

# University of Baghdad College of Nursing basic science Department Undergraduate Curriculum Microbiology for Nurses II



1. Course Title: Microbiology for Nurses II

2. Course Number: MBN2 224

3. **Credit Hours**: Total of (3) credits:

Theory (2) credits. Practical (1) credits.

4. **Course Calendar**: Total (4) hours weekly of (13) weeks:

Theory: (2) hrs.

Practical in the lab: (2) hrs.

5. Placement: Second years /Second Semester

### **6- Course Description**

Microbiology II course provides nursing students with the skills and knowledge about the principles of microorganism's reproduction, morphology, method of transmissions, diagnosis, prevention, control and treatment. Students also learn the most important fungal, parasitical and viral infections types. in order to manage and prevent infectious diseases.

# 7- Course Objective:

## a- Cognitive objective

- 1-The student's knowledge of the different types of microorganisms and their scientific classification
- 2-understanding the physiological and nutritional requirements of these microorganisms in addition to the different environments in which these microorganisms may live
- 3-State the sources and modes of transmission of pathogenic and opportunistic organisms including vectors and their role in transmission of diseases.
- 4-Learn about the life cycle, types of reproduction and transmission of microorganisms (parasites and viruses) and the optimal conditions for their living
- 5- The student's knowledge of the infections and diseases that can be caused by these microorganisms (parasites and viruses) and thus identifying how to prevent or reduce the occurrence of these diseases
- 6-Identify the different microorganisms that cause hospital acquired infections and how to control them and limit their spread

### **b-** Skills objective

- 1-The student will be able to use the microscope to view and diagnose microorganisms
- 2- The student can diagnose pathogenic microorganisms
- 3-The student will be able to differentiate between the different microscopic types through his knowledge of the phenotypic characteristics and their internal structures, as he will be able to diagnose them and determine their scientific name.
- 4- Knowing how to diagnose the microorganisms that cause various diseases and how to avoid infection with these pathogens by knowing the ways of transmitting them
- 5- Avoid infection by knowing the ways of transmission of microorganisms

Weeks	Topics
1.	*Introduction to Parasitology
1.	*Some terms of parasitology, types of parasites, Routes and modes of infections, types
	of hosts, relationships between parasite and host, some epidemiological terms,
2.	*Classification of Protozoa
	*General characters of protozoa
	*Entamoeba histolytica, Entamoeba coli
	(Stages, life cycle. Symptom, pathology, diagnosis prevention and control, and treatment)
	*Balantidium coli (life cycle. Symptom, diagnosis prevention and control, and
	treatment)
3.	* Intestinal Flagellates/ Giardia lamblia
	(Life cycle. Symptom, pathology, methods of diagnosis, prevention and control, and
	treatment)
	*Luminal and Atrial flagellates
	Trichomonas spp (T. hominis, T. tenax)
	Trichomonas vaginalis (life cycle. Symptom, pathology, diagnosis, and treatment)
4.	*Blood and Tissue flagellates ( <i>Leishmania spp. and Trepanosoma spp.</i> )
	1- Tissue flagellate ( <i>Leishmania donovani and Leishmania tropica</i> ) (stages, life cycle.
	Symptoms, pathology, diagnosis, and treatment) function and types of macrophages.
	2- Blood flagellates
	- African trypanosomiasis
	- American trypanosomiasis
	(Stages, life cycle, symptoms, diagnosis, Method of transmission)
5.	*Apicomplexa general characters
	1-Plasmodium four species and diseases caused by each one
	(Life cycle and stages. Symptom, pathology, diagnosis, global malaria prevention
	and control and treatment)
	2-Toxoplasmas gondii
	(Life cycle and stages. Symptom, diagnosis, control and treatment)
6.	*Helminthes (metazoan) general structure

7	Classification of helminths  a. Phylum: Platyhelminthes (flatworms)  Class I: Cestoda (Tapeworms). general structure  (Taenia saginata, Taenia solium, Hymenoleps nana and Echinococcus granulosus)  (Life cycle and stages. Symptom, diagnosis, control and treatment)  Class II: Trematoda (Flukes). general structure  Fasciola hepatica (Life cycle and stages. Symptom, diagnosis, control and treatment)
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	Fasciola nepatica (Life cycle and stages, Symptom, diagnosis, control and treatment)
	Schistosoma haematobium, Schistosoma mansoni, Schistosoma japonicum
	(Life cycle and stages. Symptom, diagnosis, control and treatment)
8	b. Phylum: Aschelminthes or Nemathelminthes general structure
	Ascaris lumbreciod, Anchylostoma duodenale, Enerobius vermicularis, Trichuris
	trchiura
	Life cycle and stages. Symptom, diagnosis, control and treatment
9	* Virology
	- General properties of viruses (virus componants)
	- A virus like particles (VLPs) and Subviral particles (viroid and prions)
	- Classification types
	- Viral replication
	- Viruses effects on cells
	- Persistent viral infections
	- Common routes of viral infection in human
10	*Measles, AIDS, Influenza virus (general structure of virus, symptoms, method of
	transmissions and prevention)
11	* Hepatitis A, B, C, D, E (general structure of virus, method of transmissions and
	prevention)
	* Corona virus
	- General structure
	- Three types of human coronavirus cause severe symptoms
	- Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19)
	- Prevention and treatment
	- How does it spread
	- Prevention and control
	- Diagnosis
12	* Hospital acquired infection
	- Introduction to Hospital acquired infection (nosocomial infection)
	- Factors influencing the development of nosocomial infections
	- Nosocomial infection sites
	- Sources and transmission of nosocomial infection
	- Mode of transmission of nosocomial infection
	- Duration of transmission
11	- Persistent viral infections - Common routes of viral infection in human  *Measles, AIDS, Influenza virus (general structure of virus, symptoms, method of transmissions and prevention)  * Hepatitis A, B, C, D, E (general structure of virus, method of transmissions and prevention)  * Corona virus - General structure - Three types of human coronavirus cause severe symptoms - Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) - Prevention and treatment - How does it spread - Prevention and control - Diagnosis  * Hospital acquired infection - Introduction to Hospital acquired infection (nosocomial infection) - Factors influencing the development of nosocomial infections - Microorganisms cause nosocomial infection - Nosocomial infection sites - Sources and transmission of nosocomial infection - Mode of transmission of nosocomial infection

13	Mycology
	- Introduction to mycology
	- General differences between fungi, bacteria and other eukaryotes
	- Morphological Classification of fungi
	- Fungi reproduction (asexual and sexual)
	- Classification of fungal diseases
	- Laboratory diagnosis
	- Antifungal Therapy

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- 2- Patrick R. Murray (2018): Basic Medical Microbiology, Elsevier.
- 3- Essential of medical microbiology, Apurbs et al., second edition (2019)

### **Practical Microbiology for Nurses (II)**

1-	Introduction to Parasitology
	Protozoa and flagellates
2-	Classification of human parasites
	Protozoa
	Phylum: sarcomastigophora
	Subphylum: sarcodina <i>Entamoeba histolytica</i>
	Subphylum: mastigophora Giardia lamblia
	Phylum: Ciliaphora/ Balantidium coli
	Phylum: Apicomlexa
3-	Entamoeba histolytica
	Entamoeba coli
	Small amoebiasis
	Endolimax nana
	Entamoea ginigivalis
	Iodamoeba butschlii
4-	Phylum: Mastigophora
	1- Atrial and intestinal flagellates
	Trichomonas vaginalis and Trichomonas spp
	Giardia lamblia
5-	2- Blood and tissue flagallates
	Leishmania spp. and Trepanosoma spp.
6-	Apicomplexa: include
	1-Plasmodium Spps
	2- Toxoplasma gondii

7-	Helminthes
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	Phylum: platyhelminthes
	Class: Cestode
	Class: Trematoda
	Phylum: Nemathelminthes
	Class: Nematoda
	Cestoda
	Taenia solium,
8-	T. Saginata
	Cestoda
	Echinococcus granulosus
	Hymenoleps nana
9-	2-Trematoda
	Fasciola hepatica
	Schistosoma haematobium
	Schistosoma mansoni
	Shistosoma japonicum
10-	Nematoda - Y
	Ascaris lumbreciod, Anchylostoma duodenale,
	Enerobius vermicularis, Trichuris trchiura