

## Course Description Form

<b>1. Course Name:</b>	
Forensic medicine	
<b>2. Course Code:</b>	
<b>3. Semester / Year:</b>	
2024-2025	
<b>4. Description Preparation Date:</b>	
1\9\2024	
<b>5. Available Attendance Forms:</b>	
In campus	
<b>6. Number of Credit Hours (Total) / Number of Units (Total) 60 hours</b>	
60 hours 6 units	
<b>7. Course administrator's name (mention all, if more than one name)</b>	
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<b>8. Course Objectives</b>	
<b>Course Objectives</b>	<p>At the end of the course the student is supposed to acquire fundamental skills in the following respects:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. What is forensic pathology and what are the scope of its practical applications. The most common various international systems of forensic pathology and the reasons for these variations</li> <li>2. Formalities of medico–legal consultation and in which respect it differ from other medical consultations.</li> <li>3. How to receive and examine medico–legal cases.</li> <li>4. How to take samples for laboratory investigations and how to send them to the labs.</li> <li>5. How to perform a postmortem examination.</li> <li>6. How to write a medico–legal report.</li> </ol>
<b>9. Teaching and Learning Strategies</b>	
<b>Strategy</b>	<p>Large groups – theoretical lectures Small groups – discussion and seminars Clinical sessions</p>

10. Course Structure					
Week	Hours	Required Learning Outcomes	Unit or subject name	Learning method	Evaluation method
Every week	2 h theory 2 h practical session	It deals with examination of the living individuals, such as cases of sexual offences, wound certificate, age estimation etc. Forensic pathology deals with interpretation of autopsy findings in medicolegal investigation of death (forensic thanatology — Study of death)	Introduction to forensic pathology <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• definition, medico-legal systems,</li> <li>• how to examine a medico-legal case,</li> <li>• how to perform medico-legal autopsy. Postmortem artifacts, Autopsy report</li> <li>• Pathophysiology of death</li> <li>• definition of sudden death</li> <li>• Identification</li> <li>• Age estimation</li> <li>• Pathology of wound</li> <li>• Head and spinal injuries</li> <li>• injuries to the driver in vehicle</li> <li>• toxicology</li> </ul>	-1Large group teaching -2Small group teaching -3Practical session	Formative summative exams
11. Course Evaluation					
Distributing the score out of 100 according to the tasks assigned to the student such as daily preparation, daily oral, monthly, or written exams, reports .... etc					
Formative and summative exams. Regarding summative exams as follow: 10 marks for each semester (60%theory and 40%practical) 20 marks midyear exam 60 marks final exam (20 practical and 40 theory)					
12. Learning and Teaching Resources					
Required textbooks (curricular books, if any)			Text book of forensic medicine toxicology		

Main references (sources)	Hand book of forensic medicine
Recommended books and references (scientific journals, reports...)	Updated academic websites
Electronic References, Websites	Web forensic medicine toxicology/google Forensic medicine online ppt. lectures videos