INSTITUTE OF PHYSIOTHERAPHY (IPHY)

BACHELOR IN PHYSIOTHERAPY

Main Language of Instruction: French ⊗ English O Arabic O

Campus Where the Program Is Offered: CSM

OBJECTIVES

The Bachelor in Physiotherapy involves theoretical instruction and practical training. By the end of this four-year program, students should be able to:

- Exercise their role based on medical prescriptions in curative and preventive areas, rehabilitation, professional education, and research
- Determine the needs of individuals and communities
- Diagnose physical problems
- Interpret data and establish treatment plans and programs
- Carry out physiotherapeutic treatments and assess progress periodically
- Participate in educational rehabilitation and organizational programs, in collaboration with the multidisciplinary team.

PROGRAM LEARNING OUTCOMES (COMPETENCIES)

- Carry out management tasks, including time management and physiotherapy resources
- Provide physiotherapy treatment following the various diagnoses (musculoskeletal, neurological, sports, respiratory and cardiovascular areas, specific areas....)
- Contribute to professional development through research
- Establish physiotherapy diagnoses for various disorders and across all age groups
- Promote community health and well-being by responsibly applying knowledge and expertise
- Work collaboratively in an interdisciplinary team to obtain optimal quality care.

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

240 credits: Required courses (190 credits), USJ General Education Program (32 credits), Institution's elective courses (12 credits), Open elective courses (6 credits)

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USJ General Education Program (32 Cr.)
English (4 Cr.)
  English Level A (4 Cr.)
Arabic (4 Cr.)
Arabic Language and Culture (2 Cr.)
  Arabic Language and Media (2 Cr.) اللغة العربيّة في الصِّحافة والإعلان
Courses taught in Arabic (2 Cr.)
  Ethics and Law (2 Cr.)
Humanities (8 Cr.)
  Introduction to Psychology in Rehabilitation (2 Cr.)
  Bioethics (2 Cr.)
  Primary Health Care Internship (2 Cr.)
  USJ Values in Daily Life (2 Cr.)
Social Sciences (6 Cr.)
  Public Health (2 Cr.)
  Administration and Professional Access (2 Cr.)
  Health Economics (2 Cr.)
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Quantitative Techniques (6 Cr.)

Biophysics (4 Cr.)
Biomedical Statistics (2 Cr.)

Communication Techniques (4 Cr.)

Work and Expression Techniques (2 Cr.) Ethics and Professional Communication (2 Cr.)

Fundamental Courses Required Courses (190 Cr.):

Physical Agents - Hydrotherapy (2 Cr.). Anatomy of systems (Splanchnology, Angiology, Sense Organs) (2 Cr.). Appendicular Skeleton Anatomy (Trunk and Limbs) (6 Cr.). Axial skeleton Anatomy (Head, Neck and Trunk) (4 Cr.). Neuromuscular Anatomo-Physiology (4 Cr.). Equipment and Rehabilitation of amputees (2 Cr.). Clinical Workshop 1: ICF Model and Analysis of Scientific Articles (2 Cr.). Clinical Workshop 2: Assessment, Techniques and Intervention Tools in Cardiopulmonary Pathology (2 Cr.). Clinical workshop 3: Clinical Approach in Neurological and Musculoskeletal Pathology (2 Cr.). Biomechanics-Kinesiology (4 Cr.). Cytology - Histology (4 Cr.). Specific Areas in Physiotherapy (2 Cr.). Electrotherapy (2 Cr.). Ergonomics – Prevention (2 Cr.). Stretches, Postures and Tension Lifts (2 Cr.). Lower Limb Evaluation (4 Cr.). Upper limb Evaluation (4 Cr.). Evaluation of the Spine and Face (4 Cr.). Gerontology and Rehabilitation in Geriatrics (2 Cr.). Medical Imaging (2 Cr.). Introduction to Physiotherapy and Examination Principles (4 Cr.). Socio-Professional Reintegration (2 Cr.). Sports Medicine (2 Cr.). Diploma Thesis (8 Cr.). Research Methodology (2 Cr.). Professional Situation (2 Cr.). Active Mobilization (2 Cr.). Passive Mobilization (2 Cr.). Orthopedics (2 Cr.). Neuromuscular Pathology (4 Cr.). Thoracopulmonary and Cardiovascular Pathology (4 Cr.). Urogynecological Pathology (2 Cr.). Pediatrics and Pediatric Rehabilitation (4 Cr.). Pharmacology (2 Cr.). Joint Physiology (2 Cr.). Physiology of Physical Activity (2 Cr.). General Physio-Pathology (4 Cr.). First Aid and Handling in Physiotherapy (4 Cr.). Cardiovascular Rehabilitation (2 Cr.). Rehabilitation in Gyneco-Obstetrics (2 Cr.). Oncology Rehabilitation (2 Cr.). Rehabilitation in Orthopedics (4 Cr.). Rehabilitation in Rheumatology (4 Cr.). Trauma Rehabilitation (6 Cr.). Rehabilitation in Urology (2 Cr.). Functional Rehabilitation and Technical Aids (4 Cr.). Neuromuscular Rehabilitation (4 Cr.). Thoracopulmonary Rehabilitation (4 Cr.). Vestibular Rehabilitation (2 Cr.). Rheumatology (2 Cr.). Wellbeing Through the Ages (2 Cr.). Operating Room Internship (2 Cr.). Cardiopulmonary Rehabilitation Course (4 Cr.). Neurology Rehabilitation Internship (4 Cr.). Neuro-Pediatrics Rehabilitation Internship (4 Cr.). Specific rehabilitation techniques 1 (4 Cr.). Specific Rehabilitation Techniques 2 (6 Cr.). Specific Rehabilitation Techniques 3 (4 Cr.). Post-Operative Rehabilitation Internship (2 Cr.). Medical Imaging Internship (2 Cr.). Introduction to Physiotherapy Internship (2 Cr.). Massage and Palpatory Anatomy Techniques (4 Cr.). Traumatology (2 Cr.).

Institution's Elective Courses (12 Cr.)

Specific Techniques 1: Lymphatic Drainage and Proprioceptive Rehabilitation (2 Cr.). Global Techniques 1 (2 Cr.). Specific Techniques 2: Global Postural Techniques and Neuromuscular Facilitation Techniques/ Global Techniques 2 (2 Cr.). Specific Techniques 3: Spinal Mechanical Therapy and Neuro-Dynamic Technique / Global Techniques 3 (2 Cr.). Physical Education / Fitness and Personal Training (2 Cr.). Neuromuscular Activation / Neuromuscular Relaxation (2 Cr.). Rehabilitation Course for Athletes in the Field / Rehabilitation Course in Hydrotherapy / Internship in Neuromuscular Activation (2 Cr.).

Open Elective Courses (USJ) (6 credits)

SUGGESTED STUDY PLAN

Semester 1

Code	Course Name	Credits
039ANSAL1	Appendicular Skeleton Anatomy (Girdles and Limbs)	6
039ANSXL1	Axial Skeleton Anatomy (Head, Neck, and Trunk)	4
039ANASL1	Anatomy of Systems (Splanchnology, Angiology and Sense Organs)	2
039APNML1	Neuromuscular Anatomical Physiology	4
039CHISL1	Cytology – Histology	4
039MASOL1	First Aid and Handling in Physiotherapy	4
039TETEL1	Work and Expression Techniques	2
	Open Elective Course	4
	Total	30

Semester 2

Code	Course Name	Credits
039TMAPL2	Massage and Palpatory Anatomy Techniques	4
039PHPGL1	General Physio-Pathology	4
039PHARL2	Joint Physiology	2
039AGHYL2	Physical Agents- Hydrotherapy	2
039PHAPL2	Physiology of Physical Activity	2
039EPS1L2/ 039FEPEL2	Physical Education / Fitness and Personal Training (choose one of the two)	2
039BIPHL2	Biophysics	4
039IMMEL2	Medical Imaging	2
039IPPEL1	Introduction to Physiotherapy and Examination Principles	4
039IPREL2	Introduction to Psychology in Rehabilitation	2
039STIPL2	Introduction to Physiotherapy Internship	2
	Total	30

Semester 3

Code	Course Name	Credits
039EMSPL3	Evaluation of Upper Limbs	4
039EMINL3	Evaluation of Lower Limbs	4
039ERFAL3	Evaluation of the Spine and Face	4
039MOACL3	Active Mobilization	2
039MOBPL3	Passive Mobilization	2
039MESPL3	Sports Medicine	2
039TRAUL3	Traumatology	2
039ECPRL3	Ethics and Professional Communication	2
039SAPUL4	Public health	2
039STBIL2	Biomedical Statistics	2

039PHAOL3	Pharmacology	2
435LALM2	اللغة العربيّة في الصحافة والإعلان Arabic Language and Media	2
	Total	30

Semester 4

Code	Course Name	Credits
039ATCIL2	Clinical Workshops 1: ICF Model and Analysis of Scientific Articles	2
039BICIL4	Biomechanics – Kinesiology	4
039EPLTL4	Stretches, Postures and Tension Lifts	2
039THOL4	Orthopedics	2
039RHMAL4	Rheumatology	2
039PANML4	Neuromuscular Pathology	4
039RFATL4	Functional Rehabilitation and Technical Aids	4
039STRPL3	Versatile Rehabilitation Course 1	4
039STIML4	Medical Imaging internship	2
039STBOL4	Operating Room Internship	2
	Open Elective Course	2
	Total	30

Semester 5

Code	Course Name	Credits
039DLRPL5/ 039TEGLL4	Specific Techniques 1: Lymphatic Drainage and Proprioceptive Rehabilitation/ Global Techniques (choose one of the two)	2
035TGFNL5/ 09TEGLL4	Specific Techniques 2: Global Postural Techniques and Neuro-Muscular Facilitation Techniques / Global Techniques (choose one of the two)	2
039RERHL5	Rheumatology Rehabilitation	4
039RTTSL5	Trauma Rehabilitation	6
039PTCVL5	Thoracopulmonary and Cardiovascular Pathology	4
039RENML5	Neuromuscular Rehabilitation	4
039ELROL5	Electrotherapy	2
039STRNL6	Neurology Rehabilitation Internship	4
039SRPOL6	Post-Operative Rehabilitation Internship	2
	Total	30

Semester 6

Code	Course Name	Credits
o39ATTOL6	Clinical workshops 2: Assessment, Techniques and Intervention Tools in Cardiopulmonary Pathologies	2
039APRAL5	Fitting and Rehabilitation of Amputees	2
039GREGL6	Gerontology and Rehabilitation in Geriatrics	2
039RTPUL6	Thoracopulmonary Rehabilitation	4
o39RECVL6	Cardiovascular Rehabilitation	2

039PPPPL6	Pediatrics and Pediatric Rehabilitation	4
o39SBETL6	Wellbeing Through the Ages	2
o39BIETL6	Bio-Ethics	2
039PAUGL6	Urogynecological Pathology	2
039MEREL7	Research Methodology	2
039SRP2L4	Specific Rehabilitation Techniques 2	6
	Total	30

Semester 7

Code	Course Name	Credits
039ANGLL2	English	4
039DSSPL7	Specific Areas in Physiotherapy	2
039REORL7	Orthopedic Rehabilitation	4
039ATLCL7	Clinical Workshops 3: Clinical Approach in Neurological and Musculoskeletal Pathology	2
039REEUL7	Urology Rehabilitation	2
039REGOL7	Rehabilitation in Gyneco-Obstetrics	2
039RELAL7/ 039ACNML7	Neuromuscular Relaxation / Neuromuscular Activation	2
039SRP3L7	Specific Rehabilitation Techniques 3	4
039SRPCL8	Neuro-Pediatric Rehabilitation Internship	4
039SSPLL8	Primary Health Internship	2
039STRHL8/ 039SRSTL8/ 039STNEL8	Hydrotherapy Rehabilitation Course / Field Sports Rehabilitation Course / Neuromuscular Activation Course (choose one of the two)	2
	Total	30

Semester 8

Code	Course Name	Credits
039ERPRL8	Ergonomics – Prevention	2
039RESPL7	Socio-Professional Reintegration	2
039TMVDL8/ 039TEGLL4	Specific Techniques 3: Spinal Mechanical Therapy and Neuro-Dynamic Technique / Global Techniques (choose one of the two)	2
039DEDRL8	Ethics and Law	2
039ADPAL8	Administration and Professional Access	2
039ECSAL7	Health Economics	2
039RONCL8	Oncology Rehabilitation	2
039VESTL8	Vestibular Rehabilitation	2
039MSPPL8	Professional Situation	2
o39MDIPL8	Thesis	8
039STCPL8	Cardiopulmonary Rehabilitation Internship	4
	Total	30

COURSE DESCRIPTION

015ABC2L3 Volunteer and Civic Engagement

2 Cr.

This course is part of the USJ General Education Program. It aims to raise students' awareness of the significance of civic engagement by providing opportunities to participate in various volunteer activities.

This course includes theoretical instruction and supervised practical training.

039ACNML7 Neuromuscular Activation

2 Cr.

This course on neuromuscular activation focuses on evaluating and treating musculoskeletal pathologies. It involves performing neuromuscular activation in suspension to optimize function and reduce pain. This course equips students with clinical reasoning skills according to specific tests in order to develop individualized treatment plans adapted to each person.

039ADPAL8 Administration and Professional Access

2 Cr.

In Administration:

Administration / Administrative management is a managerial course. It allows 4th year students to acquire an organizational mindset and methods by using the stages of the administrative process to enhance work quality. In Preparation for Professional Access:

This course is offered at the end of the physiotherapy course and prepares future physiotherapists for professional life by equipping them with the tools necessary to plan their career.

039AGHYL2 Physical Agents - Hydrotherapy

2 Cr.

Physical agents: This part covers the neurophysiological bases of the analgesic action of physical agents including electric current, electromagnetic and mechanical vibrations, thermotherapy, cryotherapy, TENS, pulsed electromagnetic waves, ultrasound, soft-laser, shock waves, infrasound, diathermy, short waves and microwaves. Hydrotherapy: This part enables students to master all the basic parameters concerning Hydrotherapy, including the physics of fluids, the layout of pools, the physiological effects of immersion, and the techniques implemented. It focuses on developing rehabilitation sessions in an aquatic environment for numerous pathologies in rheumatology, pediatrics, orthopedics, cardiology, etc. It is also a preferred means of prevention and physical maintenance.

Students will be equipped to utilize these treatment options based on scientific data.

o39ANASL1 Anatomy of Systems (Splanchnology, Angiology, Sense Organs)

2 Cr.

This course provides information on the anatomy of various systems to understand their role in some disorders encountered in physiotherapy, especially in respiratory, cardiovascular and other cases.

039ANSAL1 Appendicular Skeleton Anatomy (Girdles and Limbs) 6 Cr.

This course covers the anatomy of the appendicular skeleton, which is fundamental knowledge in physiotherapy and enables a better understanding of the human body's systems. By presenting the normal state of the body, it prepares students to better assimilate pathologies and better analyze the role of physiotherapy in each case.

039ANSXL1 Axial Skeleton Anatomy (Head, Neck and Trunk) 4 Cr.

This course covers the anatomy of the axial skeleton, which is fundamental knowledge in physiotherapy and enables a better understanding of the human body's systems. By presenting the normal state of the body, it prepares students to better assimilate pathologies and better analyze the role of physiotherapy in each case.

039APNML1 Neuromuscular Anatomophysiology

4 Cr.

This course covers the anatomy of the nervous system, providing students with all the necessary data about its anatomical structures. It introduces the neurological field.

This course also includes neuromuscular physiology, offering students essential knowledge in neuromuscular physiology to prepare them for understanding the concepts of pathology and dysfunction for good management.

o39ANGLL2 English 4 Cr.

The purpose of this course is to cultivate critical thinking, reading, oral communication, and writing proficiency. It focuses on the synthesis of sources to craft a research paper and articulate its arguments in a presentation setting. The course underscores the importance of analytical reading across diverse text genres relevant to various disciplines, as well as the synthesis of information from multiple sources to generate written content and effectively deliver it in an oral form.

039APRAL5 Equipment and Rehabilitation of Amputees

2 Cr.

This course prepares students for the clinical management of patients with amputations of both upper and lower limbs.

o39ATCIL2 Clinical Workshop 1: CIF Model and Analysis of Scientific Articles

2 Cr.

This course enables students to integrate knowledge from various courses related to patient evaluation in physiotherapy and scientific research.

o39ATTOL6 Clinical Workshop 2: Assessment, Techniques and Intervention Tools in Cardiopulmonary Pathology

2 Cr.

This course enables students to integrate knowledge from multiple rehabilitation courses related to the evaluation, development, and application of treatment plans in the cardiopulmonary field.

o39ATLCL7 Clinical Workshop 3: Clinical Approach in Neurological and Musculoskeletal Pathology

2 Cr.

This workshop is offered at the end of the program to consolidate the knowledge, skills, and professional attitudes of future physiotherapists. It complements Clinical Workshops 1 and 2 and emphasizes patient care in areas such as musculoskeletal, neurological, respiratory and cardiovascular, sports and other specific areas.

o39BIÉTL6 Bioethics

2 Cr.

This course prepares students for their professional life from an ethical point of view. It presents scenarios and encourages them to reflect using science, technology, and ethical principles.

039BICIL4 Biomechanics-Kinesiology

4 Cr.

This course allows the learner to understand the functioning of normal and pathological humans by understanding the origin of constraints on tissues and their link with pathologies.

Posturology-clinical exploration tools constitute an introduction to the assessment and subsequently the rehabilitation of balance disorders.

039PHYOL1 Biophysics

4 Cr.

This course aims to introduce the physical principles underlying the functioning of the human body.

039CHISL1 Cytology - Histology

4 Cr.

This course offers analytical information at the cellular and tissue levels, preparing students to understand physiology, pathology and ultimately the effects of therapeutic interventions.

039DCSTL2 Dancing Aerobics

2 Cr.

This course consists of acquiring a psycho-corporeal technique based on rhythmic dance steps.

039DEDRL8 Ethics and Law

2 Cr.

This course prepares future physiotherapists for professional life in the fields of law and ethics. It provides all the necessary information in these areas, including Social Security, to enable students to apply them later.

039DSSPL7 Specific Areas in Physiotherapy

2 Cr.

This course enables students, based on the information acquired in anatomy, pathology and evaluation techniques, to care for specific cases in rehabilitation including burns, scars, constipation, swallowing disorders, temporomandibular joint disorders, facial paralysis, lymphatic edema and cellulite.

039ECSAL7 Health Economics

2 Cr.

This course broadens students' understanding of their role in the health system, extending beyond just rehabilitation.

039EPS1L2 Physical Education

2 Cr.

This course enables students to implement treatment procedures in the sports field and precedes other courses to ensure their smooth integration into this environment.

039ELROL5 Electrotherapy

2 Cr.

This course prepares students for decision-making in electrotherapy and the application of different types of electrical currents used in physiotherapy rehabilitation based on conclusive evidence.

039ERPRL8 Ergonomics - Prevention

2 Cr.

This course provides students with knowledge of workstation analysis methods for the prevention and analysis of professional risks. It also explains how to adapt the workstation to the worker in both professional and non-professional contexts.

039ECPRL3 Ethics and Professional Communication

2 Cr.

This course, offered in the first year, prepares students to integrate into internship sites by teaching them the principles to respect in their relationships with patients, their families, and the healthcare team. It addresses dilemma situations that students may encounter and provides a reflective method based on the standards and principles to be followed.

o39EPLTL4 Stretches, Postures and Tension Lifts

2 Cr.

This course on tension relief offers students techniques related to muscular tension. It is primarily practical and enriches the intervention methods of future physiotherapists.

Osteoarticular stretches and postures enable students to differentiate between joint mobility and flexibility. They also allow them to better understand the different methods of ballistic, active, passive, longitudinal, transverse and analytical stretching for the muscles of the upper limb, lower limb and trunk. In addition, students learn how to stretch shortened and hypertonic musculature and apply osteoarticular, manual, instrumental and self-passive postures to stiffened joints.

039EMINL3 Lower Limb Evaluation

4 Cr.

This course on the lower quadrant exam offers students the fundamental physical therapy assessment techniques for the lower extremities, presented in a new order for practical application on patients. It emphasizes the essential know-how in physiotherapy evaluation, with a significant focus on practice and manual skills.

The lower limb muscle assessment equips students with the necessary assessment techniques to assess muscular strength in the lower limb. This practical course supports other courses by aiding in the diagnosis and prognosis in physiotherapy, ultimately leading to appropriate treatment.

039EMSPL3 Upper Limb Evaluation

4 Cr.

The course on upper quadrant exam provides students with basic physical therapy assessment techniques for the upper extremities, presented in a new order for practical application on patients. It is based on know-how in the field of physiotherapy evaluation. It emphasizes the essential know-how in physiotherapy evaluation, with a significant focus on practice and manual skills.

The upper limb muscle assessment provides students with the necessary assessment techniques to evaluate the muscular strength of the upper limb muscles. This practical course complements other courses by aiding in the diagnosis and prognosis in physiotherapy, ultimately contributing to effective treatment planning.

039ERFAL3 Evaluation of the Spine and FACE

4 Cr.

The course on the spine exam provides students with basic physiotherapy assessment techniques for the spine and pelvis that can be applied directly to patients. It emphasizes practical skills and manual dexterity within the context of physiotherapy evaluation.

The spinal and facial muscle assessment provides students with the necessary techniques to evaluate the muscular strength of both spinal and facial muscles. This practical teaching unit complements other courses, aiding in the diagnosis and prognosis in physiotherapy to facilitate appropriate treatment.

039FEPEL2 Fitness and Personal Training

2 Cr.

This course offers an intensive introduction for students to better understand and potentially practice the profession of personal trainer.

039GRÉGL6 Gerontology and Rehabilitation in Geriatrics

2 Cr.

This course introduces students to gerontology (aging, pathologies and syndromes) as well as the corresponding physiotherapy (assessments and rehabilitation).

039IMMEL2 Medical Imaging

2 Cr.

This course provides students with the information on medical imaging necessary for analyzing anatomical x-rays.

039IPPEL1 Introduction to Physiotherapy and Examination Principles

4 Cr.

This course provides students with a general overview of their profession for the first time, preparing them to engage actively in their first professional clinical observation internship.

It aims to provide them with comprehensive information about the different techniques used in physiotherapy, their role as physiotherapist within an interdisciplinary team, the targets of their interventions, and their fields of action as well as the methodology of their care.

The principles of examination in physiotherapy offer students the approach to physiotherapeutic diagnosis as well as the essential techniques used for this purpose. They also familiarize students with analysis and synthesis in physiotherapy, combining theory with practical demonstrations.

039IPREL2 Introduction to Psychology in Rehabilitation

2 Cr.

This course covers the fundamental concepts of self-concept and the stages of human development. It also presents different personality profiles, and explores the dynamics of the psychological apparatus (functioning and defense mechanisms).

Additionally, the course covers communication processes, focusing on relationships with others, understanding limits, adapting to differences, identifying obstacles to communication, and examining their repercussions on the nature of relationships.

435LALML2 Arabic Language and Media

2 Cr.

This course provides a dynamic exploration of the Arabic language within its cultural context, emphasizing its application in visual, auditory, and written media, including advertising. It aims to equip students with practical linguistic skills, both oral and written, that are directly applicable and beneficial.

039LTTVL6 Muscle Tension Relief and Spinal Techniques

2 Cr.

This course provides students with practical techniques focused on muscular tension and spinal health. It is essentially practical and enriches the intervention methods of future physiotherapists.

039MESPL3 Sports Medicine

2 Cr.

This course prepares students for managing sports injuries by covering signs, diagnosis, treatment principles, and the role of physiotherapy in each case.

o39MMOIL8 Thesis 8 Cr.

This collective project is presented by groups of students at the end of their academic program, guided by a tenured instructor. Each group selects its own subject, subject to validation by the administration. All groups must adhere to the schedule set by the administration at the beginning of the academic year. The project concludes with a defense before a jury.

039MEREL7 Research Methodology

2 Cr.

This course prepares students for the research work required in the course entitled "Thesis".

The theoretical content focuses on locating scientific information, analyzing it, planning experiments, and interpreting the results obtained.

039MSPPL8 Professional Situation

2 Cr.

The course enhances the training of future physiotherapists through simulation, placing them in varied professional scenarios. This approach fosters their analytical and synthetic thinking skills, decision-making abilities, and practical application of their knowledge in a professional context.

039MOACL3 Active Mobilization

2 Cr.

This course on active mobilization is fundamental in physiotherapy, enabling students to better understand the concepts of muscular work and joint movement, as well as the different bodybuilding methods.

039MOBPL3 Passive Mobilization

2 Cr.

This course allows students to utilize passive mobilization techniques in patient care.

039OTHOL4 Orthopedics

2 Cr.

This course presents students with the various deformations encountered in the human body and the role of physiotherapy in addressing each pathology.

039PANML4 Neuromuscular Pathology

4 Cr.

This course prepares students for managing neurological disorders by explaining the semiology, pathophysiology, causes, complications, and treatment principles for various conditions in the field of neurology. It equips them with the necessary information to better interpret cases encountered and understand the molecular factors involved in the primary diseases affecting the muscles.

o39PTCVL5 Thoracopulmonary and Cardiovascular Pathology

4 Cr.

This course describes the major restrictive, obstructive and mixed alterations of the respiratory system, as well as the semiology of these diseases. It also covers the monitoring and planning of medical treatment, while encouraging patient involvement in their care plan. This course also emphasizes cardiac and vascular conditions and cardiac surgery.

039PAUGL6 Urogynecological Pathology

2 Cr.

This course serves as a prerequisite for rehabilitation in urology and gyneco-obstetrics. It provides an essential theoretical foundation for effective reasoning and application in physiotherapy.

039PPPPL6 Pediatrics and Pediatric Rehabilitation

4 Cr.

This course introduces students to cerebral palsy disorders. It covers normal psychomotor development, the characteristics of the types of infantile cerebral palsy, and the assessments required for physiotherapy and rehabilitation.

039PHAOL3 Pharmacology

2 Cr.

This course provides pharmacological support for physiotherapists allowing them to understand the effects of medications in the context of comprehensive treatment.

039PHARL2 Joint Physiology

2 Cr.

This course provides students with essential information on the normal joint function of the entire body, preparing them for understanding any dysfunctions in pathologies encountered later.

039PHAPL2 Physiology of Physical Activity

2 Cr.

This course covers all the essential data and information related to physical activity, serving as a fundamental reference for physiotherapists in their patient care. It enables students to grasp the basics of biochemistry applied to physiotherapy and to understand muscular bioenergetics and its consequences on performance development, or reduction.

039PHPGL1 General Physio-Pathology

4 Cr.

This course enables students to interpret the normal functioning of systems and connect them to their pathologies. General pathology presents the modifications occurring in the human organism due to different diseases affecting these systems.

039MASOL1 First Aid and Handling in Physiotherapy

4 Cr.

This practical course covers specific handling techniques and actions useful in student's professional lives. It includes concepts that will be useful during their internships and in patient care, particularly those of a medical nature. Basic first aid training introduces students to first aid, it aims to instill good reflexes for responding to victims in a life-threatening emergency.

039PACCM2 Preparation for Professional Access

1 Cr.

This course is offered at the end of the physiotherapy program and prepares future physiotherapists for professional life by offering them the tools necessary for career planning.

039RECVL6 Cardiovascular Rehabilitation

2 Cr.

This course prepares students for managing of cardiovascular disorders. It presents the assessments and the treatment techniques, as well as the necessary follow-up in the cardiovascular field.

039RÉGOL7 Rehabilitation in Gyneco-Obstetrics

2 Cr.

This course covers the physiology, psychology and effects of prenatal care as well as the effects of pregnancy on the musculoskeletal system. It aims to apply an innovative approach to care for pregnant women who will be given to groups of 8 to 10.

039RONCL8 Oncology Rehabilitation

2 Cr.

This course introduces students to the role of the physiotherapist in the rehabilitation of breast cancer. It covers various medical treatments and their complications and provides an overview of rehabilitation modalities for patients with lymphoma. Additionally, it offers insights into medical treatment methods, particularly bone marrow transplantation and immune system boosting.

039REORL7 Rehabilitation in Orthopedics

4 Cr.

This course enhances students' understanding of rehabilitative approaches for spinal pathologies, including scoliosis, kyphosis, and hyperlordosis. It provides tools for differential diagnoses and rehabilitative techniques grounded in evidence-based practice (EBP). Students are also encouraged to analyze relevant literature. Additionally, the course addresses the musculoskeletal system of the limbs, bones, and joints, focusing on pathologies unrelated to trauma.

039RRHUL5 Rehabilitation in Rheumatology

4 Cr.

This course prepares students for the management of rheumatology disorders by providing both diagnostic and therapeutic approaches specific to rheumatic conditions in physiotherapy. It includes both theoretical and practical components.

039RTTSL5 Trauma Rehabilitation

6 Cr.

This course on trauma rehabilitation, including sports rehabilitation, enables students to assess the patient, develop an appropriate treatment plan, and judiciously select and apply treatment techniques. It emphasizes a clear and highly structured rehabilitation approach based on the analysis of joint, muscular, and postural constraints associated with trauma.

039REEUL7 Rehabilitation in Urology

2 Cr.

This course allows students to treat the main pathologies in urogynecology and postpartum.

039RFATL4 Functional Rehabilitation and Technical Aids

4 Cr.

This course enables students to understand the various types of functional aids, focusing on their technical characteristics and usage. The goal is to prepare quality care that compensates for or ensures maximum independence and autonomy during daily activities disrupted by the aftermath of an injury.

Additionally, this course equips students with the knowledge and practical skills needed to identify and provide suitable wheelchairs for individuals with reduced mobility through a hands-on learning approach that combines theory and practical labs.

039RÉNML5 Neuromuscular Rehabilitation

4 Cr.

This course offers students the management and rehabilitation of neuromuscular disorders, focusing on comprehensive care for patients with disabilities caused by diseases affecting the nervous system (the brain, spinal cord, and nerves). It addresses rehabilitation and reintegration into daily life.

039RTPUL6 Thoracopulmonary Rehabilitation

4 Cr.

This course provides students with the theoretical foundations necessary for a comprehensive understanding of this treatment and the different patient assessment techniques, equipping them with multiple therapeutic practices.

039VESTL8 Vestibular Rehabilitation

2 Cr.

This course focuses on vestibular rehabilitation, utilizing exercises and activities to reduce dizziness and promote patient independent.

It enables 4th year students to conduct a comprehensive assessment of vestibular pathologies and manage patients with balance disorders.

039RESPL7 Socio-Professional Reintegration

2 Cr.

This course combines theoretical lessons and group work, positioned at the end of the training. It enables students to revisit the care of individuals with disabilities, understanding the various stakeholders involved and the different stages in the process that individuals with disabilities undergo to achieve social and professional reintegration, particularly in the Lebanese context. The course emphasizes the impact of society and surrounding individuals on the reintegration of people with disabilities.

039RELAL7 Neuromuscular Relaxation

2 Cr.

This course introduces the different relaxation methods, which students will be required to practice. They will discover the psychophysiological effects on tone, breathing, level of alertness, modification of states, consciousness, body image, and body schema.

039RHMAL4 Rheumatology

2 Cr.

This course prepares students for the management of musculoskeletal cases by presenting disorders in the field of rheumatology and emphasizing the etiologies, signs and appropriate treatments.

039SBETL6 Health and Well-Being Over Time

2 Cr.

This course emphasizes the role of the physical therapist in the prevention, treatment, and management of chronic diseases. It enables 4th year students to adapt their professional practice according to each individual's specific health status and needs, aiming to enhance physical well-being and quality of life while ensuring the maintenance of this well-being in patients with chronic diseases.

Note: This course addresses chronic illnesses not covered by other courses and is linked to the Rehabilitation of General Pathology.

039SAPUL4 Primary Health Care

2 Cr.

This course enables students to analyze a public health situation or problem from epidemiological, psychosocial, health, organizational, educational, ethical and economic perspectives.

It also allows them to identify and highlight objective and subjective needs for intervention and training.

039STBOL4 Operating Room Internship

2 Cr.

This internship connects theoretical knowledge in anatomy, physiology and pathology to surgical procedures facilitating patient care by future physiotherapists.

039STCPL8 Cardiopulmonary Rehabilitation Internship

4 Cr.

This internship enables students to care for patients in the cardiopulmonary field under the supervision of internship supervisors. Students rotate between several departments: the cardiac intensive care unit, the cardiology department, the exercise rehabilitation department and the respiratory therapy department or respiratory rehabilitation department.

039SRSTM2 Rehabilitation Course for Athletes in the Field

2 Cr.

This course enables students to support sports teams by conducting examinations and providing necessary treatment following sports injuries.

039STRHM2 Hydrotherapy Rehabilitation Course

2 Cr.

This course enables students to explore hydrotherapy treatment for patients.

039STRNL6 Neurology Rehabilitation Internship

4 Cr.

This internship offers students the opportunity to comprehensive care for patients in the field of neurology under the supervision of internship supervisors.

039SRPCL8 Neuro-Pediatric Rehabilitation Internship

4 Cr.

This internship provides students with pediatric care, performing assessments and specific rehabilitation techniques adapted to different clinical conditions while developing collaboration within the interdisciplinary team.

039STRPL3 Specific Rehabilitation Techniques 1

4 Cr.

This internship serves as the first approach to professional practice in physiotherapy, during which students apply data collection, evaluation, and treatment techniques in a context closely related to their future profession.

039SRP2L4 Specific Rehabilitation Techniques 2

6 Cr.

This internship offers students the opportunity to partially take care of patients under the supervision of internship supervisors in the fields of traumatology, rheumatology, neurology and orthopedics.

039SRP3L7 Specific Rehabilitation Techniques 3

4 Cr.

This internship offers students the opportunity to fully take charge of patients under the supervision of internship supervisors in the fields of traumatology, rheumatology and orthopedics.

039SRPOL6 Post-Operative Rehabilitation Internship

2 Cr.

This internship offers students the opportunity to care for hospitalized patients under the supervision of internship supervisors in various fields.

039SSPLL8 Primary Health Internship

2 Cr.

This internship offers students the opportunity to intervene in society by providing prevention services to the public in different areas while caring for patients under the supervision of internship supervisors in the field of public health.

This course promotes health and helps prevent diseases: obesity, diabetes, lung and heart diseases, etc.

039STNEL8 Internship in Neuromuscular Activation

2 Cr.

This internship offers students the opportunity to develop clinical reasoning based on neuromuscular activation through specific tests, enabling them to create individualized treatment plans tailored to each patient.

039STIML4 Medical Imaging Internship

2 Cr.

This internship offers students the opportunity to observe the process of obtaining medical imaging and to learn how to interpret the images.

039STIPL2 Introduction to Physiotherapy Internship

2 Cr.

This internship serves as an initial introduction to the professional field of physiotherapy, provided in hospitals or rehabilitation centers. During this experience, students apply their theoretical knowledge in practical settings, with a particular focus on mastering fundamental techniques, such as conducting patient consultations.

039STBIL2 Biomedical Statistics

2 Cr.

This course familiarizes future physiotherapists with the methods and concepts of descriptive and analytical statistics. It encourages them to adopt these techniques in their practice and scientific studies, enabling them to effectively utilize these concepts in seminars and oral presentations.

039TMAPL2 Massage and Palpatory Anatomy Techniques

4 Cr.

This course on basic technical massage is considered the first approach to physiotherapy techniques introduced in the first year. It allows students to discover and improve their manual skills. Along with other physiotherapy techniques, it forms an essential foundation for the profession.

Palpatory anatomy enables students to connect the theoretical knowledge of anatomy with practical application on the body. It helps them assess their palpation skills based on anatomical landmarks and the individual's morphotype.

039TETEL1 Work and Expression Techniques

2 Cr.

This course prepares students for their courses, internships and professional life by providing them with the necessary information related to communication.

o39DLRPL5 Specific Techniques 1: Lymphatic Drainage and Proprioceptive Rehabilitation 2 Cr.

This course allows students to acquire skills in proprioceptive rehabilitation for patients and to become familiar with manual lymphatic drainage techniques.

039TGFNL5 Specific Techniques 2: Global Postural Techniques 2 Cr. and Neuro-Muscular Facilitation Techniques

This course offers students specific physiotherapy techniques used in different conditions. It emphasizes two practical methods having different concepts and principles from others.

o39TMVDL8 Specific Techniques 3: Mechanical Therapy and Neurodynamic Technique 2 Cr.

This theoretical and practical course prepares students for spinal mechanical therapy and neurodynamic techniques of the neuromeningeal system.

039TRAUL3 Traumatology 2 Cr.

This course presents limb trauma, covering diagnosis and treatment. It highlights the role of physiotherapy in managing these pathologies.