

Jordan University of Science and Technology Faculty of Applied Medical Sciences Paramedics Department

PARA311 Paramedic Management Of Cardiopulmonary Emergencies (1)

First Semester 2021-2022

Course Catalog

3 Credit Hours. This course provides knowledge in the pathophysiology and management of cardiopulmonary emergencies. This course focuses on advanced prehospital management of airway obstruction and ventilation, cardiac arrest and cardiac dysrhythmias. Topics include a review of anatomy and physiology of the respiratory and circulation system, illustration of advanced management of airway obstruction and ventilation, description of cardiac function compromise and dysrhythmias, and management of cardiac arrest and life-threatening dysrhythmias.

	Text Book
Title	Emergency Care in the Street
Author(s)	Nancy Caroline
Edition	8th Edition
Short Name	Ref 1
Other Information	

Course References

Short name	Book name	Author(s)	Edition	Other Information
Ref 2	Mosby?s Paramedic Textbook	Mick J. Sanders	5th Edition	

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Class Schedule & Room

Section 1: Lecture Time: Sun : 11:30 - 13:00 Room: PH2102

Section 2: Lecture Time: Tue : 11:30 - 13:00 Room: PH2102

Prerequisites			
Line Number	Course Name	Prerequisite Type	
132240	PARA224 Health Assessment Lab	Prerequisite / Study	

Tentative List of Topics Covered			
Weeks	Торіс	References	
Week 1	Introduction to cardiopulmonary emergencies	From Ref 1 , From Ref 2	
Week 2	Anatomy and physiology of respiratory system	Ch 15 From Ref 1	
Week 3	Paramedic assessment of Airways and respiratory function	Ch 15 From Ref 1	
Week 4	Basic airway management and supplemental oxygen therapy	Ch 15 From Ref 1	
Week 5	Advanced airway management by endotracheal intubation	Ch 15 From Ref 1	
Week 7	Advanced airway management: Multi-lumen airways and Laryngeal mask airway	Ch 15 From Ref 1	
Week 6	Advanced airway management by endotracheal intubation: alternative methods	Ch 15 From Ref 1	
Week 8	Pharmalogic agents and surgical intervention for airway management and ventilation	Ch 15 From Ref 1	
Week 9	Assessment of a Patient with Dyspnea	Ch 15 From Ref 1	
Week 10	Pathophysiology, Assessment, and Management of Obstructive Upper Airway Diseases	Ch 15 From Ref 1	
Week 11	Pathophysiology, Assessment, and Management of Obstructive Lower Airway Diseases	Ch 15 From Ref 1	
Week 12	Pathophysiology, Assessment, and Management of Common Respiratory Problems	Ch 15 From Ref 1	
Week 13	Advanced life support algorithms Management of Cardiac arrest	Ch 17 From Ref 1	
Week 14	Advanced management of post-resuscitation (ROSC)	Ch 17 From Ref 1	

Mapping of Course Outcomes to Program Student Outcomes	Course Outcome Weight (Out of 100%)	Assessment method
Students will be able to demonstrate knowledge about the anatomy and physiology of the respiratory system	10%	

Students will be able demonstrate knowledge for assessing and managing cardiopulmonary emergencies.	10%	
Students will be able to apply basic and advanced management of ventilation and oxygenation.	10%	
Students will be able to show indication and contraindication of advanced artificial ventilation and airway such as endotracheal intubation and supraglottic airways, and mechanical ventilator.	20%	
Students will be able to show knowledge and skill of surgical airway management	10%	
Students will be able to demonstrate knowledge and process of basic and advanced cardiopulmonary resuscitation based on international guidelines [1Code 1, 1Code 6]	20%	

Relationship to Program Student Outcomes (Out of 100%)					
Code 1	Code 2	Code 3	Code 4	Code 5	Code 6
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