CENTRAL COUNCIL OF INDIAN MEDICINE NEW DELHI

SYLLABUS FOR SIDDHA MARUTHUVA ARIGNAR (BSMS) COURSE

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THIRD PROFESSIONAL BSMS

SUBJECT-NOI NAADAL PAPER – I (SIDDHA PATHOLOGY)

1.	Introduction to Siddha Pathology	[5 Hrs]
	1.1 Definition of Noi and Noi Naadal	
	1.2 Importance of Noi Naadal	
	1.3 Etiology of Diseases as per Siddha system.	
	1.4 Maruthuvanin Ilakkanam according to Siddhars	
	1.5 Noi intri vazha Kaayakalpam- mani manthira avizhtham	
2.	Inter-relations between five elements, six tastes and three humours – abnormalities of	during
	derangements.	[5 Hrs]
3.	Mukkutra iyal (Vatham – Pitham – Kapham)	[10 Hrs]
	3.1 Predominant locations – properties – Functional varieties – physiological role	[3 Hrs]
	3.2 Pathological conditions (increased & decreased features)	[4 Hrs]
	3.3 Thanilai valarchi – Vetrunilai valarchi – Thannilai adaithal	[3 Hrs]
	3.4 Derangements of Uyir thathukal	[15 Hrs]
4.	Thega ilakkanam correlated with diseases	[10 Hrs]
5.	Naadi:	[15 Hrs]
	6.1 Definition – locations	
	6.2 Vatha Naadi, Pitha Naadi, Kapha Naadi, ratio of Naadi, Conjoined Naadi	
	6.3 Dhasa Naadigal-Pathways-Relationship between dasanadi and dasavayu.	
	6.4 Pulse variations according to seasons	

6.5 Preponderant period of Vatha, Pitha & Kapha Naadi – conditions responsible for irregular

pulse rhythm - prognosis of a disease based on Naadi.

6.6 Bootha naadi and Pancha Bootha Naadi

6.7 Guru Naadi and its abnormalities 6.8 Abnormal findings of malpractice of Saram 6.9 Amirthanilai 6.10 Diagnosis of pregnancy and infertility through Naadi in various concepts **6.** Fourteen Natural Urges and the Clinical manifestations while suppressing them. [5 Hrs] 7. Asaathiya, Marana Naadikal and Kurigunangal (Fatal signs & symptoms) [5 Hrs] **8.** Ennvagai Thervukal [10 Hrs] 8.1 Examination through Naadi 8.2 Examination through Sparism 8.3 Examination through Naa 8.4 Examination through Niram 8.5 Examination through Mozhi 8.6 Examination through Vizhi 8.7 Examination through Malam 8.8 Examination through Moothiram- Neerkkuri, & Neikkuri. 9.8.1 Neerkkuri: (Urine general examination) - Alavu (Quantity), Niram (colour), Manam (odour), Nurai (froth), Edai (Consistensy/Density) – Enjal (Deposits) 9.8.2 Neikkuri: The different changes in the oil dropped on the urine to be observed 9.9 Diagnosis of diseases, curable and incurable condition through Ennyagai Thervukal 9. Special Diagnostic Methods in Siddha System [3 Hrs] 9.1 Manikkadai Nool (Wrist circumetric findings) 9.2 Thoothuvan Ilakkanam 9.3 Maruthuva Jothidaviyal -Concepts of jothidam in diagnosis Pancha patchi sasthiram - Concepts of Pancha patchi sasthiram in diagnosis 9.4 10. Seven physical constitutions (Udal thathukkal) [5 Hrs] formation of udal thathukal, ubha thathukal and & Malangal (feaces, Urine & sweat increased & decreased features) - Uyir anal- kukki anal 11. Digestive fire (Udal thee) -Geographical Classifications & Seasonal variations (Nilamum pozhuthum) - Appropriate time for medications. [3 Hrs] **12.** Primary causes of various diseases according to Therayar. [2 Hrs] 13. Worms and infectious diseases (Ottu noigal) [10 Hrs]

14. DISEASES: [Text Book S. No. 2]

The following headings should be covered for the following diseases. Veru peyar , Noi kaaranam, mukkutra verubadu, Noyin murkurigal, pothukkurigal, noi enn, signs and symptoms of types of the diseases, Naadi nadai, Theerum Theeratha Nilai (Prognosis).

SI. No.	Topics	Teaching Hours
1.	Suram	5 hrs
2.	Mukkadaippu	2 hrs
3.	Irumal	2 hrs
4.	Irraippu	2 hrs
5.	Ilaippu	2 hrs
6.	Thamaraga Noi	2 hrs
7.	Athi Kurathi Azhal Noi	2 hrs
8.	Vaanthi	2 hrs
9.	Gunmam	2 hrs
10.	Athisaaram	2 hrs
11.	Kirani	2 hrs
12.	Nina Kalichal	2 hrs
13.	Kaleeral Noi	2 hrs
14.	Maneeral Noi	2 hrs
15.	Paandu	2hrs
16.	Sobai	2 hrs
17.	Kaamalai	2 hrs
18.	Peruvayiru	5 hrs
19.	Siru Neer Noigal	5/11/A
19.1.	Siruneer Perukkal Noi	5 hrs
19.2.	Siruneer Arukkal Noi	5 hrs
20.	Vaatha Noigal	10 hrs
21.	Piththa Noigal	5 hrs
22.	Kabha Noigal	5 hrs
23.	Keel Vaatham	3 hrs

PRACTICALS

Major: [40 Hrs]

- Clinical applications of Three Humours (Vaatham, Piththam, Kabham)
- Interpretation of Enn vagai Thervukal
- Examination of Ezhu Udal Thathukkal

Minor: [60 Hrs]

- Manikkadai Nool
- Neerkkuri and Neikkuri

- Clinical applications of individual humours
- Clinical applications of individual Udal Thaathu
- Clinical applications of Enn Vagai Thervu
- Clinical applications of pregnancy and infertility

Theory Examination Scheme

Total Time 3 Hours Total Marks: 100

Topic	Units	Marks/Unit	Total marks
Long answer (Essay type)	2	15	30
Notes	10	5	50
Short answer	10	2	20
Grand Total		7.7	100

Practical / Clinical Examination Scheme

Total Time 2 Hours Total Marks: 100

Topic	Units	Marks/Unit	Time (minutes)
Major Practical	1	50	90
Minor Practical	1	20	30
Viva Voce	21/12	30	147
Total		100	120

TEXT BOOKS

- 1. சண்முகவேலு, நோய்நாடல் நோய்முதனாடல் திரட்டு, (பாகம் 1) 2^{ம்} பதிப்பு, சென்னை, இந்தியமருத்துவம் மற்றும் ஓமியோபதி துறை, தமிழ்நாடு அரசு, 2003
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NOI NADAL PAPER- II (Principles of Modern Pathology)

GENERAL PATHOLOGY

I Introduction of Pathology

[5 hrs]

- 1.1 Definition, Terminology and evolution of pathology.
- 1.2 Classification of Pathology
- 2 Techniques for the study of pathology

[10 hrs]

- 2.1 Applications of microscope and electron microscopes
- 2.2 Cytogenetic and its applications
- 2.3 Molecular pathology

3 Cell injury and its adaptations

[15 hrs]

- 3.1 Etiology pathogenesis and morphology of cell injury (irreversible and irreversible)
- 3.2 Pigments (endogenous and exogenous).
- 3.3 Cellular adaptations and aging.

4 Immunopathology

[10 hrs]

- 4.1 HLA system.
- 4.2 Diseases of immunity (AIDS)
- 4.3 Autoimmune diseases (SLE. Scleroderma, Sjogern"s syndrome).
- 4.4 Transplant rejection.
- 4.5 Amyloidosis (Pathogenesis, Classification, systemic amyloidosis and organal changes in amyloidosis)

5 Haemodynamics

[20 hrs]

- 5.1 Disturbances of body fluids and electrolytes (oedema, over hydration, dehydration)
- 5.2 Haemodynamic disturbances (disturbances in volume and obstructive nature- hyperemia, congestion and morphology of CVC of organs, thrombosis, ischemia, Infraction)

6 Inflammation and wound healing

[10 hrs]

- 6.1 Acute and chronic inflammation (Pathogenesis, Regulation, Morphology Systemic effects and fate of inflammations)
- 6.2 Chronic inflammatory diseases (TB, Syphilis, Sarcoidosis, Leprosy Action mycosis).
- 6.3 Healing-(Regeneration, repair, wound healing, Fracture healing).

Gene and chromosomal pathology [10 hrs] 7.1 Introduction to genetic diseases 7.2 Developmental defects 7.3 Cytogenetic (Karyotypic) abnormalities. 7.4 Storage diseases 7.5 Disorders with multifactorial inheritance. Infectious diseases [15 hrs] 8.1 Diseases caused by bacteria- Plague, Anthrax, Pertussis, and Botulism. 8.2 Diseases caused by virus- Yellow fever, Dengue Hemorrhagic fever, SARS, Herpes, Rabis) 8.3 Diseases caused by fungi- Mycetoma, Candidacies. 8.4 Diseases caused by Parasites- Amoebiasis, Malaria, Filariasis, Cysticercosis, TORCH complex. Neoplasia [10 hrs] 9.1 Microscopic features of tumours. 9.2 Carcinogenesis- molecular, Physical, Chemical and Biological. 9.3 Characteristics of tumours- Growth, Invasion, Metastasis. 9.4 Prognostic markers, Grading and staging. 9.5 Para neoplastic syndromes. 9.6 Lab diagnosis of cancers. 10 Environmental and Nutritional Diseases [15 hrs] 10.1 Alcoholism, Thermal and radiation injury 10.2 Obesity 10.3 Protein energy malnutrition 10.4 Deficiency diseases of vitamins and trace elements 10.5 Cancer diet. [15 hrs] 11 Hematopoietic System 11.1 RBC- Anemia and classifications, Iron deficiency anaemia, Sideroblastic, Megaloblastic, Pernicious, haemolytic anaemias, hereditary anemias, Aplastic anemia. 11.2 WBC- Leukemia 11.3 Platelets-Thrombocytopenia 11.4 Hemorrhagic diseases- hemophilia 11.5 Transfusion reactions. [15 hrs] 12 Clinical Pathology 12.1 Haematology 12.2 Examination of Sputum for AFB. 12.3 **Examination of Urine** 12.4 **Examination of Faeces** 12.5 Blood smear examination

Widal Test

Vaginal Smear.

12.6

12.7

Serological test- VDRL – Elisa Test – Hbs Ag, RA factor – ASO Titre

12.9 Skin – Skin clipping procedure.

- 12.10 Liver Function Tests, Renal Function Tests.
- 12.11 Radiology

PRACTICALS

(Total 100 Hours)

- 1. Haematology- Bleeding Time, Clotting Time, Cell counts Rbc, Wbc and platelets, ESR, Hb
- 2. Serology- Widal test, RA factor, ASO titer, VDRL, Hbs Ag
- 3. Smear Vaginal smear examination
- 4. Urine Examinations- Normal and Abnormal constituents.
- 5. Faeces- Morphology of worms like ascaris, Ankylostoma, Enterobius vermicularis.
- 6. Sputum for AFB.
- 7. Radiology
 - 7.1. Basic principles
 - 7.2. Osteology- Fracture, Dislocation and tumor
 - 7.3. Respiratory system-COPD, TB, Pleural effusion.
 - 7.4. CVS- Cardiomegally.
- 8. Slides (Histopathology & Haematology)
 - 8.1. Fatty liver.
 - 8.2. Liver Cirrhosis
 - 8.3. PCOD
 - 8.4. Ovarian Cyst & Carcinoma
 - 8.5. Uterus- Fibroid, Endometriosis, Carcinoma
 - 8.6. Fibroadinoma breast.
 - 8.7. Appendicitis.
 - 8.8. Colloidal Goiter.
 - 8.9. CML
 - 8.10. AML.
 - 8.11. ALL.
 - 8.12. CLL.
 - 8.13. Iron deficiency aneamia
 - 8.14. Sickle cell aneamia.
 - 8.15. Aplastic anemia.
- 9. Specimens
 - 9.1. Fatty liver.
 - 9.2. Liver Cirrhosis
 - 9.3. PCOD
 - 9.4. Ovarian Cyst & Carcinoma
 - 9.5. Uterus- Fibroid, Endometriosis, Carcinoma
 - 9.6. Fibroadinoma breast.
 - 9.7. Appendicitis.
 - 9.8. Spleenomegally.

Theory Examination Scheme

Total Time 3 Hours Total Marks: 100

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Notes	10	5	50
Short answer	10	2	20
Grand Total	7/	PA2	100

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Major Practical	1	50	90
Minor Practical	0 51/	20	30
Viva Voce	0 5	30	151
Total	1016	100	120

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SUBJECT: NOI ANUGAVITHI OZHUKKAM (HYGIENE AND COMMUNITY MEDICINE INCLUDING NATIONAL HEALTH POLICIES AND STATISTICS)

The contents of this syllabus are to be imparted to students by lectures, demonstrations and field studies wherever possible. The importance of preventive medicine and the measures for the promotion of preventive health shall be emphasized. The students shall be made well conversant with the national health programs in rural and urban areas, so that they can also be assigned responsibilities in the field of preventive and social medicine including family planning.

CHAPTER – 1 [1 hour]

Introduction to preventive and social medicine, concept of man and society, aim and scope of preventive and social medicine, relations between economic factors and environment in health and disease, The ways to lead a disease free life as said by siddhar Theraiyar

CHAPTER – 2 [1 hour]

The five landscapes- description and occurrence of diseases

CHAPTER – 3 [1 hour]

Ancient town planning - modern town planning

CHAPTER – 4 [1 hour]

Industries – occupational diseases and its preventions – occupation hazards – occupation classifications

CHAPTER – 5 [1 hour]

Oor thooimai – waste management – Excreta disposal – modern sewage treatment and other methods of sewage disposals

CHAPTER -6 [1 hour]

Modern house and vaasthu, Specifications of Siddha Hospital according to Therayar Tailavarga Surukkam

CHAPTER – 7 [1 hour]

Disposal of human corpses, History and types, Electric crematorium and related regulations, Organ donation

CHAPTER – 8 [1 hour]

Seasons (Perumpozhuthu, Sirupozhuthu) – Principles to be followed in the above seasons and the specific food. Imporikal Kappu, Healthy sleep habits related to seasons, Uthrayanam, Thachayanam, Uttama, Mathima, Athama Kaala Ozhukam, Outbreaks of seasonal diseases like Dengue, Malaria, Chicken pox etc

CHAPTER – 9 [1 hour]

Healthy Environment-causes and impact of climate change of health- preventive measures to combat climate change- Malé declaration and other international Conventions on Climate Change- "Day Zero"-Basics of Bio-climatology, Organic Farming, Ethical consumption and Conservation of natural resources

CHAPTER – 10 [1 hour]

- Water uses sources pollution and its related diseases, Purification and distribution. Water treatment methods
- Rain water, Snow water Collection methods and Application types
- River Water types and therapeutic uses
- Waterfalls, Pond water and Well water types and therapeutic uses
- Nandu Kuzhineer, Naavalmaraneer, karunkalineer, Vaazhaineer, ila neer (tender coconut water) types and therapeutic uses.
- Neerakaram, Kaadineer, Kainthaariyaneer, Ulogapathirathil vaithaneer (Gold, Silver, Copper, Panchalogam, Iron)
- Water testing methods, quality of potable and drinking water, rain water harvesting

CHAPTER – 11 [1 hour]

Neruppu (or) thee – Atmospheric temperature – Effects of heat stress – Effects of cold stress – Preventive measures of global warming – humidity, Fire safety, Mock drill and types of fire extinguishers

CHAPTER – 12 [1 hour]

Air pollution – Health aspects, Prevention and control, ventilation – Types, Lighting, Pugai – types Good and adverse reaction, Control of air pollution in hospitals like fumigation, preventive aspects of traditional fumigation methods (Agil, Santhanam, Devadaru, Sambirani, Karpuram etc.)

CHAPTER – 13 [1 hour]

Noise –noise pollution – Effects and control

CHAPTER – 14 [1 hour]

Good habits – Personal hygiene (oil bath etc.) – Dressing – gemstones and their medicinal effects. Pancha Karpam, Nalungu maa and Diseases, Bio Cleansing and Detoxification procedures in Siddha Medicine

CHAPTER – 15 [1 hour]

Food – Six tastes – Three types of food – Toxicity – Adulteration – Food borne diseases – Prevention and control – Food standards- Food Digestion time

CHAPTER – 16 [1 hour]

Drinks – Properties of hot water linked with utensils – fruit juices

CHAPTER – 17 [1 hour]

Uses of beetle leaf and nut, over usage of areca nut, Tobacco control,

CHAPTER – 18 [1 hour]

Rest and sleep – Types of bed – Sleeplessness

CHAPTER – 19 [1 hour]

Nutritious and balanced diet – Role of fibers, cereals, vegetables – Greens – fruits – animal proteins – fish – birds – pickles etc. – Diseases –Thrithoda samaporulgal –Nutritional problems in public health

CHAPTER – 19 [1 hour]

Principles of Diet regimen (Patthiyam), Daily diet regimen for Vali (Vatha), Azhal (Pitha) and Iyam (Kapham) body constitutions, Diet regimen (Patthiyam and Apatthiyam) for Oil bath, Purgation, Piles etc. Antidote for drug and diet (Patthiyam) adverse reactions, Food Serving procedures – types of vessels and their effect on food preparation.

CHAPTER – 20 [1 hour]

- Communicable diseases: Causes Symptoms Prevention and control of Chicken pox Measles –
 Mumps Influenza Diphtheria Whooping cough Tuberculosis Plaque Rubella, etc
- Intestinal infections: Causes, symptoms, prevention and control of poliomyelitis Viral hepatitis –
 Cholera Acute Gastro Enteritis Typhoid Food poisoning Amoebiasis Ascariasis Hook worm
 infestation etc.
- Arthropod borne infection: Causes, symptoms, prevention and control of Dengue Malaria Filariasis – Chikungunya-Lepto Spirosis, SARS.
- Surface infection: Causes, symptoms, prevention and control of Trachoma Tetanus Leprosy STD AIDS/ HIV.
- Traditional methods of Control and prevention of communicable diseases like Chicken pox, measles,
 Dengue, Chickungunya, Swineflu, Ebola etc

CHAPTER – 21 [1 hour]

Primary Health Care, Maternity and Child Health Services, Immunization of children, Control of communicable diseases, Nutritional disorders, Health checkup of school children, National & Regional health programmes – NMEP – NFCP – NLCP – NTP – National Aids control programme – National

programme for control of blindness – Iodine deficiency disorders programme – National cancer control programme – National mental health programme – National diabetes control programme – Child survival and safe motherhood programme – National family welfare programme – National water supply and sanitation programme – Minimum needs programme – Health and missions, Health statistics, Drinking water quality, Environmental sanitation, Disaster management, Control of STD and Notifiable diseases-Role of Siddha Medicine in public health

CHAPTER – 22 [1 hour]

Siddha Lifestyle Medicine

Definition of Life style diseases, Evidence based behavioral interventions to treat and manage chronic life style diseases, Health and Life style Medicine interventions, Life style counseling, Mental Health and adapting Thirumular Attanga Yogam

CHAPTER – 23 [1 hour]

Siddha Primordial preventions of diseases- Definition and importance of primordial preventions-Levels of prevention – Primordial, primary, secondary and tertiary level, Siddha concept of prophylaxis – immunology and personnel hygiene -Vaccination & Immunization Schedule

CHAPTER – 24 [1 hour]

Siddha Culinary Medicine

Introduction -Relation between diet and health life — Siddhars concept-Preventive care through culinary medicine-Siddha cutlery; Ancient and Modern perspective, do's and don'ts-Siddha diet for controlling specific diseases (e.g. Diabetes, Hypertension, Mother and Child Health)-Longevity through diet-High energy Siddha diet-Home gardening, Techniques for building a health soil-Siddha healthy cookery

CHAPTER – 25 [2 hour]

Principles of hospital management, Clinical Establishment act, Medical records Maintenance, Hospital Acquired Infection Control and Preventive methods, Bio Medical Waste Management – Types and Disposal management

Field Work

- 1. Visit to the nearby water purification plant of the local municipal authority.
- 2. Visit to the nearby co-operative organisation to understand the preparation of Karuppatti, Vellam (Jaggery), Milk products, Honey, Tribal foods, Organic/traditional foods etc.
- 3. Hands on training on Control of Infectious diseases in Hospitals
- 4. Practical demonstration/training on Siddha culinary medicine:
 - a. Usage of Siddha Cutlery
 - b. Prevention and management of diseases through classical siddha diet therapy
 - c. Preparation of Siddha kayakalpam
- 5. Health Statistics:

Medical statistics deals with applications of statistics to medicine and the health sciences, including epidemiology, public health, forensic medicine, and clinical research.

By identifying statistical trends and trails, health care providers can monitor local conditions and compare them to state, national, and international trends. Health statistics provide empirical data to assist in the allocation of public and private funds and help to determine how research efforts should be focused.

6. Special OPD for Social and Public health to deliver awareness (Drugless Therapies) and to Conduct a statistical research with the guidance of teaching/clinical faculty to assess the effectiveness of Siddha Primary / primordial prevention methods. Family counseling on primordial primary preventive methods also has to be done by the student in the supervision of faculty.

Theory Examination Scheme

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SYLLABUS FOR SIDDHA MARUTHUVA ARIGNAR (BSMS) COURSE

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THIRD PROFESSIONAL BSMS

SATTAM SARNTHA MARUTHUVAMUM NANJU MARUTHUVAMUM (FORENSIC MEDICINE AND TOXICOLOGY)

Section 1. Sattam Sarntha Maruthuvam (Forensic Medicine)

(60 Marks)

1) Introduction:

(3hours)

Definitions – unnatural deaths – inquest – courts – power of courts – proceedings of the courts - Summons – medical evidences – dying declaration – witness –Sentences- professional secrets of a doctor – doctors and proceedings of the courts- Medical Certificate.

2) Introduction to Medical Law and Ethics:

(3hours)

Duties of Medical Practitioners-Professional Secrecy-Professional misconduct-Professional Negligency -Mercy killing-Organ Transplantation. (Detailed Study to be done as per Chapter 20)

3) Identity:

(10 hours)

Useful factors for identity- identity in civil and criminal cases - identity in dead person - racial characters and religion— sex — sex determination from bones -age — medico legal importance of age- age determination from teeth and bones — general development and stature -complexion features of individuality — hair- external peculiarities-scars —Moles- malformation-Tattoomarks — Anthropometry — Dactylography — poroscophy-occupational marks.

4) Medico legal Autopsy:

(3hours)

Type of Autopsy- Conditions – Important points to be noted – External and Internal examination – preparation of specimens for analysis – Issue of death certificate-exhumation.

5) Death and Its Causes:

(3hours)

Definition -Medico legal importance – Modes of death and classification – sudden death – signs of death- Suspended animation

6) Post-mortem Changes:

(3hours)

Post Mortem Hypostasis-Algor mortis-Cadaveric changes in the muscle – primary relaxation – rigidity – Secondary relaxation – Decomposition – Putrefaction-Adipocere formation – Mummification – Estimation of time of death.

7) Asphyxia: (10hours)

Definition-Asphyxia and Asphyxial death — causes — features of asphyxia and asphyxial death — Autopsy findings common to all asphyxias — Hanging — Complete and Incomplete Hanging-causes for death — autopsy findings — judicial hangings — medico legal aspects — Accidental-Suicidal-Homicidal Hanging-strangulation — autopsy findings — medico legal aspects — differences between hanging and strangulation — Throttling — autopsy findings — Drowning — causes — Autopsy findings — How to conform the cause of death — first aid — smothering —Suffocation-medico legal aspects — choking — traumatic asphyxias — autopsy findings.

8) Wounds and classification:

(10 hours)

Wounds – classification – abrasions – contusion – lacerated wounds – incised wound – stab wound – firearm wound and their medico legal importance – Ante mortem and post mortem wounds – Internal and external changes of wounds – Age of the wounds – death due to wounds – fatal injuries – Grievious injuries – Defense wound – varieties of firearm and its function. Causes for death due to firearm – Hemorrhage – fat embolism – Systemic embolism-Bomb Explosive Wounds-Transportation injury, types and mechanism of skull fractures-types of intra cranial hemorrhages.

9) Sexual offences: (6 hours)

Classifications-Rape-Incest – procedure for examination of the accused and victim – Findings of the examination – Important point the accused & victim to be noted – Examination of the place where the offence takes place- blood stains – general examination—age and sex identification from blood stains-blood groups-dna –finger printing- chemical examination – Semenology – acid phosphatase test – alizarin test & etc.; Serological examinations – Microscopic examination – Difference test between semen & other substances- **Unnatural sexual offences**: Sodomy-Examination of the accused and Victim- Bestiality – Examination of the accused and animal - Buccal Coitus – Tribadism – **Sexual Perversions:** Transveritism – Sadism – Masochism – Exhibitionism-Fetchism – Necrophilia-Froteurism- masturbation-undinism-lust murder.

10) Impotence and Sterility, Sterilization, Artificial Insemination:

(4 hours)

Impotence and Sterility- Sterilization-Artificial Insemination-Surrogate Motherhood.

11) Virginity: (2 hours)

Anatomy of Female genitalia – Hymen – Causes for the Rupture of hymen – Medical legal importance.

12) Pregnancy: (3 hours)

Fertilization — Confirmatory findings for pregnancy – Presumptive signs – Probable signs – Positive signs – Biological Tests-Medico legal Importance-Legitimacy and Paternity.

13) Delivery: (3hours)

Signs of delivery in the living – Sign of remote delivery in the living – Signs of delivery in the non living Woman– Supposititious child.

14) Abortion: (3 hours)

Definition – Natural abortion –Cause of Abortion-Artificial Abortion- Justifiable abortion – Abortion on the basis of health condition – Rule to follow by the physician – Procedures – Criminal abortion – complications – Cause of death- MTP act, 1971- PCPNDT Act, 1994

15) Infanticide: (3 hours)

Infanticide & its criminal proceedings – Still born babes – Features – Dead born – features – mummification – Causes of death – To confirm whether still born or birth after death – Accidental causes – Natural Causes-Criminal Causes-Precipitate Labor – Medico legal Importance-Concealment of Birth-Sudden Infant death syndrome-Battered baby syndrome.

16) Burns and Scalds: (3hours)

Burns – Scalds – Stages of Burns & scalds – signs & symptoms – causes of death – Autopsy findings.

17) Death from Lightning, Electricity, Hot & Cold:

(4hours)

Lightning and its effects – Medication – Autopsy findings – Electricity and its effect – Causes for death – Medication – Autopsy findings – Hot – Effects – cold and its effects – Autopsy findings.

18) Starvation: (3 hours)

Definitions – signs & Symptoms – Cause of death– Autopsy findings.

19) Forensic Psychiatry:

(8 hours)

Insanity – Delirium – Delusion – Medico legal aspects – Hallucination – illusion –Lucid interval—impulse – obsession – Phobia- idiocy – Mental Sub-normality-Diagnose insanity-Imbecility – feeblemindedness – Dementia – Schizophrenia – Psychic epilepsy – melancholia – Psychiatry due to alcohol abuse – Feigned insanity – laws related to psychiatry – court and psychiatrics – somnambulism – Automatism-Hypnotism and mesmerism-Medico legal Importance-Civil and criminal responsibility of insane-restraint of insane.

20) Laws regulating Medical practice in India

Acts of Medico-Legal Importance in India

(3 hours)

Important provisions of Constitution of India— Important provisions of Indian Evidence Act- The National Medical Commission Act, 2019-Indian Medicine Central Council Act, 1970 -Drugs and cosmetics Act 1940 -Drugs and magic remedies (objectionable) advertisements Act 1954-Drugs control Act 1950

Important provisos of Indian Penal Code (IPC) and Code of Criminal Procedure (CrPC) (2 hours)

IPC Section 31 - A Will

IPC Section 39 – A person is said to cause an effect "voluntarily"

IPC Section 82 – Act of a child under 7 years of age.

IPC Section 83 – Act of a child above 7 years and under 12 years

IPC Section 84 – Mc Naughten's Rule or legal test.

IPC Section 85 – Act under intoxication.

IPC Section 87 – Below 18 years – no valid consent for physical examination.

IPC Section 88-93 – Legal protection to Medical Doctors.

IPC Section 89 – Consent from Guardians for age below 12.

IPC Section 90 – Validity of Consent – fear, Intoxication etc.

IPC Section 118 – Concealing design to commit offence punishable with death or imprisonment for life.

IPC Section 176 – Omission to give notice or information to public servant by person legally bound to give it

IPC Section 177 – Furnishing false information.

IPC Section 178 – Refusing Oath or affirmation when duly required by public servant to make it.

IPC Section 179 – Refusing to answer public servant authorised to question.

IPC Section 182 – False information, with intent to cause public servant to use his lawful power to the injury of another person.

IPC Section 190 – Threat of injury to induce person to refrain from applying for protection to public servant

IPC Section 191 – Giving false evidence.

IPC Section 192 - Fabricating false evidence.

IPC Section 193 – Punishment for false evidence.

IPC Section 194 – Giving or fabricating false evidence with intent to procure conviction of capital offence.

IPC Section 195 – Giving or fabricating false evidence with intent to procure conviction of offence punishable with imprisonment for life or imprisonment

IPC Section 197 – Issuing or signing false certificate.

IPC Section 201 – Causing disappearance of evidence of offence, or giving false information to screen offender.

IPC Section 202 – Not informing Police

IPC Section 203 – Giving false information respecting an offence committed.

IPC Section 204 – Destruction of document or electronic record to prevent its production as evidence.

IPC Section 228A – Disclosure of identity of the victim of certain offences

IPC Section 272 – Adulterating Food or Drink

IPC Section 273 – Selling adulterated food or drink

IPC Section 274 – Adulteration of drugs

IPC Section 275 – Selling Adulterated drugs

IPC Section 276 – Selling a different drug

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IPC Section 277 – Fouling Water / Spring / Reservoir
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IPC Section 278 – Making Atmosphere noxious

IPC Section 284 – Punishment for negligent conduct with respect to poisonous substance

IPC Section 294 – Punishment for Exhibitionism

IPC Section 299 - Defines Culpable Homicide

IPC Section 300 – Culpable homicide is murder

IPC Section 302 - Punishment for murder

IPC Section 304 - Punishment for culpable homicide not amounting to murder

IPC Section 304A – Causing death by negligence

IPC Section 304B – Dowry death

IPC Section 306 - Abetment of Suicide

IPC Section 309 – Attempt to commit suicide

IPC Section 312-316: Criminal Abortions

IPC Section 313 - Causing miscarriage without woman's consent

IPC Section 317 – Abandoning Infant

IPC Section 318 – Concealment of birth by secret disposal of dead body.

IPC Section 319 – Hurt, Hurt means bodily pain, disease or infirmity caused to any person

IPC Section 320 - Grievous Injury Any of the following injuries are grievous. (Read more about

this on Platinum access. This is an important topic)

IPC Section 323 - Punishment for Hurt

IPC Section 324 – Dangerous weapons / Poisons / Corrosives

IPC Section 325 - Describes Punishment for Voluntarily Causing Grievous Hurt.

IPC Section 351 – Defines Assault: Threat/attempt to apply force

IPC Section 354 - Punishment for Indecent Assault

IPC Section 361 - Kidnapping from lawful guardianship

IPC Section 362 - Abduction

IPC Section 363 - Punishment for kidnapping

IPC Section 366A – Kidnapping an Indian girl below 18 for Prostitution

IPC Section 366B – Importing any foreign girl below 21 for Prostitution

IPC Section 369 – Kidnap a child below 10 years for movable property

IPC Section 374 – Unlawful compulsory labour

IPC Section 375 – Rape, Unlawful sexual intercourse by a man

IPC Section 376 – Punishment for Rape

IPC Section 377 - Unnatural offences

IPC Section 497 – Adultery / Artificial Insemination

IPC Section 498A - Dowry death

Important provisos of Code of Criminal Procedure (CrPC) (1 hour)

CrPC Chapter 5 Section 41 to 51 – Arrest of Persons

CrPC Section 53. Examination of accused by medical practitioner at the request of police officer.

- CrPC Section 54. Examination of arrested person by medical practitioner at the request of the arrested person.
- CrPC Section 174. Police to enquire and report on suicide, etc.
- CrPC Section 291. Deposition of medical witness.
- CrPC Section 328. Procedure in case of accused being lunatic.
- CrPC Section 329. Procedure in case of person of unsound mind tried before Court.
- CrPC Section 338. Procedure where lunatic detained is declared fit to be released.

Basic Provisions of the following Laws related to Medical Practice

(2 hours)

- 1. Air (prevention and control of pollution) act 1981
- 2. Anatomy Act 1957
- 3. Arms Act 1950
- 4. Atomic energy regulatory body approval for radiology Act 1962
- 5. Atomic energy (safe disposal of radioactive waste) rules 1987
- 6. Biomedical medical waste management handling rules 1998
- 7. Birth and death and marriage registration act 1886
- 8. Blood bank regulations under Drugs and cosmetic rules 1999
- 9. Breeding of and Experiments on Animals Amendment Rules 2005
- 10. Consumer protection Act 1986
- 11. Dentists Act 1948
- 12. Disaster Management Act 2005
- 13. Electricity rules 1956
- 14. Environment protection Act 1986
- 15. Epidemic disease Act 1897
- 16. Eyes (Authority for Use for Therapeutic Purposes) Act 1982
- 17. Fire Prevention and Fire Safety Act 1986
- 18. Guardians and wards Act 1890
- 19. Homoeopathy Central Council Act 1973
- 20. Indian fatal accidents Act 1955
- 21. Indian lunacy Act 1912
- 22. Indian medical degrees Act
- 23. Indian nursing council Act 1947
- 24. Information Technology Act 2000
- 25. Insecticide Act 1968
- 26. Insurance Act 1938
- 27. Mental Health Act 1987
- 28. Narcotics and psychotropic substances Act 1985
- 29. Noise Pollution (Regulation and Control Amendment) Rules 2000,
- 30. Noise pollution control Rules 2000
- 31. Nursing council Act 1997

- 32. Persons With Disabilities Act 1995
- 33. Pharmacy Act 1948
- 34. Poisons Act 1919
- 35. Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1960
- 36. Prevention of food adulteration Act 1954
- 37. Prohibition of smoking in public places Rules 2008
- 38. Prohibition of Violence against Medicare Service Institutions Act 2009
- 39. Protection of Human Rights Act 1993
- 40. Public Liability Insurance Act 1991/1992/1993
- 41. Registration of birth and deaths act 1969
- 42. Rehabilitation Council of India Act 1992
- 43. Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act 1974
- 44. The surrogacy (regulation) bill, 2018
- 45. Transplantation of human organ Act 1994
- 46. Vaccination Act 1880
- 47. Water (prevention and control of pollution) Act 1974
- 48. The Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006

Important aspects of regulatory compliance for a medical practitioner

(2 hours)

State Boards/Councils acts for Medical Registration

State/central regulations on professional conduct and etiquette

Procedures for obtaining License for patented drug (State/central regulations)

Clinical Establishments (Registration and Regulation) Act, 2010

Consumer protection Act 1986

Laws regulating Emergency medical care given by AYUSH medical Practitioner

Rights and privileges of AYUSH medical Practitioner

Section 2. NANJU MARUTHUVAM (TOXICOLOGY)

(40 Marks)

1 Introduction (3 hours)

Definition – History of poison-Law of Poisons- classification of poisons – Factors Modifying the Effect of Poison- Action of Poison-Biotransformation – Route of administration –Route of Excretion- diagnosis of poisoning in Living and dead – Duties of a doctor in case of poisoning – Treatment of poisoning-ideal homicidal and suicidal poisoning-Poison centres.

2 Corrosive poisons (Acids strong alkalis)

(3 hours)

Inorganic Acids: Sulphuric Acid-Nitric Acid-Hydrochloric Acid.

Organic Acids: Carbolic Acids-Oxalic acid.

Strong Alkalis: Sodium, Potassium, Ammonium Hydroxides and Carbonates

3 Irritant Poisons

I. Agicultural poisons: Organo Phosphorous- Organo Chlorine- Carbamates. (2 hours)

II. Inorganic Irritant Poisons:

Metals: Arsenic Compounds-Antimony-Lead-copper-Mercury compounds-zinc (3hours)

Non Metals: Phosphorous--Sulphur-Mica. (2 hours)

Mechanical Irritants: Glass powder-diamond powder-animal and vegetable Hairs. (2 hours)

III. Organic Irritant Poisons:

(8 hours)

Plants: Abrus precatorius – Calotropis gigantea – Semecarpus anacardium – Capsicum annum – Croton tiglium – Ricinus communis – Euphorbia antiquorum – Excoearia agallocha- Gloriosa Superba-Plumbago zeylanica (Parts used, Chemical Compounds, Signs and Symptoms, Fatal dose, Fatal Period, Siddha and Modern method of Treatment, Postmortem Examination and Medico legal Importance)

Animal Bites and Stings:

(3 hours)

Types of Animal Poisons (Chemical Compounds, Signs and Symptoms, Fatal dose, Fatal Period, Siddha and Modern method of Treatment, Postmortem Examination and Medico legal Importance) Ants-Scorpion-Wasps-Spider-Snakes-Centepedes-Bees-Rats-Onan-Lizards-Leech-Frog-Dog-Cat-Monkey-Horse-Fox-Unknown bite-Crocodile-Beetle-Pig-Animal bites treated with palagarai parpam.

4 Systemic Poisons

I. Neurotic or Cerebral Poisons:

Inebriant and CNS depressants: Opium-Morphine - Pethidine- Alcohol-ethyl, Methyl Alcohol-

Toddy-Country Arrack.

(4 hours)

CNS Stimulants: Amphetamine, Caffeine (1hour)

Deliriants: Datura fastuosa-Cannabis sativa--Cocaine.

(2 hours)

Spinal Poison: Strychnos Nux Vomica-Peripheral nerve poison – Hemlock poison(1 hour)

II. Cardiac Poisons: - (3hours)

Nerium odorum – Cerbera thevitea- Aconitum ferox – Nicotiana Tobaccum- Cleistanthus Collinus-Digitalis Purprea. (Parts used, active principles, Signs and Symptoms, Fatal dose, Fatal Period, Siddha and Modern method of Treatment, Postmortem Examination and Medico legal Importance)

III. Asphyxiants: (3hours)

Carbon Monoxide-Carbon Dioxide-Hydrogen Sulphide and War Gases.

5 Food Poisonings and Poisonous Foods

(8 hours)

Definition-poisoning due to Micro organisms(Bacteria, Protozoa, fungus) - Botulism-poison due to chemical - Vegetable Origin (Lythyrus Sativus, Rye, Oats, Barely, Ground nut, Argemone Mexicana, Mushrooms, Ulunthu, Thuvarai, kadali, motchai, Cocconut, Banana fruit, Jack fruit, Bombax Malbaricum, Naval kottai, Sivanar root, Nungu, Magilam poo, wheet, Gingily oil)-Fish Poisoning—Ghee-Honey-Curd rice-Rice- Egg- Kudineer Thodam- Idu Marunthu -Neer Thodam-Features of Poisonous food-Examination of Poisonous Food-Signs and Symptoms-Treatment. Food Adulteration and its medico-legal importance-Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI)-Detection of Food adulteration- Dart: Detect Adulteration with rapid test - FSSAI

6 Drug Dependence (3 hours)

Definition-Causes-Types of Drug Dependence-Treatment Protocol-Investigations of drug abuse deaths.

7 House hold and Miscellaneous Poisons

(2hours)

Total Marks: 100

Analgesics, Anti-pyretics, Kerosene, Camphor, Ant powder-Match Box-Rat Poison

Theory Examination Scheme

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Practical Classes

Identification of Spotters (10 hours)

Toxic Plants-Toxic Metals and Minerals-Toxic Animals and household poison.

Identification of Weapons: (10 hours)

Ligature material, Blunt and Sharp edged weapons (Knife, Stone, Stick etc.), Fire arms

Microscope Findings: (10 hours)

Stains (blood & Semen), Animal and Human Hair, Fibers etc.

Identification of cases by seeing Photos/videos: (10 hours)

Injury Cases, Burning, Drowning, Hanging, Strangulation, Animal / insect Bites etc.

Certificates: (10 hours)

Medical Certificate, Physical Fitness, Death certificate.

Practical usage of Instruments: (4 hours)

Stomach wash tube and Ryles tube etc -

Examinations: (16 hours)

Examination of skeletal remains, Age estimation from dentition, Age estimation from ossification, Accident register (wound certificate), Examination of drunkenness, Preservation of viscera in various poisoning.

Dart: Detect Adulteration with rapid test prescribed by FSSAI (20 hours)

Visit to De-addiction centers for acquaintance of treatment protocols (10 hours)

Visit to the causality OPD at District HQ hospital for acquaintance of treatment protocols for Snake bite / Suicide attempt /Poisoning cases

Visit to Nearby Hospital to attend Post-Mortem Examination classes (not less than 2)

Visit to the Nearby Civil and Criminal Court to understand the Court proceedings

Practical Examination Scheme

Total Time 2 Hours Total Marks: 100

Topic	Units	Marks/Unit	Time (minutes)
Spotters: Toxic Plants-Toxic Metals and Minerals- Toxic Animals and household poison, Ryles tube, stomach wash tube etc. (Candidate has to identify and write the name /type of the spotter)	5	2	10
Microscope Findings: Stains, Animal and Human Hairs, Semen, Blood, Fibers etc. (Candidate has to identify and write the name/type/ nature of the Microscope Findings)	5	2	10
Photos: Injury Cases, Burning, Drowning, Hanging, Strangulation (Candidate has to identify and write the name/type/nature of the case)	5	2	10
Weapons: Knife, Stone, Ligature material, Stick, Blunt and Sharp edged weapons, Fire arms (Candidate has to identify and write the name of the Microscope Findings)	55/	2	10
Certificates: Medical Certificate, Physical Fitness, Wound Certificate, Age Certificate, Drunkenness, Death certificate. (candidate has to fill up the certificate)		5	15
Examinations: Bones, X rays, Dental, Age determination etc. (Candidate has to examine and write the inference of not less than 100 words)	1	5	15
Dart: Detect Adulteration with rapid test – FSSAI (Candidate has to perform the test and write the inference of not less than 100 words)	F2 L	10	50
Viva Voce	-	30	-
Total		100	120

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CENTRAL COUNCIL OF INDIAN MEDICINE NEW DELHI

SYLLABUS FOR SIDDHA MARUTHUVA ARIGNAR (BSMS) COURSE

(as per the Indian Medicine Central Council (Minimum Standards of Education in Indian Medicine) amendment Regulations, 2016)

THIRD PROFESSIONAL BSMS

RESEARCH METHODOLOGY AND MEDICAL STATISTICS

Learning objectives

To provide foundational knowledge on research methods. At the end of the course, the students will be understanding and conversant with the application of research methodology and medical statistics. The students are expected to be applying and analyzing the topics learnt through demonstration / training on (1) oral/poster presentation, (2) demonstration on literature search, (3) journal critique

	Research methodology	Hours
1	Introduction to research methods	
	Objectives of research	1
	Types of research	1
	Clinical/pre-clinical research/qualitative research methods	1
	Research process (Formulating research question; Statement of objectives; Framing research hypothesis; Choosing study designs; Sampling and sample size; Recruitment; Data collection; Data analysis and Data interpretation)	2
2	Literature search	
	Systematic literature search in bio-medical databases (published and unpublished reports), including palm scripts	1
	Search strategy (including use of Medical Subheading- MeSH, databases)	1
	Demonstration on literature search on specific topic using PubMed (Class room training)	5
3	Epidemiological methods and its application in clinical research	
	Measurements in epidemiology	2
	Disease frequency	
	Measures of association/impact	
	Reliability and validity	4
	Diagnostic validity	
	Agreements	
	Biases	
	Introduction to Observational and Experimental studies	1
	Descriptive studies	4
	Case-report	
	Case-series	

厂	Cross-sectional study	
╟┈	Ecological study	
╟─┦	Analytical studies	6
H	Case-control study	
\mid	Cohort study	
H	Clinical trials [Design issues (blinding; randomization; comparators); Types; Phases; Guidelines]	
\mid	Systematic review/Meta analysis	1
H	Evidence-based medicine/Levels of evidence	1
	Data collection methods (data collection instrument/case report form; quality assurance; methods of data collection)	2
	Orientation to templates/guidelines for protocol and report writing	1
4	Research ethics/guidelines involving humans and animals	
	Principles of research ethics	1
$\mid \vdash \mid$	Ethics review process (IEC/IAEC)	1
	Orientation to research guidelines/regulatory bodies [CDSCO/DCGI/NABH/QCI/ICMR/GCP-AYUSH; Drug standardization as per Pharmacopoeial Laboratory for Indian Medicine (PLIM)]	1
	National Pharmacovigilance programme - AYUSH (Importance; AYUSH; Identification and reporting ADR)	2
	Intellectual Property Right (IPR)/Patent/TKDL	1
5	Introduction to research in Siddha system of medicine	
	Current status and scope for research in Siddha system	1
	Siddha research concepts (e.g., Alavaigal)	2
	Validity and reliability studies as relevant to Siddha system [e.g., Siddha classification of diseases; <i>Envagai thervu</i> and 96 <i>Thathuvangal; Yakkai ilakkanam</i>]	3
	Literary research (including classical text)	1
6	Scientific communication	
	Writing protocols for various study designs	2
	Writing scientific reports (Manuscripts based on case report/cases series)	2
	Writing and citing references	1
	Principles and practice of oral/Poster scientific presentation	3
	Oral/Poster presentation on case report/case-series (demonstration & training)	5
To	tal hours for Research Methodology	60
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	Medical statistics	Hours
1	Introduction to biostatistics	5
	Types of data	
	Probability	
	Parametric (Normal) and non-parametric distribution	
	Demography and vita statistics	
2	Sources of data	2
i	Health programme/surveillance data	

Hospital information systems [A-HIMS; National AYUSH Morbidity and Standardized Terminologies Electronic Portal (NAMASTE)] Data from special surveys 3 Descriptive statistics Measures of central tendency Measure of dispersion 4 Inferential statistics (Tests of significance) Comparing means (t test; ANOVA) Comparing proportions (Chi-square) Basics of multivariate analysis 5 Presentation of data Diagrammatic presentation (Charts/graphs) Tabular presentation Maps 6 Sampling Sampling distribution Types of sampling	2
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Types of sampling	
7 Sample size	3
Estimation; Testing hypothesis	
Type 1 and Type 2 errors; confidence intervals; precision	
Calculating sample size	
8 Data analysis and interpretation	3
Analysis plan	
Steps	
Use of statistical software	
Interpreting statistical analysis	
9 Journal critique (as journal club activities: Practical)	
1 Class room presentation on pre-clinical study	5
2 Class room presentations on case-report or case-series	5
3 Class room presentation on clinical research	5
Total hours for Medical statistics 4	10

Theory Examination Scheme*

Total Time 3 Hours Total Marks: 100

Topic	Units	Marks/Unit	Total marks
Long answer (Essay type)	2	15	30
Notes	10	5	50
Short answer	10	2	20
Grand Total			100

^{*}Question Pattern for examination:

70% from Research methodology; 30% from Medical statistics;

Note: Scientific calculators shall not be used in the examination but ordinary calculator can be used.

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