

COMPETENCY BASED DYNAMIC CURRICULUM FOR FIRST BHMS PROFESSIONAL COURSE

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(HOMOEOPATHIC REPERTORY and CASE TAKING)



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HOMOEOPATHIC REPERTORY and CASE TAKING(I PROFESSIONAL BHMS)

1. COURSE CODE: HomUG-R-I

SUBJECT NAME: HOMOEOPATHIC REPERTORY and CASE TAKING

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1.PREAMBLE

The Homoeopathic Materia Medica has expanded manifold since the proving of “Cinchona Bark” by Dr. Samuel Hahnemann and today we have over five thousand remedies in the Materia Medica. It is impossible for any human mind to memorise all the symptoms of each drug and to recall those symptoms while prescribing. Therefore, the need of indexing of these symptoms along with the drugs producing those symptoms were felt by Dr. Samuel Hahnemann himself and subsequently by other homoeopaths for prescribing at the bedside of the patient.

Homoeopathic Repertory is a Dictionary or Storehouse or an index to the huge mass of symptoms of the Homoeopathic Materia Medica. The repertory is organized in a practical form indicating the relative gradation of drugs. Repertories not only contain symptoms of proving but also clinical and pathological symptoms found in the Homoeopathic Materia Medica. Repertories serve as an instrument at the disposal of the physician for sifting through the maze of symptoms of the vast Homoeopathic Materia Medica.

Repertories aim at simplifying the work of the physician to find the indicated remedy by eliminating the non-indicated remedies. Repertorisation is not the end but a means to arrive to the simillimum and reference to Homoeopathic Materia Medica based on sound principles of Philosophy is the final court of appeal.

Each repertory has been compiled on the basis of distinct philosophy, structure and utility. In order to use these instruments effectively, one must understand thoroughly its conceptual base, construction and utility and limitations. Even though there are a number of repertories, the student at the under graduate level is expected to learn the philosophy and application of basic core repertories namely Kent, Boger’s Boenninghausen Characteristics and Repertory and Boenninghausen’s Therapeutic Pocket Book. The subject of Repertory must not be taught in isolation but must be taught in horizontal integration with Anatomy, Physiology in I BHMS; Pathology, Surgery, Gynaecology and Practice of Medicine in II BHMS; Surgery, Gynaecology, Practice of Medicine in III BHMS and Practice of Medicine in IV BHMS and vertically integrated with Homoeopathic Materia Medica and Organon and Homoeopathic Philosophy in all the years. Integrated teaching in all the years will help the student to grasp and understand the subjects better and connect repertory to all other subjects.

Similarly, case taking demands virtual integration of all the subjects taught from the Ist BHMS to IV BHMS in the consulting room or at the bedside. The physician can never say that he has learnt all that is to the case taking process. Every new patient has a new lesson to teach.

The advent of computerization and resulting software has opened up vast newer avenues to collate and correlate the vast information found in the Homoeopathic Materia Medica through the repertories. Continued exploration of these connections will generate new data, newer repertories and the newer application to existing or newer illnesses.

2.PROGRAMME OUTCOMES:

At the end of the course of the undergraduate studies, the homoeopathic physician must

- 1.Develop the knowledge, skills, abilities and confidence as a primary care homoeopathic practitioner to attend to the health needs of the community in a holistic manner
- 2.Correctly assess and clinically diagnose common clinical conditions prevalent in the community from time to time
- 3.Identify and incorporate the socio-demographic, psychological, cultural, environmental & economic factors affecting health and disease in clinical work
- 4.Recognize the scope and limitation of homoeopathy in order to apply Homoeopathic principles for curative, prophylactic, promotive, palliative, and rehabilitative primary health care for the benefit of the individual and community
- 5.Be willing and able to practice homoeopathy as per medical ethics and professionalism.
- 6.Discern the scope and relevance of other systems of medical practice for rational use of cross referrals and role of life saving measures to address clinical emergencies
- 7.Develop the capacity for critical thinking, self-reflection and a research orientation as required for developing evidence based homoeopathic practice.
- 8.Develop an aptitude for lifelong learning to be able to meet the changing demands of clinical practice
- 9.Develop the necessary communication skills and enabling attitudes to work as a responsible team member in various healthcare settings and contribute towards the larger goals of national health policies such as school health, community health and environmental conservation.

3.COURSE OUTCOMES (CO):

At the end of course in Repertory, the Final BHMS student shall be able to

1. Describe the philosophical background, construction, utility and limitations of various repertories
2. Demonstrate case taking and show empathy with the patient and family during case taking
3. Demonstrate various steps for systematic case processing viz. analysis of case, evaluation of symptoms as per Homoeopathic principles to form Totality of symptoms
4. Choose the appropriate repertorial approach, Method and Technique to repertorize a case
5. Utilize Repertory as a tool to find out simillimum in all types of cases and in the study of Materia Medica
6. Integrate other subjects in understanding the construction and utility of repertories
7. Utilize different software for Repertorization, patient data management and record keeping.
8. Demonstrate aptitude to utilize repertory for research in Homoeopathy and lifelong learning

COURSE OUTCOMES OF REPERTORY FOR I BHMS

At the end of IBHMS, the student should be able to,

1. Define Repertory.
2. Explain the need and utility of repertory to find simillimum and in the study of Materia Medica
3. Define various terminologies used in repertory and explain their utility
4. Locate different rubrics related to anatomy, physiology and psychology in Kent's Repertory
5. Illustrate the construction of Kent's Repertory as per the Hahnemannian Anatomical schema

4.TEACHING HOURS

Total Number of Teaching Hours: 21			
Course Name	Lectures	Non-Lectures	Total
Homoeopathic Repertory and Case Taking (HomUG-R-I)	21	-	21

5. COURSE CONTENT(HomUG-R-I)

S. No	List of Topics	Lecture Hours
1	Introduction to Repertory, Definition and Meaning of Repertory <ul style="list-style-type: none">❖ General Introduction to Repertory❖ Origin of Repertory❖ Need of Repertory❖ Definition of Repertory❖ Meaning of REPERTORIUM	3
2	Need and uses of repertory and repertorization <ul style="list-style-type: none">❖ Uses and Scopes of Repertory❖ Limitations of Repertory❖ Definition of Repertorization❖ Introduction to Methods and Techniques of Repertorization	3
3	Terminologies relevant to Repertory <ul style="list-style-type: none">❖ Repertory❖ Rubric❖ Gradation❖ Cross Reference❖ Synonym❖ Repertorization❖ Totality of Symptoms❖ Repertorial Totality❖ Potential Differential Field❖ Conceptual Image	3

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Case taking ❖ Analysis of a case ❖ Evaluation of a Case ❖ Longitudinal case Study ❖ Cross Section Study of a case ❖ General Repertory ❖ Regional Repertory ❖ Logico-Utilitarian Repertory ❖ Puritan Repertory 	
4	<p>Schematic representation of chapters in Kent's repertory</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Introduction to Kent's Repertory ❖ Listing of Chapters in Kent's Repertory ❖ Correlation of Chapters in Kent's Repertory to Hahnemannian Anatomical Schema ❖ Chapters and Rubrics related to anatomical structures, physiological processes and psychology in Kent's Repertory 	6
5	<p>Correlation of Anatomy, Physiology and Psychology with Repertory</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Introduction to correlation with Anatomy, Physiology and Psychology with Repertory ❖ Chapters and Rubrics related to Anatomical parts in Dr. Kent's Repertory ❖ Chapters and Rubrics related to Physiology in Dr. Kent's Repertory ❖ Rubrics related to emotions, intellect and memory in Mind chapter of Dr. Kent's Repertory 	6

6.Teaching Learning Methods

Theory	Practicals/ Clinics
Lectures	Clinical Bedside Teaching
Small Group Discussion	Integrated Clinics
Integrated Lectures	Case Study
Integrated Seminars	Rubric Banks
Assignments	
Rubric Banks	
Library Reference	

7.Content Mapping (Theory) of Course HomUG-R-I

S. No	Generic Competency	Subject Area	Millers Level: Does/S hows how/ Knows how/ Knows	Specific Competency	SLO/ Outcome	Blooms Domain	Guilbert's Level	Must Know / Desirable to know / nice to know	T - L Methods	Formative Assessment	Summative Assessment	Integration Departments- Horizontal/ Vertical/ Spiral
Topic 1- Introduction to Repertory, Definition and Meaning of Repertory												
HomUG-R-I-1.1	Gathering and Integration of information	Introduction to Repertory	Knows	Get acquainted with tools required to search for remedy.	Define the term Repertory	Cognitive	Level I (Remember/ recall)	Must Know	Lecture, Small Group discussion	MCQ, SAQ, Viva Voce	----- --	Horizontal Integration with Materia Medica and Organon of medicine , Spiral Integration in II, III and IV BHMS
HomUG-R-I-1.2			Knows		Explain the meaning of Repertory	Cognitive	Level I (Remember/ recall)	Desirable to know	Lecture, Small Group discussion	MCQ, SAQ, Viva Voce	----- --	
HomUG-R-I-1.3			Knows		Discuss the origin of the	Cognitive	Level II (Understand)	Nice to know	Lecture, Small Group	MCQ, SAQ, Viva	----- --	

					word Repertory				discussi on	Voce		
HomUG- R-I-1.4			Knows		List three uses and three limitations of Repertory	Cognitiv e	Level I (Rememb er/ recall)	Must Know	Lecture, Integrat ed teachin g (with Materia Medica) Small Group discussi on	MCQ, SAQ, Viva Voce	----- --	
TOPIC 2: Need and uses of repertory and repertorisation												
HomUG- R-I-2.1	Gatherin g and Integrati on of informat ion	Need and uses of repert ory and repert orisati on	Knows	Get acquainte d with tools required to search for remedy.	Explain the need of repertory	Cognitiv e	Level II (Understa nd)	Must know	Lecture, Small Group discussi on	MCQ, SAQ, Viva Voce	----- --	Horizont al Integrati on with Materia Medica and Organon of medicine , Spiral Integrati on in II, III and IV

												BHMS
HomUG-R-I-2.2			Knows		<i>Explain the need of Repertorization to find a simillimum</i>	Cognitive	Level II (Understand)	Desirable to know	Lecture, Small Group discussion	MCQ, SAQ, Viva Voce	----- --	
HomUG-R-I-2.3			Knows		<i>Describe the uses of Repertory</i>	Cognitive	Level II (Understand)	Must know	Lecture, Small Group discussion	MCQ, SAQ, Viva Voce	----- --	
HomUG-R-I-2.4			Knows		<i>Describe the limitations of Repertory</i>	Cognitive	Level II (Understand)	Must know	Lecture, Small Group discussion	MCQ, SAQ, Viva Voce	----- --	
HomUG-R-I-2.5			Knows		<i>Discuss the use of Repertory as a tool to select the remedy for a given case</i>	Cognitive	Level II (Understand)	Desirable to know	Lecture, Small Group discussion, Clinical Teaching	MCQ, SAQ, Viva Voce	----- --	

	TOPIC 3: Terminologies relevant to Repertory											
HomUG-R-I-3.1	Gathering and Integration of information	Terminologies used in repertory	Knows	To understand the definition of various terminologies used in repertory in order to apply them for Repertorization	Define different terminology associated with repertory	Cognitive	Level I (Remember/ recall)	Must know	Lecture, Small Group discussion,	MCQ, SAQ, Viva Voce	----- --	Horizontal Integration with Materia Medica and Organon of medicine , Spiral Integration in II, III and IV BHMS
HomUG-R-I-3.2			Knows		Explain the meaning and use of each terminology	Cognitive	Level II (Understand)	Must know	Lecture, Small Group discussion, Clinical teaching	MCQ, SAQ, Viva Voce	----- --	
HomUG-R-I-3.3			Knows		Apply the terminology in the process of Repertorization	Cognitive	Level II (Understand)	Must know	Lecture, Small Group discussion,	MCQ, SAQ, Viva Voce	----- --	

					ation				Clinical teachin g			
	TOPIC 4: Schematic representation of chapters in Kent's repertory											
HomUG- R-I-4.1	Gatherin g and Integrati on of informat ion, Problem Solving	Schem atic repres entati on of chapte rs in Kent's repert ory	Knows	To understa nd the arrangem ent of Chapters in Dr. Kent's Repertor y	Listthe 37 chapters of Kent's Repertory in the proper order	Cognitiv e	Level I (Rememb er/ recall)	Must know	Lecture, Small Group discussi on, Clinical teachin g	MCQ, SAQ, Viva Voce, OSPE	----- -	Horizontal Integratio n with Materia Medica and Organon of medicine, Spiral Integratio n in II, III and IV BHMS
HomUG- R-I-4.2			Shows how		<i>Demonstr atethe</i> relation of chapters in Kent's Repertory to Anatomy and Physiology and mental rubrics to	Cognitiv e	Level II (Understa nd)	Must know	Lecture, Small Group discussi on, Clinical teachin g	MCQ, SAQ, Viva Voce, OSPE	----- -	

					Psychology							
HomUG-R-I-4.3			Knows		Discuss the correlation of chapters in Kent's Repertory to the schematic representation of remedies in Materia Medica	Cognitive	Level II (Understanding)	Desirable to know	Lecture, Small Group discussion, Clinical teaching	MCQ, SAQ, Viva Voce, OSPE	----- -	

TOPIC 5: Correlation of Anatomy, Physiology and Psychology with Repertory

HomUG-R-I-5.1	Gathering and Integration of information, Problem Solving	Correlation of Anatomy, Physiology and Psychology with Repertory	Knows	To correlate the knowledge of Anatomy, physiology And Psychology in construction of	Apply the correlation of Anatomical Structures to Chapters and Rubrics in Kent's Repertory	Cognitive	Level II (Understanding)	Must know	Lecture, Small Group discussion, Clinical teaching	MCQ, SAQ, Viva Voce, OSPE	----- -	Integrated teaching with Anatomy
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		ory		Repertory and Rubrics								
HomUG-R-I-5.2			Knows		Relate physiological Processes to the Chapters and Rubrics in Kent's Repertory	Cognitive	Level II (Understanding)	Must know	Lecture, Small Group discussion, Clinical teaching	MCQ, SAQ, Viva Voce, OSPE	----- -	Integrated teaching with Physiology
HomUG-R-I-5.3			Knows		Apply the correlation of psychology in Mind Chapter and Rubrics in Kent's Repertory	Cognitive	Level II (Understanding)	Must know	Lecture, Small Group discussion, Clinical teaching	MCQ, SAQ, Viva Voce, OSPE	----- -	Integrated teaching with Psychology
HomUG-R-I-5.4			Shows how		Locate rubrics related to Anatomy, Physiology and Psychology	Psychomotor	Level II (Control)	Must know	Lecture, Small Group discussion, Clinical teaching	MCQ, SAQ, Viva Voce, OSPE	----- -	

					y in Kent's repertory				g			
HomUG- R-I-5.5			Knows		Apply rubrics related to Anatomy, Physiology and Psycholog y in understan ding remedies in Materia Medica and Repertory	Cognitiv e	Level II (Understa nd)	Must know	Lecture, Small Group discussi on, Clinical teachin g	MCQ, SAQ, Viva Voce, OSPE	----- -	Integrate d teaching with Materia Medica

8.List of Practical Topics

S. No	Name of Topic	Activity/ Practical	TL Method
1	Basic Structure of Repertory showing arrangement of rubric of anatomy, physiology and psychology	Arrangement of Chapters and rubrics related to anatomical structures, physiology and psychology (Emotions, intellect and behaviour) in Kent's Repertory	Integrated teaching in Clinics in I BHMS

9. Internal Assessment

9A –Scheme of Assessment (Formative)

Sr.No	Professional Course	1 st term(1-6 Months)	2 nd Term(7-12 Months)	3 rd Term(13-18 Months)	
1	First Professional BHMS	FirstPA+1 ST TT	2 nd PA+2 ND TT	3 rd PA	-----

Sr. No	Professional Course	1 st term(1-6Months)		2 nd Term(7-12Months)		3 rd Term(13-18Months)
1	First Professional BHMS	1 st PA	1 ST TT	2 nd PA	2 ND TT	3 rd PA
		10 Marks Viva	50 Marks Practical/Viva	10 Marks Viva	50 Marks Practical/Viva	10 Marks Viva

9B: Calculation Table of Marks

PA1 Practical/ Viva (10 Marks)	PA2 Practical/Viva (10 Marks)	PA3 Practical/Viva (10 Marks)	Periodic al Assessment Average PA1+PA2+PA3/3	TT1 Practical/ Viva (50Marks)	TT2 Practical/ Viva (50Marks)	Terminal Test Average TT1+TT2/10 0*10	Final Internal Assessment Marks
A	B	C	D	E	F	G	D+G/2

PA-Periodical Assessment; **TT**-Terminal Test

9C: Evaluation Methods for Internal Assessment

PA-Periodical Assessment	TT-Terminal Test
Viva Voce	Viva Voce
	OSPE
	Rubric Hunting
	Short case

10. List of Recommended Books

- ❖ Dhawale ML (2000) - Principles and Practice of Homoeopathy
- ❖ Hahnemann S (2017). Organon of Medicine 6th Edition
- ❖ Kent, JT- Repertory of the Homoeopathic Materia Medica (Sixth American Edition)
- ❖ Kishore, Jugal (2004) -Evolution of Homoeopathic Repertories and Repertorization
- ❖ Munir Ahmed R (2016). Fundamentals of Repertories: Alchemy of homeopathic methodology
- ❖ Patel, R.P (1998): The Art of Case Taking and Practical Repertorization
- ❖ Tiwari, Shashikant (2005) - Essentials of Repertorisation

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