

PRACTICE OF MEDICINE

Homoeopathy has a distinct approach to disease. It recognizes diseases neither by its prominent systems nor by those any organ or part of the body. It treats the patient as a whole and the totality of the systems exhibited by him represents his disease. Merely the name of the condition from which he suffers most is thus of no significance to a homoeopath.

The basic principles of homoeopathy that it treats the patient and not his disease should be constantly impressed in mind of the students, and it is only when this approach is firmly inculcated in them that they will be true homoeopaths.

Medicine is essentially a practical science and can be more learnt at the bed-side than in a class room. Care should therefore be taken to impart an intensive clinical training to the students during the later part of their study in the college.

A.A course of systematic instructions in the principles and practice of medicine.

B.During the first three months of the clinical period when the students will be no in charge of beds they will be given instructions on elementary methods of clinical examination including physical signs, the use of the common instruments like stethoscope, ophthalmoscope, etc

C.Instruction in Homoeopathic therapeutics and prescribing.

D.As a matter of convenience, it is suggested that instructions may be given in the following manner during the II, III and IV B.H.M.S. classes in medicine.

II. B.H.M.S.

- Applied Anatomy and Applied physiology
- Diseases of the respiratory systems.
- Diseases of the digestive system and peritoneum
- Diseases of metabolism and deficiency diseases.
- Diseases of blood, spleen and lymph glands.
- Pulmonary tuberculosis.
- Disorders of endocrine system-
- Applied materia medica/homoeopathic therapeutics.

III & IV B.H.M.S.

- Infectious diseases
- Disease of the cardio-vascular system
- Diseases of the genito-urinary system.
- Diseases of the locomotor system
- Diseases of the skin including leprosy.
- Psychological medicine.
- Tropical diseases.
- Applied materia medica homoeopathic therapeutics.

Note:

1. Throughout the whole period of the study the attention of the student should be directed by the teachers of this subject to the importance of its preventive aspects.

2. Instructions in these branches of medicine should be directed to the attainment of sufficient knowledge to ensure familiarity with the common conditions, their recognition and treatment.

3. Every student shall prepare and submit 20 complete case histories, 10 each in II and IV B.H.M.S.

The written papers in medicine shall be distributed as follows:-

Paper - I

Infectious diseases, Disorders of endocrine systems, diseases of metabolism and deficiency diseases.

Diseases of the digestive system and peritoneum.

Diseases of respiratory system, diseases of blood, spleen and lymph glands and tropical diseases.

Homoeopathic Therapeutics.

Paper - II

Diseases of locomotor system, diseases of cardio-vascular system, diseases of urino-genital system, diseases of children, diseases of nervous system, psychological medicine, common skin diseases, Homoeopathic therapeutics.
