction and administration- Interview, Questionnaire, Observation, Focus group discussion and other methods
- Validity and reliability of data collection tools

UNIT III: The Research Process

15 Hours

This unit will elaborate upon the various steps involved in conducting and reporting researches in Home Science.

- Defining the problem, research questions, objectives, hypotheses
- Review of related literature and originality in writing
- Systematic research: concept and methodology
- Planning the research
- Identifying variables and constructing hypothesis
- Selecting appropriate research methodology and tools
- Data analysis: coding and tabulation
- Writing a research report: styles and formats
- Citation formats: in medical sciences, social sciences

UNIT IV: Values, Social Responsibility and Ethics in Research

5 Hours

This unit will apprise the students about ethical concerns while conducting and reporting research.

- Ethical principles guiding research: from inception to completion and publication of research
- Plagiarism and Academic integrity in research: plagiarism tools and software
- Ethical issues relating to research participants and the researcher
 - Rights, dignity, privacy and safety of participants
 - Informed consent, confidentiality, anonymity of respondents, voluntary participation, harm avoidance

PRACTICAL (Credits 1; Hours 30)

1. Data visualization
2. Levels of Measurement
3. Types of research designs
 - a. Experimental and non-experimental; Descriptive and observational
 - b. Qualitative, Quantitative and mixed method
4. Sampling techniques and sample size calculation
 - a. Probability sampling method
 - b. Non-Probability sampling methods
5. Tools of data collection- Interview schedule, questionnaire and FGD
 - Designing/ Construction
 - Preparation of tools for ethical review
 - Pilot testing/ validity and reliability of the tool\
6. Data collection and analysis process: conducting interviews, administering questionnaire
7. Coding and tabulation of data for analysis
8. Citation formats and Plagiarism
9. Reviewing a research paper from a specific area of specialization in Home Science

ESSENTIAL READINGS

- Kerlinger F. N. and Lee, H.B. (2017). *Foundations of Behavioral Research* 4th Ed. Harcourt College Publishers.

- Kothari, C. R. (2019). *Research Methodology: Methods and Techniques*. New Age International Pvt Ltd, New Delhi.
- Kothari, C. R. (2022). *Shodh Padhati* 1st Ed. New Age International Pvt Ltd, New Delhi.
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SUGGESTED READINGS

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- Creswell, J. W. (2009). *Research design: Qualitative, quantitative, and mixed methods approaches*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.
- Davis, A. M., Treadwell, D. (2019). *Introducing Communication Research: Paths of Inquiry*. United Kingdom: SAGE Publications.
- Flynn, J.Z., Foster, I.M. (2009). *Research Methods for the Fashion industry*. Fairchild books, Bloomsbury publishing.
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DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE DSE-NHE-13: DATA ANALYSIS AND STATISTICAL TOOLS

Credit Distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course Title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility Criteria	Prerequisite of the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Data Analysis and Statistical Tools	4	3	0	1	XII Pass	NIL

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- To provide an understanding of the basic statistical concepts and methods.
- To enable learners to collect, organize, summarize and present data using tables, graphs, and statistical plots.

- To gain the ability to collate, analyse and interpret the results of datasets using basic statistical tools and techniques.

LEARNING OUTCOMES

After completing this course, the learner will be able to:

- Explain fundamental statistical concepts and tools relevant to basic research.
- Summarize and visualize data effectively using descriptive statistics and statistical plots.
- Apply inferential statistical techniques to draw meaningful conclusions from sample data.
- Interpret and communicate statistical findings in the context of research.

SYLLABUS OF DSE-NHE-13

THEORY (Credits 3; Hours 45)

UNIT I: Fundamentals of Statistics

10 Hours

This unit establishes the foundational principles of statistics, focusing on its application in social sciences.

- Role and functions of statistics in social science and market research
- Types of Statistics: Descriptive and Inferential
- Types and Sources of Data
- Measurement Scales: Nominal, Ordinal, Interval, Ratio
- Importance of Reliability and Validity

UNIT II: Data Organization and Summarization

15 Hours

This unit focuses on summarizing and visualizing data for analysis and interpretation.

- Organising data: frequency distribution tables
- Statistical graphs and visual interpretation: Histogram, Pie Chart, Bar Graph, Line Graph, Frequency Polygon, Ogive
- Measures of Central Tendency for ungrouped and grouped data: Mean, Median, Mode
- Measures of Dispersion for ungrouped and grouped data:
 - Absolute dispersion (Range, Quartile deviation, Mean deviation, Standard Deviation, Variance)
 - Relative dispersion (Coefficient of Range, Coefficient of Quartile deviation, Coefficient of Mean deviation, Coefficient of Variance)
- Measures of Shape: Skewness and Kurtosis
- Measures of partition values – Quartile, Decile, Percentile, Percentile Rank for ungrouped and grouped data

UNIT III: Basic Statistical Concepts and tools used in Experimental Research

10 Hours

This unit introduces students to inferential tools and techniques used to explore relationships and trends in data.

- Basics of Probability: Concepts, laws of addition and multiplication
- Normal Distribution: Properties and application
- Correlation:
 - Karl Pearson's Coefficient
 - Spearman's Rank Correlation (Repeated and Non-Repeated)
- Linear regression (SLR)

UNIT IV: Hypothesis Testing and Statistical Analysis Techniques

10 Hours

This unit equips students with inferential statistical methods for decision-making.

- Sampling and Testing Hypotheses:
 - Null and Alternative Hypotheses
 - Level of Significance (α) and Confidence Level (c)
 - One-tailed vs Two-tailed tests
 - Type I and Type II Errors
- Introduction to Parametric and Non-Parametric tests

PRACTICAL (Credit 1; Hours 30)

1. **Introduction to Statistical Software:** Using spreadsheet application such as Excel for statistical analysis by inputting basic data and performing essential functions.
2. **Construction of Frequency Distributions:** Organize raw data into grouped and ungrouped frequency tables using a given dataset.
3. **Diagrammatic Representation of Data:** Visualize data using bar charts, pie charts, line graphs, histograms, and frequency polygons, and interpret the results for a given dataset.
4. **Measures of Central Tendency:** Calculate mean, median, and mode for grouped and ungrouped data in Excel, and compare central tendencies between two datasets.
5. **Measures of Dispersion:** Compute range, variance, and standard deviation in Excel to analyse the spread of two different datasets.
6. **Correlation Analysis:** Measure the strength of relationships between two variables by calculating Pearson's and Spearman's correlation coefficients.
7. **Hypothesis Testing (One-sample and Two-sample t-test):** Test the significance of means for single, independent, and dependent datasets using t-tests.
8. **Chi-Square Test for Independence:** Test the independence between categorical variables by analysing and interpreting a contingency table.

Essential Readings

- Minium, E. W., King, B. M., & Bear, G. (2017). *Statistical Reasoning for Psychology and Education*. New York: Wiley and Sons.
- Gupta, S.P. (2022) *Statistical Methods*, 46th Edn. S. Chand and Sons.
- Agresti, A., Christine Franklin, C. and Klingenberg, B. (2017). *Statistics: The Art and Science of Learning from data*, Pearson, Boston

Suggested Readings

- Schmuller, J. (2016). *Statistical Analysis with Excel for Dummies*, 5th Edition, New York, USA.
- Gupta, S. C. and Kapoor, V. K. (2020). *Fundamentals of Mathematical Statistics*, 12th Edn., S. Chand and Sons.
- Ross, Sheldon M. (2010): *Introductory Statistics*, 3rd Edition, Academic Press.
- Derek Rowntree, (2018). *Statistics Without Tears, An Introduction for Non-Mathematicians*, Penguin Books

Pool of Discipline Specific Elective Course (DSE) for Even Semesters (VIth and VIIIth)

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Category-V

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE – DSE-NHE 2: NUTRITIONAL AND LIFESTYLE COUNSELLING

Credit distribution, Eligibility and Prerequisites of the Course

Course Title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility Criteria	Prerequisite of the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Nutritional and Lifestyle Counselling	4	3	-	1	-	NIL

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

1. To introduce students to the concept of nutrition counselling, nutrition care process and responsibilities of a nutrition counsellor
2. To acquaint the students with the WHO's 5A brief interventions for behaviour change counselling
3. To familiarize the students with nutrition and lifestyle counselling for prevention and management of lifestyle related disorders/diseases

LEARNING OUTCOMES:

After completion of the course, the students will be able to:

1. Prepare and maintain a nutrition and lifestyle counselling case record
2. Incorporate the WHO's 5A brief interventions for behaviour change counselling
3. Gain knowledge for becoming an effective counsellor to lead a healthy lifestyle

SYLLABUS for DSE-NHE-2

THEORY
(Credits 3: 45 Hours)

UNIT 1: Introduction to Counselling

(8 Hours)

- This unit will introduce the concept of counselling, its stages and will acquaint the students to prepare a counselling case record.
- *Subtopics:*
 - Basics of counselling; difference between education and counselling
 - Counselling skills
 - Stages of counselling
 - Counsellors' role at different levels
 - Counselling case record

UNIT 2: Nutrition Counselling

(17 Hours)

- This unit will help the students to understand the concept of nutrition counselling and its importance in nutrition care process, responsibilities of a nutrition counsellor and theories that influence them.
- *Subtopics:*
 - Concept and objectives
 - Nutrition care process
 - Importance of nutrition counselling in the nutrition care process
 - Responsibilities and role of nutrition counsellor
 - Theories influencing nutrition counsellor

UNIT 3: Lifestyle Counselling and Behaviour Change

(10 Hours)

- This unit introduces students to the foundational concepts and significance of lifestyle counselling. It emphasizes understanding behaviour change models, especially WHO's 5As framework for brief interventions, and their application in promoting healthy lifestyle choices including diet, physical activity, and substance cessation.
- *Subtopics:*
 - **Lifestyle counselling – concept and significance**
 - **Understanding behaviour change**
 - **Counselling for behaviour change using WHO's 5As (Ask, Advise, Assess, Assist, Arrange):**
 - Encouraging healthy diet
 - Promoting physical activity
 - Quitting tobacco
 - Reducing harmful use of alcohol

UNIT 4: Nutrition Counselling for Lifestyle Disorders and Diseases

(10 Hours)

- This unit focuses on applying nutrition and lifestyle counselling in the context of lifestyle-related disorders. It covers disease types, risk factors, prevention, and management strategies, emphasizing the role of a counsellor in promoting diet-based and behavioural interventions.

Subtopics:

- **Lifestyle-related disorders/diseases:**
 - Types
 - Modifiable and non-modifiable risk factors
 - Signs and symptoms
- **Prevention and management of lifestyle diseases/disorders through:**
 - Healthy and unhealthy dietary patterns
 - Link between diet and other risk factors
 - Relationship between diet and lifestyle diseases/disorders
- **Role of counsellor in:**
 - Promoting healthy dietary practices and physical activity
 - Reducing risk from indoor air pollution
 - Supporting individuals experiencing stress and related disorders

PRACTICAL
(Credit 1: 30 Hours)

1. Prepare a counselling case record for a healthy lifestyle and for any lifestyle related disease/disorder
2. Design information flyer/leaflet for risk factors of lifestyle related diseases/disorders OR do's and don'ts to maintain a healthy lifestyle
3. Create a power-point presentation showcasing signs/symptoms, prevention and management of lifestyle related diseases/disorders
4. Conduct 24-hour dietary recall for college going student of one working day, one non-working day and counsel accordingly for leading a healthy lifestyle
5. Conduct a case study using WHO's 5As (Ask, Advise, Assess, Assist, Arrange) brief interventions on any two – healthy diet, increase in physical activity, quit tobacco and harmful use of alcohol

ESSENTIAL/RECOMMENDED READINGS:

- Snetselaar, L. (2009). *Nutrition Counseling Skills for the Nutrition Care Process* (4th edn.). Jones and Bartlett Publishers.
- National programme for prevention and control of cancer, diabetes, cardiovascular diseases and stroke (NPCDCS) handbook for counsellors - Reducing risk factors for noncommunicable diseases. Directorate General of Health Services Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India. Developed by National Institute of Mental Health and Neuro Sciences (NIMHANS) in collaboration with World Health Organization India (2017)
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- Oikarinen, A., Engblom, J., Paukkonen, L., Kääriäinen, M., Kaakinen, P., & Kähkönen, O. (2023). Effects of a lifestyle counselling intervention on adherence to lifestyle changes 7 years after stroke - A quasi-experimental study. *Scandinavian Journal of Caring Sciences*, 37(1), 163–172.
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B.A (Prog.) with Nutrition and Health Education (NHE)*Category-V***DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE – DSE-NHE 4: INDIGENOUS INDIAN FOODS****CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PREREQUISITES OF THE COURSE**

Course Title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility Criteria	Prerequisite of the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Indigenous Indian Foods	4	3	1	-	-	NIL

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

1. To impart knowledge about history of indigenous Indian foods
2. To provide overview of the traditional foods evolved from indigenous foods
3. To equip students with knowledge of traditional Indian functional foods
4. To familiarize students with utilization of indigenous and traditional food as medicines

LEARNING OUTCOMES:

After completion of the course, the students will be able to:

1. Understand the history of indigenous Indian foods.
2. Explain concept of traditional food evolving from indigenous foods.
3. Learn about the health benefits of traditional foods as functional food.
3. Understand the concept of utilization of indigenous and traditional food as medicines.

SYLLABUS for DSE-NHE-4**THEORY**

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(Credits 3: 45 Hours)

UNIT I: Indian Food Culture, Indigenous Foods and Traditional Foods (8 Hours)

The unit presents students with an introduction about Indian cookery, indigenous Indian foods, traditional Indian foods and history of evolution of food culture in India.

Subtopics:

- History of Indian cookery.
- Overview of evolution of Indian food culture from ancient era to present time.
- Introduction to concept of indigenous Indian foods and traditional Indian foods.

UNIT II Indigenous foods of India (7 Hours)

The unit will focus on different indigenous foods of indigenous Indian communities and also help the students to learn through case studies of select indigenous communities.

Subtopics:

- Ancestral legacies (pre-ancient history, Indus valley and Harrapan spreads)
- Indigenous foods of indigenous communities
- Case study of select indigenous communities

UNIT III Traditional Functional Foods of India (15 Hours)

The unit acquaints the students with an understanding about traditional Indian functional foods.

Subtopics:

- Evolution of traditional functional foods
- Traditional Indian functional foods based on:
 - Whole grains
 - Legumes and legume adjuncts (*wadi, papad* etc.)
 - Milk and its products (*dahi, ghee* etc.)
 - Spices, salt, and condiments
 - Oils and oilseeds
 - Fruits and vegetables
 - Betel leaf
 - Herbs
 - Traditional Indian food as provider of abundant fibre
 - Traditional Indian food as provider of abundant polyphenols

UNIT IV Traditional Food as Medicine (15 Hours)

The unit will focus on various aspects of ayurveda and traditional foods which can be utilized as medicine.

Subtopics:

- Introduction to vedic nutrition (ayurvedic nutrition) concept incorporating indigenous and traditional foods as medicine.
- Ayurvedic triad (*sushruta, charaka, aryabhatta*)
- Tridosha (*vata, pitta, kapha*)
- Rasas (sweet, salty, sour, bitter, pungent, astringent)
- Hot and cold foods
- Kacha and pucca food
- Gunas of food (*rajsik, tamsik, satvik*)
- Incompatible foods (*virudh ahaar*): *pathya, apathya, viprit*
- Ayurvedic rules of food consumption

ESSENTIAL/RECOMMENDED READINGS:

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Category-V

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE
DSE-NHE-6/11: RESEARCH METHODS IN HOME SCIENCE
DSE HS 6-1: RESEARCH METHODS IN HOME SCIENCE

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical		
Research Methods in Home Science	4	3	0	1	XII Pass	NIL

Theory

45 Periods; Practical 30 Periods

Learning Objectives

4. To provide students understandings about the basic concepts, approaches and methods in conducting Home Science research.
5. To enable learners to appreciate and critique the nuances of designing a research study well.
6. To sensitize students towards ethical concerns while conducting Home Science research.

Learning Outcomes

6. Demonstrate knowledge of the scientific method, purpose and approaches to research in Home Science
7. Compare and contrast quantitative and qualitative research approaches
8. Explain different types of research design and their applicability in Home Science research
9. Understand the key elements of a research process

10. Explain ethical principles, issues and procedures

SYLLABUS OF DSE HS 6-1

THEORY **(Credits 3; Hours 45)**

UNIT I: Research Purpose and Design

10 Hours

This unit will deal with meaning and importance of research in various areas of Home Science. Exposure to different types of research designs and measurement in Home Science research would also be given.

- Meaning, purpose and significance of research
- Research as a scientific method
- Types of research
- Quantitative, Qualitative and mixed method approaches
- Research Designs –Experimental and Non-Experimental; Descriptive and Observational; Participatory research
- Internal and external validity of research design
- Variables, concepts and measurement in research
- Levels of measurement
- Units of analysis

UNIT II: Sampling and Research tools & techniques

15 Hours

This unit will introduce the student to the concept of sampling and methods used to draw sample from population using examples from Home Science discipline. Students would also learn about types of data, its collection and reliability and validity concerns.

- Role of sampling in research
- Sampling techniques and their applicability, Sample size and sampling error
- Types of data: Primary and Secondary
- Tools of data collection; types, construction and administration- Interview, Questionnaire, Observation, Focus group discussion and other methods
- Validity and reliability of data collection tools

UNIT III: The Research Process

15 Hours

This unit will elaborate upon the various steps involved in conducting and reporting researches in Home Science.

- Defining the problem, research questions, objectives, hypotheses
- Review of related literature and originality in writing
- Systematic research: concept and methodology
- Planning the research
- Identifying variables and constructing hypothesis
- Selecting appropriate research methodology and tools

- Data analysis: coding and tabulation
- Writing a research report: styles and formats
- Citation formats: in medical sciences, social sciences

UNIT IV: Values, Social Responsibility and Ethics in Research

5 Hours

This unit will apprise the students about ethical concerns while conducting and reporting research.

- Ethical principles guiding research: from inception to completion and publication of research
- Plagiarism and Academic integrity in research: plagiarism tools and software
- Ethical issues relating to research participants and the researcher
 - Rights, dignity, privacy and safety of participants
 - Informed consent, confidentiality, anonymity of respondents, voluntary participation, harm avoidance

PRACTICAL (Credits 1; Hours 30)

1. Data visualization
2. Levels of Measurement
3. Types of research designs
 - Experimental and non-experimental; Descriptive and observational
 - Qualitative, Quantitative and mixed method
4. Sampling techniques and sample size calculation
 - Probability sampling method
 - Non-Probability sampling methods
5. Tools of data collection- Interview schedule, questionnaire and FGD
 - Designing/ Construction
 - Preparation of tools for ethical review
 - Pilot testing/ validity and reliability of the tool
6. Data collection and analysis process: conducting interviews, administering questionnaire
7. Coding and tabulation of data for analysis
8. Citation formats and Plagiarism
9. Reviewing a research paper from a specific area of specialization in Home Science

ESSENTIAL READINGS

- Kerlinger F. N. and Lee, H.B. (2017). *Foundations of Behavioral Research* 4th Ed. Harcourt College Publishers.
- Kothari, C. R. (2019). *Research Methodology: Methods and Techniques*. New Age International Pvt Ltd, New Delhi.
- Kothari, C. R. (2022). *Shodh Padhati* 1st Ed. New Age International Pvt Ltd, New Delhi.
- Kumar, R. (2019) *Research Methodology: A Step-by-Step Guide for Beginners*. 5th Ed. Sage Publications, New Delhi.

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B.A (Prog.) with Nutrition and Health Education (NHE)

Category-V

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE – DSE-NHE-8 : NUTRITIONAL ASSESSMENT FOR HEALTH

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PREREQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course Title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility Criteria	Prerequisite of the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Nutritional Assessment for Health	4	3	-	1	Class XII	NIL

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

1. To familiarize students with importance of nutritional assessment for health
2. To equip students with knowledge of tools and techniques of anthropometric assessments
3. To make students aware of biochemical, clinical and dietary assessment

LEARNING OUTCOMES:

After completion of the course, the students will be able to:

1. Understand various nutritional assessment methods

2. Determine nutritional status by anthropometric measurements
3. Analyze and interpret clinical examination and dietary survey data

SYLLABUS OF DSE-NHE-8

THEORY (Credits 3: 45 Hours)

UNIT 1: Introduction to nutritional status assessment methods (6 Hours)

- This unit will introduce the importance and methods of nutritional status assessment.
- *Subtopics:*
 - Importance and objectives of nutritional status assessment
 - Overview of nutritional status assessment methods
 - Indirect methods
 - i) Vital statistics
 - ii) Ecological factors assessment
 - Direct methods (ABCD analysis)
 - i) Anthropometry
 - ii) Biochemical and laboratory estimation
 - iii) Clinical examination
 - iv) Dietary survey

UNIT 2: Nutritional anthropometry (14 Hours)

- *Unit description:* This unit will familiarize the students with tools and techniques used for common anthropometric measurements and interpretation of anthropometric data for nutritional assessment.
- *Subtopics:*
 - Application of nutritional anthropometry
 - Tools and techniques for common anthropometric measurements
 - Weight
 - Height
 - Mid upper arm circumference (MUAC)
 - Head and chest circumference in children
 - Skinfold thickness
 - Determination of nutritional status by using anthropometric parameters

- Assessment of children: standard deviation (SD score) or Z-score classification, Gomez classification, Indian Academy of Pediatrics (IAP) classification, interpretation of MUAC, growth chart and its importance
- Assessment of adults: Body Mass Index (BMI), waist circumference (WC) for obesity
- o Limitations of anthropometry

UNIT 3: Biochemical and clinical assessment

(12 Hours)

This unit will introduce students to uses and limitations of biochemical and clinical assessments.

- *Subtopics:*
 - o Biochemical assessment
 - Uses and limitations
 - Biochemical tests for nutritional deficiencies-an overview
 - o Clinical assessment
 - Advantages and limitations
 - Nutritional deficiency disorders and their diagnostic signs

UNIT 4: Dietary assessment

(13 Hours)

- This unit will introduce students to importance, methods, analysis, interpretation and problems of dietary surveys.
- *Subtopics:*
 - o Importance and types of dietary surveys
 - o Methods of diet surveys
 - o Analysis and interpretation
 - o Problems in diet surveys

PRACTICAL **(Credit 1: 30 Hours)**

UNIT 1: Anthropometry

(15 hours)

- o Anthropometry- weight, height and MUAC measurements.
- o Calculation of BMI; interpretation of BMI and WC in adults using case studies
- o Plotting and interpretation of growth charts for children below 5 years.

UNIT 2: Clinical and dietary assessment

(15 hours)

- o Identification of clinical signs of common nutritional disorders.
- o Dietary assessment- Food Frequency Questionnaire (FFQ) and 24-hour diet recall.

ESSENTIAL/RECOMMENDED READINGS:

- Bamji MS, Rao NP, Reddy V. (2017). *Textbook of human nutrition*. (4th ed). Delhi: Oxford and IBH Publishing co. (P) Ltd.
- Park K. (2023). *Textbook of preventive and social medicine*. (27th ed). Jabalpur, MP: Banarsidas Bhanot Publishers.
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DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE–DSE- NHE-10 : Nutrition Programme Planning

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility Criteria	Prerequisite of the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Nutrition Programme Planning	4	3	-	1	Class XII	NIL

Learning objectives:

- 1.To develop nutrition and health programmes for vulnerable groups and planning nutritious recipes for micronutrient deficiencies.
- 2.Field visit to ongoing nutrition and health programmes.
- 3.To plan and implement Nutrition education programmes.

Learning Outcomes:

After the completion of the course the students will be able to-

1. Serve as programme planners and managers in the field of Public health nutrition.

2. Develop nutrition education programmes for vulnerable groups and plan nutritious recipe for micronutrient deficiencies.

SYLLABUS OF DSE-NHE-10

THEORY (Credits 3: 45 Hours)

UNIT 1: Programme planning in public health nutrition. (15 Hours)

- This unit will introduce the student to Nutrition Programme Planning.
- Subtopics-
 - Basic principles and models of Programme planning.
 - Planning process – Community need assessment, setting goals and objectives, selecting indicators, selecting interventions, planning for programme implementation and resources , planning for programme monitoring and evaluation.
 - Planning for programme termination, stakeholder participation in programme.
 - Planning at micro and macro level.

UNIT 2: Programme monitoring and evaluation. (15 Hours)

- This unit will introduce the student with programme monitoring and evaluation.
- Subtopics-
 - Significance and purpose of monitoring Food/Nutrition programmes.
 - Identification and selection of indicators for monitoring.
 - Significance and purpose of evaluation of Nutrition programmes.
 - Identification and selection of indicators for evaluation.
 - Strategies for data collection- Qualitative and quantitative.

UNIT 3: Nutritional Surveillance. (5 Hours)

- This unit will introduce the student with Nutritional Surveillance.
- Subtopics-
 - Objectives, initial assessment indicators for use in nutrition surveillance.
 - Nutritional surveillance for programme planning: Triple-A- Approach.

UNIT 4: Process of Nutrition education. (10 Hours)

- This unit will deal with the process of nutrition education.
- Subtopics-
 - Need , scope and importance of nutrition education.
 - Potential challenges and constraints of nutrition education.
 - Theories of nutrition education.
 - Process of nutrition education communication.

PRACTICAL
(Credit 1 :30 hours)

1. Development of a plan for conducting nutrition education programmes in the community.
2. Preparation of Nutrition education communication aids for different groups.
3. Development of low cost recipes for infants,preschoolers,pregnant and lactating mothers.
4. Field visit to ongoing National Nutritional and health programmes.

Essential/recommended readings :

- <https://www.egyankosh.ac.inPDF> last accessed 15 dec 2024.
- Vir,S.C(Ed).2023 . Child ,Adolescent and woman Nutrition in India.Public policies,programmes and progress. K.W Publishers .
- Wadhwa,Aand Sharma,S. 2013 .A textbook of nutrition in the community. Jain book agency.
- Indira Gandhi national open university,2006 MFN 006 Public nutrition. Ed Sharma.S ,Kapur.D .

Suggested readings:

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Category-V

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE–DSE- 12 NHE: Nutrition Policies, Programmes and Strategies

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course &Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility Criteria	Prerequisite of the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Nutrition Policies,Programmes and Strategies	4	3	1	-	Class XII	NIL

Learning objectives:

1. To familiarize the students with the government policies and programmes based on various approaches for improving nutritional and health status of the community .
2. The students will acquire knowledge about the various approaches for improving nutritional and health status.
3. Acquire knowledge about the concept of food security and the various programmes for improving food and nutrition security.

Learning outcomes:

After completion of the course students will be able to-

1. Develop understanding about nutrition in disease management and its prevention through various government programmes and policies.
2. Improve understanding and develop skills for planning , management and monitoring of Public health and nutrition programmes implemented by the government .
3. Work as program planners and managers in the field of Public health and Nutrition.

SYLLABUS OF DSE-NHE-12**THEORY**

(Credits 3: 45 Hours)

UNIT 1: National policies for promotion of Nutrition and health status of the population.(10 Hours)

- This unit will introduce the student to various Nutrition and other programmes.
- Subtopics-
 - National Nutrition Mission (Poshan Abhiyan).
 - Ayushman Bharat and Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (PM-JAY)
 - National Diarrhoeal Diseases control programme
 - National health mission.
 - National food security act.
 - Universal immunisation programme.(Mission indradhanush)

UNIT 2: Nutrition sensitive and nutrition specific programmes.

(10 Hours)

- This unit will deal with various Nutrition programmes.
- Subtopics-
 - ICDS/Poshan 2.0 and Saksham Anganwadi.

- Nutrient deficiency control programmes-National Prophylaxis programme for prevention of blindness due to Vitamin A deficiency, Anaemia Mukht Bharat.(AMB),National iodine deficiency disorders control programme.
- National programme for Prevention and control of Non communicable diseases.
- Pradhan mantri Poshan shakti Nirman-(P.M POSHAN)
- Scheme for Adolescent girls.

UNIT 3: Food security programmes.

(10Hours)

- This unit will introduce the student with various Food security programmes.
- Subtopics-
 - Concept and definition of food and nutrition security at National,household and individual levels.
 - Public distribution system (PDS) .
 - Antyodaya Anna Yojana (AAY)
 - Annapurna scheme.
 - Mahatama Gandhi National Rural Employment Gurantee Act (MGNREGA)

UNIT 4: Strategies for improving Nutrition.

(15Hours)

- This unit will deal with the strategies for improving Nutrition.
- Subtopics-
 - Health based interventions including immunization, provision of safe drinking water/sanitation,prevention and management of diarrhoeal diseases and National Policies to address sanitation.
 - Food based interventions including Food fortification,dietary diversification, supplementary feeding and Biochemical approaches.
 - Education based interventions including growth monitoring and promotion (GMP),health/nutrition related behaviour change communication.

Essential/recommended readings :

- <https://poshanabhiyan.gov.in> Last accessed 17 Dec 2024.
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