Course title	Circulation and Respiration							
Course code	GEMD-201							
Course type	Required							
Level	Undergraduate							
Year / Semester	Year 2, Semester 3							
Teacher's name	Dr Evgenios Metaxas, Prof Panayiotis Avraamides							
ECTS		Teaching Periods per Week						
	13	Large Group Learning	Sma Le	ll Group arning	Laboratories & Skills	Clinical Practice		
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Course purpose and objectives	 The aim of this course is to: Provide the students with an understanding of the normal structure and function of the cardiovascular system and the respiratory system. Introduce the students to the pathophysiology and pathology of various conditions affecting the cardiovascular and respiratory systems. Provide the students with an understanding of the clinical manifestations of various cardiovascular and respiratory conditions. Introduce the students to the investigative and therapeutic principles underlying the management of cardiovascular and respiratory conditions. Develop the student's consultation skills and professional competencies in relationship to managing patients with cardiovascular and respiratory conditions. 							
Learning outcomes	Due to the nature of Problem Based Learning (PBL), the full list of objectives will be available at the end of each PBL week.							
Prerequisites	None			Required	None			
Course content	 The normal structure and function of the cardiovascular and respiratory systems The pathophysiology and pathology of various cardiovascular and respiratory conditions The management of cardiovascular and respiratory conditions The consultations skills and professional competencies required to deal with patients with cardiovascular and respiratory conditions 							

	Lectures – normally two face-to-face, two on-line p/week								
Teaching	Tutorials – two case-based learning small group sessions, two expert-led class discussions/debates								
methodology	Flipped classroom activities								
	Community and/or hospital visits each week, relating to the case of the week								
	Student centred learning/self-study								
	Required textbooks/reading								
	Authors	Title	Edition	Publisher	Year	ISBN			
Bibliography	John E. Hall, Michael E. Hall	Guyton and Hall Textbook of Medical Physiology	14 th Edition	Elsevier	2021	9780323597 128			
	Arthur F. Dalley II, Anne M. R. Agur.	Moore's cli nically oriented anatomy	9 th edition	Wolters Kluwer	2024	9781975209 544			
	Vinay Kumar, Abul K. Abbas, Jon C. Aster, Andrea T Deyrup	Robbins & Kumar Basic Pathology	11 th edition	Elsevier	2023	9780323790 185			
	James M. Ritter, Rod J. Flower, Graeme Henderson, Yoon Kong Loke, David MacEwan, Humphrey P. Rang	Rang & Dale's Pharmacol ogy	10 th edition	Elsevier	2024	9780323873 956			
	Recommended textbooks/reading								
	Authors	Title	Edition	Publisher	Year	ISBN			
	Linda S. Costanzo	BRS: Physiology	8 th edition	Wolter	2023	9789387963 467			
	Lauralee Sherwood	Human Physiology: from Cells to Systems	9 th Edition	Brooks Cole	2015	9781285866 932 (hardcover)			
	Anthony Alfrey	Rapid Review Pathology	6 th edition	Elsevier	2023	9780323870 573			
	Hussain A. Sattar	Fundamenta Is of Pathology: Medical	2021 edition	PATHOMA	2021	9781365764 592			

		Course and Step 1 Review					
	Kaplan Medical	Preclinical Pharmacolo gy Review	2023 edition	Kaplan	2023	9781506284 552	
	Sarah Lerchenfeldt , Gary Rosenfeld	BRS: Pharmacolo gy	7 th Edition	Wolters Kluwer Health	2020	9781975105 495	
	Kaplan Medical	Preclinical Anatomy Review	2023 edition	Kaplan	2023	9781506284 279	
Assessment	The course will be assessed at the end of Semester 3 with a Summative Final Examination consisting of Single Best Answer MCQs (SBAs) and Short Answer Questions (SAQs). Clinical and consultation skills will be assessed in an OSCE.						
Language	English						