MASTER OF SCIENCE

IN

APPLIED PSYCHOLOGY

BoS Approved Draft Curriculum and Syllabus (Applicable from the Academic Session 2021-22)



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SEMESTER WISE SYLLABUS

SEMESTER I

SI	Course	Туре	Course Title	Course	Но	urs	Cre	dit
No.	Code			Type	L	Т	Р	С
THE	ORY							
1	MSCAPY-	Theory	Applied Cognitive	CC	4			4
	101		Psychology					
2	MSCAPY-	Theory	Personality Theories and	CC	4			4
	102		Applications					
3	MSCAPY-	Theory	Statistical Methods for	CC	4			4
	103		Applied Psychology					
4	MSCAPY-	Theory	Research Methods in	CC	4			4
	104		Applied Psychology					
PRA	CTICAL							
6	MSCAPY-	Practical A	Practical on Personality	CC			4	4
	191	Practical B	Practical on Statistical				4	
			Packages (SPSS)					
		Tot	al					20



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SEMESTER 1

CORE COURSE (CC) CREDIT - 4 (TOTAL HOURS - 40)

TITLE- APPLIED COGNITIVE PSYCHOLOGY

Course Code- MSCAPY 101

At the end of the course, the students will be able to:

СО	Course Outcomes	Bloom's	Assessment
No.		Level	technique
CO-1	Define the basic principles of cognitive	L1	Assessment
	psychology and neuroscience		through MCQ
			questions
CO-2	Explain the working principle of the various	L ₂	Assessment
	domains of cognitive psychology		through LAQ
CO-3	Use the principles to explain human cognitive	L3, L2	Assessment
	functioning and challenges		through Poster
			Making
CO-4	Compare and Contrast the different	L4	Assessment
	perspectives to make a coherent sense of		through Poster
	behavior		making

MODULE I: INTRODUCTION TO COGNITIVE AND NEUROPSYCHOLOGY (5 HOURS, 8 MARKS)

- Concept of Cognitive and Neuropsychology; historical perspectives of cognitive and neuropsychology
- The basics of neuroanatomy, cognitive psychology, and biological basis of behavior. The brain behaviour linkage, structure and functions of the brain.
- Methods of cognitive psychology. The relations and applications of cognitive and neuropsychology in neuroscience and computer science.
- Application of cognitive psychology in the management of neuro-degenerative diseases, and learning disability.

MODULE II: BASIC COGNITIVE PROCESSES (8 HOURS, 14 MARKS)

- Consciousness: the concept of conscious and the unconscious, correlates of consciousness and unconscious, models of consciousness
- Attention: Concept, factors, theories of attention; neuropsychological basis of attention
- Perception: Concept, factors, theories of perception; neuropsychological basis of perception; concept of pattern recognition
- Applying basic cognitive processes



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- Sleep and wakefulness
- Signal detection and vigilance

MODULE III: LEARNING, MEMORY, AND LANGUAGE COMPREHENSION (8 HOURS, 14 MARKS)

- Cognitive approaches of learning, biochemical basis of learning
- Language process, language acquisition, brain and language; Transformational grammar; cognitive tasks involved in reading, writing, and speaking;
- Classical and modern approaches to memory, short term memory, long term memory, working memory; Neurological basis of memory.
- Special types of memory Flashbulb memory, eyewitness memory, tip of the tongue phenomena, autobiographical memory, False memories.

MODULE IV: INTELLIGENCE, EXECUTIVE FUNCTIONING, AND DECISION MAKING (8 HOURS, 14 MARKS)

- Concept and neuropsychological bases of Intelligence.
- Concept of Artificial Intelligence and its role in cognitive psychology.
- Cognitive theories of intelligence: Sternberg, Cattell, Vernon, Gardner.
- Executive functioning: concept, frontal control, frontal and pre-frontal functions,
- Decision Making: Heuristics & Biases, The Framing Effect, Overconfidence in Decisions.

MODULE V: THINKING, REASONING, PROBLEM SOLVING, AND CREATIVITY (5 HOURS, 8 MARKS)

- Higher order thinking and Problem solving: Definition, Types of Problems; Newell and Simon's Theory. Problem Solving Strategies; Factors that Influence Problem Solving; Impediments to Problem solving.
- Creativity: Nature, factors affecting, measuring, approaches to creativity; Biological bases of creativity; enhancing creativity
- Reasoning: Deductive reasoning and Inductive Reasoning; Types and Errors in Reasoning Process. Lateral thinking, left brain and right brain



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MODULE VI: EMOTION AND EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE (6 HOURS, 12 MARKS)

- Cognitive Perspectives of emotion; Non-verbal Communication and emotion; biological bases of emotion.
- Emotional intelligence: concept, biological and psychological models; social cognition, executive control system, and emotional intelligence
- Applications of El
 - In interpersonal relationships
 - In workplace

Suggested readings:

- Cognition 8th edition by Margaret Matlin, *John Wiley & Sons Inc.*
- Cognitive Psychology: A Student's Handbook 5th edition by Eysenck and Keane, *Psychology Press*
- ➤ Handbook of Cognition and Emotion, edited by Tim Dalgleish, *John Wiley & Sons Inc.*
- Cognitive Psychology 5th edition by Robert J. Sternberg, *Wadsworth Cengage Learning*.
- Cognitive Psychology: Mind and Brain by Smith & Kosslyn, *Pearson*.



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CORE COURSE (CC) CREDIT - 4 (TOTAL HOURS - 40)

TITLE- PERSONALITY THEORIES AND APPLICATIONS

Course Code- MSCAPY 102

At the end of the course, the students will be able to:

СО	Course Outcomes	Bloom's	Assessment
No.		Level	technique
CO-1	Define Personality and its different facets	L1	Assessment through
			MCQ questions
CO-2	Explain the various perspectives of Personality in	L2	Assessment through
	details		LAQ
CO-3	Use the principles to assess human behavior	L3, L2	Assessment through
			assignments and viva
			voce
CO-4	Compare and Contrast the different	L4	Assessment through
	perspectives to make a coherent sense of		Poster making
	behavior		

MODULE I: INTRODUCTION TO PERSONALITY STUDIES – A PEEP INTO THE HISTORY (3 HOURS, 6 MARKS)

- Psychology and the study of personality From the time of the witch hunts to a more modern lens
- Nomothetic and Idiographic approach incorporating both Eastern and Western Lens
- Evolution of the perspectives from temperament and character to traits and types
- Application of personality studies in different fields of applied psychology clinical and community psychology, Industrial and Organizational behaviour, health and stress management, counselling and rehabilitation.

MODULE II: PSYCHOANALYTIC AND PSYCHODYNAMIC THEORIES AND THEIR APPLICATIONS (10 HOURS, 16 MARKS)

- First Age psychodynamic theories Freud and Classical Psychoanalysis, Adler, Jung, Girindrashekhar Bose
- Neo Freudians Horney, Fromm, Erikson
- Object Relations and Interpersonal approach Klein, Winnicott, Sullivan



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MODULE III: TRAIT AND TYPE APPROACHES (10 HOURS, 16 MARKS)

- Cattell's 16 personality factors
- Allport's approach of Dispositions
- Costa and McCrae's Five Factor Concept
- Eysenck's Typological approach
- Ashton and Lee's HEXACO model

MODULE IV: BEHAVIOURAL THEORIES (5 HOURS, 8 MARKS)

Approaches of

- B. F. Skinner
- Albert Bandura
- Dollard and Miller

MODULE V: HUMANISTIC AND EXISTENTIAL THEORIES (6 HOURS, 12 MARKS)

- Humanistic approaches Maslow and Rogers
- Existential perspectives Viktor Frankl, Rollo May, Irvin Yalom
- Social Investment Approach
- Narrative Identity Approach

MODULE VI: ASSESSMENT OF PERSONALITY – TECHNIQUES AND MEASURING DEVICES (6 HOURS, 12 MARKS)

- Non-Projective Techniques Observation, Interview, Paper pencil tests (NEO 5, SSCT, EPQ, TCI)
- Projective Techniques Rorschach Inkblot Test, Thematic Apperception Test, Draw a Person Test

Suggested Readings:

- A History of Personality Psychology: Theory, Science, and Research from Hellenism to the Twenty-first Century by Frank Dumont, *Cambridge*
- > Theories of Personality, 8th edition, by Feist & Feist, *McGraw Hill*
- ➤ Making sense of People: Decoding the Mysteries of Personality by Samuel Barondes, *Pearson*
- Personality Psychology: Domains of Knowledge about Human Nature, 4th edition, by Larsen and Buss, *McGraw Hill*



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CORE COURSE (CC) CREDIT - 4 CONTACT HOURS -40

TITLE- STATISTICAL METHODS FOR APPLIED PSYCHOLOGY

Course Code- MSCAPY 103

At the end of the course, the students will be able to:

СО	Course Outcomes	Bloom's	Assessment
No.		Level	technique
CO-1	Define Statistics and its different types	L1	Assessment through
			MCQ questions
CO-2	Explain the methods of generating and testing	L ₂	Assessment through
	hypotheses		LAQ
CO-3	Use the statistics to confirm or disprove	L3, L2	Assessment through
	hypotheses		assignments and LAQ
CO-4	Compare and Contrast the different statistical	L ₄	Assessment through
	approaches to choose the best approach in any		assignments
	situation		

MODULE I: INTRODUCTION TO DATA ANALYSIS (5 HOURS, 8 MARKS)

- Meaning of Statistic and Statistics
- Methods of representing data (line graph, bar diagrams, pie charts, histograms, scatter plots, box plots)
- Statistical models and approaches, parametric and non-parametric
- Types of statistics: descriptive, inferential, predictive.

MODULE II: CENTRAL TENDENCY AND VARIABLITY (6 HOURS, 12 MARKS)

- Centrality and the Normal Probability Curve
- Measurement of central tendency Mean, Median, Mode
- Measurement of variability Range, Average Deviation, Standard Deviation, Quartile Deviation, Variance

MODULE III: DESCRIPTIVE STATISTICS (8 HOURS, 14 MARKS)

- Correlation analysis
 - o Pearson bi-variate r
 - o Spearman's rho
 - o Biserial & Point biserial
 - o Tetrachoric & Yule's Phi
- Partial correlation
- Multiple correlation



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• Using correlation in research settings

MODULE IV: INFERENTIAL AND PREDICTIVE STATISTICS (8 HOURS, 14 MARKS)

- Methods of hypothesis testing
- Student's t
- ANOVA one-way, two-way, repeated measures, multivariate
- Regression analysis linear, multiple
- Using inferential and predictive statistics, concept of effect sizes,

MODULE V: NONPARAMETRIC STATISTICS (8 HOURS, 14 MARKS)

- Chi square
- Mann-Whitney U test
- Median Test
- Kruskal Wallis Test

MODULE VI: USING STATISTICAL PROCEDURES THROUGH SOFTWARES (5 HOURS, 8 MARKS)

Learning to use the applications of

- SPSS
- Python
- R software

Suggested Readings:

- Statistics for psychologists by Brian S. Everitt, Lαwrence publishers
- Intermediate Statistics for Dummies by Deborah Rumsey, Wiley Publishing, Inc.
- Statistics in Psychology and education by Henry E. Garrett, Paragon international publishers
- The art of statistics learning from data by David Spiegelhalter, *Pelican books*
- > Statistics for social sciences by Asthana and Bhushan, *Phi learning*
- > Statistics without tears: An introduction for non-mathematicians by Derek Rowntree, *Penguin*
- > Statistics in psychology and education by SK Mangal, *Phi learning*



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CORE COURSE (CC) CREDIT - 4 CONTACT HOURS - 40

TITLE- RESEARCH METHODS IN APPLIED PSYCHOLOGY

COURSE CODE- MSCAPY 104

At the end of the course, the students will be able to:

CO	Course Outcomes	Bloom's	Assessment
No.		Level	technique
CO-1	Define the different approaches to research	L1	Assessment through
			MCQ questions
CO-2	Explain the methods of conducting research	L2	Assessment through
			LAQ
CO-3	Use appropriate research methods to undertake	L3, L2	Assessment through
	assignments and projects		assignments
CO-4	Compare and Contrast the different research	L4	Assessment through
	methods to choose the best approach according		assignments
	to the research problem		

MODULE I: INTRODUCTION TO RESEARCH (5 HOURS, 8 MARKS)

- Psychological research: exploratory, descriptive and explanatory;
- Characteristics of a good scientific research
- Process of research
- Ethics in psychological research
- Biases in psychological research

MODULE II: SAMPLING TECHNIQUES (6 HOURS, 12 MARKS)

- Meaning and need for sampling
- Probability sampling techniques
- Non-probability sampling techniques
- Setting criteria for sampling

MODULE III: RESEARCH DESIGNS (8 HOURS, 14 MARKS)

- Meaning, nature and factors of a research design
- Experimental research design: randomized, matched group, factorial
- Quasi-experimental research design time series, longitudinal, cross-sectional, one group pre-test post-test.
- Single subject research designs



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MODULE IV: UNDERSTANDING THE STEPS IN TEST CONSTRUCTION (8 HOURS, 14 MARKS)

- Need for construction of tests. Basic approaches in test construction
- Item analysis
- Analysis of reliability of a test
- Analysing the Validity of a test
- Establishing the Norms of the test
- Preparing and publishing the manual

MODULE V: QUALITATIVE RESEARCH (8 HOURS, 14 MARKS)

- Meaning of qualitative research. Difference between qualitative and quantitative research.
- Concepts and approaches in qualitative research phenomenology, ethnography, grounded theory, narrative analysis
- Process of qualitative research

MODULE VI: METHODS OF COLLECTING AND ANALYSING QUALITATIVE DATA (5 HOURS, 8 MARKS)

- Methods of collecting data observation, interviewing, life history narrative, archival analysis, diaries, photographs, films, documentary evidence, conversations and recordings
- Methods of analysis content analysis, thematic analysis, discourse analysis, axial and focused coding techniques.

Suggested Readings:

- Research methodology: Methods and techniques by Kothari and Garg, New age international publishers.
- Tests, measurements and research methods and behavioural sciences by AK Singh, Bharti Bhawan Publisher.
- Introduction to Research methods in Psychology by Dennis Howitt and Duncan Cramer, *Pearson*
- Qualitative research methods in psychology: combining the core approaches by Nollaig Frost, McGraw Hill
- Psychological Testing by Anastasi & Urbina, Macmillan
- Foundations of Behavioural Research by Fred N. Kerlinger, Surject Publications.



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CORE COURSE (CC) CREDIT -2+2CONTACT HOURS -40+40

COURSE CODE- MSCAPY 191

PRACTICAL I (CORE) – CREDIT 2 (PRACTICAL ON PERSONALITY)

- Non-projective tests EPQ-R, HEXACO, TCI
- Projective Tests RIBT, TAT

PRACTICAL II (CORE) – CREDIT 2 (PRACTICAL ON STATISTICAL PACKAGES)

 Understanding and demonstrating the working knowledge of Statistical Packages for Social Sciences (SPSS) software



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SEMESTER II

SI	Course	TYPE Course Title		Course	Hours/Credit			
No.	Code			Туре	L	Т	Р	С
THE	ORY				•			•
1	MSCAPY-	Theory	Psychology and society	СС	4			4
2	MSCAPY- 202	Theory	Psychology of development	СС	4			4
3	MSCAPY- 203	Theory	Biological Foundations of Behavior	СС	4			4
4	MSCAPY- 204	Theory	Psychology for Happiness and Positivity	CC	4			4
SESS	SIONAL							
5	MSCAPY- 281	Sessional	Applied Social Psychology Project A. Media and Psyche or B. Ethnographic analysis	SEC			4	2
6	MSCAPY- 282	Sessional	Project on wellbeing	SEC			4	2
PRA	CTICAL			,	•	•	•	•
7	MSCAPY- 291	Practical I	Practical on social psychology	СС			4	2
8	MSCAPY- 292	Practical II	Practical on Relaxation procedures	СС			4	2
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SEMESTER 2

CORE COURSE (CC) CREDIT - 4 CONTACT HOURS - 40

TITLE- APPLYING PSYCHOLOGY IN THE SOCIETY

COURSE CODE- MSCAPY 201

At the end of the course, the students will be able to:

CO	Course Outcomes	Bloom's	Assessment
No.		Level	technique
CO-1	Define the different social concepts	L1	Assessment through
			MCQ questions
CO-2	Explain the evolving nature of social	L ₂	Assessment through
	relationships		LAQ
CO-3	Use appropriate social methods to undertake	L3, L2	Assessment through
	assignments and projects		assignments
CO-4	Compare and Contrast the different social	L4	Assessment through
	concepts to make a coherent sense of the		assignments
	changing times		

MODULE I: INTRODUCTION TO SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY

- Society, psyche and behaviour.
- Impact of social relations on individuals.
- Evolution of human behaviour in a changing world.

MODULE II: SOCIAL THINKING

- The concept of self: Self-esteem, self-control, presenting the self, self-serving bias
- Social cognition and Person Perception
- Attitudes and the light it sheds on the self

MODULE III: SOCIAL INFLUENCE

- Groups and the influence it has on people; Conformity, compliance, and obedience
- Culture and gender
- Role of religion, family, work, peer on social behaviour; Crowd and mob

MODULE IV: SOCIAL RELATIONS

- Prosocial behaviours and Altruism.
- Aggression: Theories, types, how it develops, how it can be reduced.
- Stereotypes, marginalization, prejudice, discrimination, intolerance.
- Interpersonal attraction and intimacy.



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MODULE V: SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY IN PRACTICE

- Social determinants of clinical psychopathology
- Globalization and consumerism
- Political and environmental propaganda
- Body Language and Behavioural Analysis

Suggested reading:

- Exploring Social Psychology, 6th edition by David Myers, *Mc Grαw Hill*
- Social Psychology by Sanderson, Wiley & Sons
- Social Psychology and Human Nature by Baumeister & Bushman, Thomson Wadsworth
- ➤ People Watching: The Desmond Morris Guide to Body Language by Desmond Morris, RHUK
- Cross Cultural Psychology: Contemporary Themes and Perspectives by Kenneth D. Keith, Wiley-Blackwell
- Social Psychology, 12th edition by Taylor, Peplau, & Sears, *Pearson*



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CORE COURSE (CC) CREDIT - 4 CONTACT HOURS - 40

TITLE- DEVELOPMENT ACROSS THE LIFESPAN

COURSE CODE- MSCAPY 202

At the end of the course, the students will be able to:

CO	Course Outcomes	Bloom's	Assessment
No.		Level	technique
CO-1	Define the different levels and stages of prenatal	L1	Assessment through
	and postnatal human development		MCQ questions
CO-2	Explain the different principles surrounding the	L2	Assessment through
	domains of development		LAQ
CO-3	Use appropriate models to understand the	L3, L2	Assessment through
	developmental context of real-life examples		assignments
CO-4	Compare and Contrast the different	L4	Assessment through
	developmental models to make a coherent sense		assignments
	of the different stages of life of individuals		

MODULE I: INTRODUCTION TO DEVELOPMENT

- Basic terms related to development and factors of development
- Approaches to study of development: Psychoanalytical, Behavioral and Cognitive
- Research methods in developmental study
- Application of knowledge of developmental problems in various fields

MODULE II: PRENATAL, PERINATAL AND POSTNATAL DEVELOPMENT

- Brief understanding of prenatal, perinatal & postnatal development
- Hazards, deviation & their implications
- Attachment styles. Impact on the infant

MODULE III: PHYSICAL AND SPEECH DEVELOPMENT

- Development of gross and fine motor skills
- Stages in the development of speech
- Factors affecting speech and physical development
- Challenges in physical and speech development



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MODULE IV: COGNITIVE DEVELOPMENT

- Piaget's concept of cognitive development
- Vygotsky's socio-cultural theory of development
- Siegler's model of strategy choice
- Applying the models into practice

MODULE V: SOCIAL, EMOTIONAL, AND MORAL DEVELOPMENT

- Social development across lifespan, sex-role identification, social roles and responsibilities, problems in the old age
- Development of positive and negative emotions, factors affecting emotional development, emotional regulation across age groups, emotional problems across age groups
- Moral development approaches (Piaget, Kohlberg, Greene's Moral cognition, Haidt's Moral foundations concept), moral competence approach, utilitarianism.
- Hazards in the domains of social, emotional, and moral development.

MODULE VI: PERSONALITY DEVELOPMENT

- Development of the self and personality factors in the process
- Stages of development Freud's psychosexual stages, Erikson's psychosocial stages, May's existential approach.
- Formation and development of identity, sexuality, actualization across lifespan, issues in old age.
- Hazards in personality development across lifespan
- Applications in clinical psychology field

Suggested readings: -

- ➤ Developmental Psychology: childhood and adolescence, 8th edition by Shaffer & Kipp, *Wadsworth*
- Discovering the Lifespan, 2nd edition by Robert Feldman, *Pearson*
- Life-span Development, 13th edition by John Santrock, *Mc Graw Hill*
- Life-span Human Development, 6th edition by Sigelman & Rider, Wadsworth



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CORE COURSE (CC) CREDIT - 4 CONTACT HOURS - 40

TITLE- BIOLOGICAL FOUNDATIONS OF BEHAVIOUR

COURSE CODE- MSCAPY 203

At the end of the course, the students will be able to:

СО	Course Outcomes	Bloom's	Assessment
No.		Level	technique
CO-1	Define the structure and functions of the nervous	L1	Assessment through
	system		MCQ questions
CO-2	Explain the the process of neural development	L2	Assessment through
	and the role of plasticity in development and		LAQ
	recovery of function.		
CO-3	Use the understanding of nervous system to	L3, L2	Assessment through
	recognize brain systems mediating sexual and		assignments
	reproductive behaviour, emotions, learning,		
	memory, and consciousness.		
CO-4	Compare and Contrast the different biological	L4	Assessment through
	models and methods to make sense of different		assignments
	human conditions		

MODULE I: BASIC FEATURES OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM

- Structure of neurons, types, functions, Neural conduction, Neurotransmitters
- Basic features of nervous system, Meninges, Ventricular system, Cerebrospinal fluid, Blood brain barrier,
- Peripheral nervous system: Cranial Nerves, Spinal Nerves, Autonomous nervous system.

MODULE II: THE STRUCTURE AND FUNCTIONING OF CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM

- Major structures and functions of the Spinal Cord and the Brain: Fore brain, Mid brain, Hind brain,
- Cerebral cortex- frontal, temporal, parietal and occipital lobes.
- Assessing the lobe functions

MODULE III: BIOPSYCHOLOGY OF COGNITIVE FUNCTIONS

- Learning: Nature of learning, kinds of learning, Synaptic plasticity
- Memory: Types of memory, Neurological basis of memory, Brain damage and dysfunction of memory
- Language: Lateralization, Speech production, Comprehension, disorder of readings and writing.



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MODULE IV: BIOPSYCHOLOGY OF AROUSAL AND EMOTION

- Physiological correlations of Arousal: consciousness and sleep, Factors affecting consciousness.
- Sleep: Stages of sleep, brain mechanisms of sleep and dreaming, physiological mechanisms
 of sleep and waking, disorders of sleep, Physiological correlates of emotions, anxiety and
 aggressive behaviour.
- Physiological correlates of emotions, anxiety and aggressive behaviour.

MODULE V: BIOPSYCHOLOGY OF STRESS

- Stress Physiology of Stress and related diseases (Headache, Cardiovascular diseases, Hypertension, Diabetes, Asthma, Rheumatoid Arthritis).
- Stress related Psychological Disorders (anxiety disorders and Depression)

MODULE VI: METHODS IN BIOPSYCHOLOGY

Scanning techniques

- X-ray
- CT scan
- PET scan
- SPECT scan
- MRI
- fMRI
- Bio feedback technique

Suggested Readings: -

- Clinical Neuropsychology, 4th edition by Kenneth Heilman, Oxford University Press
- Foundations of Physiological Psychology, 6th edition by Neil Carlson, *Pearson*
- Fundamentals of Human Neuropsychology, 5th edition by Kolb and Whishaw, Worth
- ➤ Handbook of Functional Neuroimaging of Cognition, 2nd edition by Cabeza & Kingstone
- Introduction to Neuropsychology, 2nd edition by J. Beaumont, *The Guilford Press*



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CORE COURSE (CC) CREDIT - 4 CONTACT HOURS - 40

TITLE- PSYCHOLOGY FOR HAPPINESS AND POSITIVITY

COURSE CODE- MSCAPY 204

At the end of the course, the students will be able to:

СО	Course Outcomes	Bloom's	Assessment
No.		Level	technique
CO-1	Define what positive psychology is about	L1	Assessment through
			MCQ questions
CO-2	Explain the the process of flow and other	L ₂	Assessment through
	positive experiences		LAQ
CO-3	Use the understanding of positive psychology	L3, L2	Assessment through
	across major domains of life		assignments
CO-4	Compare and Contrast the different approaches	L4	Assessment through
	to make sense of recent global changes		assignments

MODULE I: INTRODUCTION TO POSITIVE PSYCHOLOGY

- Nature of positive psychology
- Positive experiences and states (happiness, gratitude, compassion, resilience)
- Well-being, hope and life satisfaction
- Role of hormones

MODULE II: MAJOR APPROACHES

- PERMA approach
- Concept of flow and engagement
- Diener's tripartite theory
- Ryff's six factor model
- Eastern approaches

MODULE III: POSITIVE PSYCHOLOGY AND WORK LIFE

- Understanding the world of work and diverse workforce
- Positive work environment for individuals and organizations
- Positive work life balance
- Building psychological capital (positive team culture, positive relationships, harnessing character strengths)
- Training to boost resilience

MODULE IV: MEANING IN LIFE



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- Meaning making process in daily life bridging positive and nihilistic existentialism
- Paradox of choice
- Meaning of happiness
- Sources of meaning making in life

MODULE V: PSYCHOLOGY OF SPECIFIC CONFLICTS AND PEACE EFFORTS

- War Ethics and Geneva Convention
- Role of organizations in promoting Peace; accounts and challenges
- Life, peace and culture
- Role of Peace education
- Collaboration
- Humility and social values in promoting peace in individual and social living.

MODULE VI: RECENT TRENDS IN POSITIVE PSYCHOLOGY RESEARCH

- Lyubormisky's Happiness Pie
- Dweck's Growth Mindset
- Dolan's Action change theory
- Fredrickson's Broaden and Build approach

Suggested Readings: -

- Beyond Positive Thinking by Robert Anthony
- Finding Flow by Mihaly Csikszentmihalyi
- ➤ Handbook of Positive Psychology by Snyder and Lopez, Oxford University Press
- Learned Optimisn by Martin Seligman
- Positive Psychology: The science of happiness and human strengths by Alan Carr
- ➤ Happiness by Design by Paul Dolan



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SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE (SEC)

CREDIT -2CONTACT HOURS -40

TITLE- APPLIED SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY PROJECT

COURSE CODE- MSCAPY 281

At the end of the course, the students will be able to:

СО	Course Outcomes	Bloom's	Assessment
No.		Level	technique
CO-3	Use the understanding of social psychology carry	L3, L2	Assessment through
	out fieldwork		assignments
CO-4	Compare and Contrast the different approaches	L ₄	Assessment through
	to make sense of collected data		assignments

Project work to be done on any one of the following

- Project related to the role of Media (print, video, social media) on Human behaviour
- Project based study of any social context via the method of Ethnography

SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE (SEC) CREDIT - 2

CREDIT - 2 CONTACT HOURS - 40

TITLE- PROJECT ON WELLBEING

COURSE CODE- MSCAPY 282

At the end of the course, the students will be able to:

CO No.	Course Outcomes	Bloom's Level	Assessment technique
CO-3	Use the understanding of positive psychology carry out fieldwork	L3, L2	Assessment through assignments
CO-4	Compare and Contrast the different approaches to make sense of collected data	L ₄	Assessment through assignments

Project work to be done on studying the level of resilience and psychological well-being of caregivers who have been dealing with a specific group of psychological or physical disorders.



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CORE COURSE (CC) CREDIT –2CONTACT HOURS -40

TITLE-PRACTICAL ON SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY

COURSE CODE- MSCAPY 291

- Practical on studying group effect on problem solving
- Practical on studying cohesiveness in a social group

CORE COURSE (CC) CREDIT –2CONTACT HOURS -40

TITLE- PRACTICAL ON RELAXATION PROCEDURES

COURSE CODE- MSCAPY 292

Understanding and demonstrating the working knowledge of different relaxation techniques like

- JPMR, Guided Imagery
- Mindfulness



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SEMESTER III (SPECIALIZATION: CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY)

SI	Course	Туре	Course Title	Course	Но	urs	Cre	dit
No.	Code			Type	L	Т	Р	С
THE	ORY							
1	MSCAPY-	Theory	Adult Psychopathology	DSE	4			4
2	MSCAPY-	Theory	Child Psychopathology	DSE	4			4
3	MSCAPY- 3º3	Theory	Stress Management	СС	4			4
4	MSCAPY- 304	Theory	Psychology of Technology: Being Human in the Age of Artificial Intelligence	GEC	4			4
SESS	SIONAL							
5	MSCAPY- 381	Sessional	Diagnostic Psychometry	СС			4	2
6	MSCAPY- 382	Sessional	Minor Project	DSE			8	4
7	MSCAPY- 383	Sessional	Critical thinking, Writing, and Presentation Skills	SEC	2			2
			Total		24			



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DISCPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE (DSE)

CREDIT - 4 (TOTAL HOURS - 40)

TITLE- ADULT PSYCHOPATHOLOGY

Course Code- MSCAPY 301

At the end of the course, the students will be able to:

СО	Course Outcomes	Bloom's	Assessment
No.		Level	technique
CO-1	Define the different aspects of psychopathology	L1	Assessment through
			MCQ questions
CO-2	Explain the the process of development of	L ₂	Assessment through
	psychopathology		LAQ
CO-3	Use the understanding of psychopathology to	L3, L2	Assessment through
	understand major disorders		assignments
CO-4	Compare and Contrast the different	L4	Assessment through
	psychopathological approaches to understand		assignments
	the causes behind disorders		

MODULE I: INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOPATHOLOGY

- Neurosis, Psychosis, and Psychophysiological disorders
- Approaches to psychopathology: Psychodynamic, Behavioral, Humanistic, Phenomenological, Biological.
- Organic and functional disorders
- Classificatory systems: DSM 5 and ICD 10

MODULE II: ANXIETY DISORDERS AND OBSESSIVE COMPULSIVE & RELATED DISORDERS

Diagnostic criteria, clinical features and Etiology of the disorders.

MODULE III: BIPOLAR AND RELATED DISORDERS

Diagnostic criteria, clinical features and Etiology of the disorders.

- Major Depressive Disorder
- Bipolar Disorders
- Dysthymia
- Cyclothymia

MODULE IV: SCHIZOPHRENIA SPECTRUM AND OTHER PSYCHOTIC DISORDERS

Diagnostic criteria, clinical features and Etiology of the disorders..



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MODULE V: SOMATIC SYMPTOMS AND RELATED DISORDERS

Diagnostic criteria, clinical features and Etiology of the disorders

- Somatic Symptom Disorder
- Conversion Disorder
- Illness Anxiety Disorder
- Psychological Factors Affecting Other Medical Conditions

MODULE VI: PERSONALITY DISORDERS

Diagnostic criteria, clinical features and Etiology of the disorders

- Cluster A (Schizoid, Schizotypal, Paranoid)
- Cluster B (Antisocial, Histrionic, Narcissistic, Borderline)
- Cluster C (Avoidant, Dependent, Obsessive-Compulsive)

Suggested Readings:

Sadock, B. J., & Sadock, V. A. (2015). *Kaplan and Sadock's synopsis of psychiatry* (11th ed.). PA, USA: Lipincott, Williams and Wilkins.

Blaney, P. H., Krueger, R. F., & Millon, T. (2015). *Oxford textbook of psychopathology* (3rd ed.). New York: Oxford University Press.

Hersen, M., & Beidel, D. (2012). *Adult psychopathology and diagnosis* (6th ed.). New York: Wiley.

Adams, P. B., & Sutker, H. E. (2001). *Comprehensive handbook of psychopathology* (3rd ed.). New York: Springer.



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DISCPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE (DSE)

CREDIT - 4 (TOTAL HOURS - 40)

TITLE- CHILD PSYCHOPATHOLOGY

Course Code- MSCAPY 302

At the end of the course, the students will be able to:

CO No.	Course Outcomes	Bloom's Level	Assessment technique
CO-1	Define the different aspects of psychopathology	L1	Assessment through MCQ questions
CO-2	Explain the the process of development of psychopathology	L2	Assessment through LAQ
CO-3	Use the understanding of psychopathology to understand major disorders	L3, L2	Assessment through assignments
CO-4	Compare and Contrast the different psychopathological approaches to understand the causes behind disorders	L4	Assessment through assignments

MODULE I: INTELLECTUAL DISABILITY

Diagnostic criteria, clinical features and Etiology of the disorders

MODULE II: AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS

Diagnostic criteria, Clinical Features, Types and Etiology of the disorders

MODULE III: INTERNALISED DISORDERS

Diagnostic criteria, clinical features and Etiology of the disorders

- Separation anxiety disorder
- Childhood depression and Suicide
- Phobia

MODULE IV: EXTERNALISED DISORDERS

Diagnostic criteria, clinical features and Etiology of the disorders

- Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder
- Oppositional Defiant Disorder
- Conduct Disorder

MODULE V: LEARNING DISORDERS

Diagnostic criteria, clinical features and Etiology of the disorders



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- Reading disorder
- Disorder of written expression
- Disorders of mathematics

MODULE VI: EATING AND ELIMINATION DISORDERS

Diagnostic criteria, clinical features and Etiology of the disorders

- Anorexia and Bulimia
- Pica
- Enuresis and Encopresis

Suggested Readings

Sadock, B. J., & Sadock, V. A. (2015). *Kaplan and Sadock's synopsis of psychiatry* (11th ed.). PA, USA: Lipincott, Williams and Wilkins.

Blaney, P. H., Krueger, R. F., & Millon, T. (2015). *Oxford textbook of psychopathology* (3rd ed.). New York: Oxford University Press.

Adams, P. B., & Sutker, H. E. (2001). *Comprehensive handbook of psychopathology* (3rd ed.). New York: Springer.

Counselling Children with Psychological Problems First Edition, by Malavika

Kapur



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CORE COURSE (CC) CREDIT - 4 (TOTAL HOURS - 40)

TITLE- STRESS MANAGEMENT

Course Code- MSCAPY 303

At the end of the course, the students will be able to:

CO	Course Outcomes	Bloom's	Assessment
No.		Level	technique
CO-1	Define the different aspects of stress	L1	Assessment through
			MCQ questions
CO-2	Explain the the process of development of stress	L ₂	Assessment through
			LAQ
CO-3	Use the understanding of models to explain	L3, L2	Assessment through
	stress related disorders		assignments
CO-4	Compare and Contrast the different	L4	Assessment through
	management approaches to deal with stress		assignments

MODULE I: INTRODUCTION TO STRESS

Stress: Definition, Nature, Sources of stress, Types and Consequences of Stress, Models of stress. Biological basis of Stress, Personality and Stress. Stress Management and Health Belief Model.

MODULE II: LIFE SITUATIONS AND PERCEPTION OF STRESS

Stress among children and adolescence: Academic and Relationship issues, Family Stressors And Interventions, Stress Among The Elderly, Stress Among Trauma Victims

MODULE III: STRESS REDUCTION TECHNIQUES FOR ANXIETY DISORDERS AND STRESS RELATED DISORDERS

Different Relaxation techniques, PMR, Biofeedback techniques

MODULE IV: MINDFULNESS AND EASTERN TECHNIQUES

Mindfulness practice, Body Scan, Meditation



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GENERAL ELECTIVE COURSE (GEC) CREDIT - 4 (TOTAL HOURS - 40)

TITLE- PSYCHOLOGY OF TECHNOLOGY: BEING HUMAN IN THE AGE OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

Course Code- MSCAPY 304

At the end of the course, the students will be able to:

CO	Course Outcomes	Bloom's	Assessment
No.		Level	technique
CO-1	Define the different aspects of intelligence	L1	Assessment through
			MCQ questions
CO-2	Explain perspectives of intelligence	L ₂	Assessment through
			LAQ
CO-3	Explain the concept of AI & AGI	L ₂	Assessment through
			assignments
CO-4	Analyze the concept of networking in aspects of	L ₄	Assessment through
	psychology		assignments &
			Presentation

MODULE I: PSYCHOLOGY & TECHNOLOGY

What is Technology & How It Affects Us; Six Realms of the Contemporary World (Lithosphere, Hydrosphere, Atmosphere, Biosphere, Noosphere, & Technium); Moore's Law; On Relating Psychology with Technology: Psychology in Technology, Psychology and Technology of Technology

MODULE II: PERSPECTIVE OF INTELLIGENCE

Matter Turns Intelligent; The Three Stages of Life: Life 1.0, Life 2.0, Life 3.0

MODULE III: INTRODUCTION TO ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

What is AI, Concept of Data & Information, Concept of Machine Learning & Deep Learning, Advantages & Limitations of Machine Learning, Artificial General Intelligence (AGI)

MODULE IV: NETWORK: HOW IT WORKS & HOW IT AFFECTS

Concept of Network & Networking; Nature & Properties of Network; Metcalfe's Law; Natural as well as Artificial Neural Networking

Human Behaviour in Virtual Environment: Instant Messaging, Video Games & Entertainment, Use of Social Media & Networking Sites

MODULE V: CONSCIOUSNESS



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Concept of Consciousness: Who Cares; Theories of Consciousness, Controversies of Consciousness; Al Consciousness

Suggested Readings:

Max Tegmark (2017). Life 3.0: Being Human in the Age of Artificial Intelligence. New York : Alfred A. Knopf.

V.K. Kool, Rita Agrawal. (2016). Psychology of Technology. Switzerland: Springer International Publishing.

Kevin Kelly. (2011). What Technology Wants. India: Penguin.

CORE COURSE (CC) CREDIT = 2 (40)

TITLE- DIAGNOSTIC PSYCHOMETRY

Course Code: MSCAPY 381

Working knowledge of different psychometric tests like the following

- BDI, BAI, HAM-A, HAM-D,
- Addenbrooke's Cognitive Examination, PGI-BBD,
- Raven's Progressive Matrices, WAIS, WISC, BKT
- State Trait Anger Expression Inventory (STAXI)
- MCMI, MMPI, IPDE
- DST, VSMS, VABS
- ISAA, CARS, CSI, ADHDT, CONNERS'
- YBOCS, C-YBOCS

CORE COURSE (DSE) CREDIT = 4 (80)

TITLE- MINOR PROJECT

Course Code: MSCAPY 382

Students have to work, submit & Present a Term Paper on a selected topic.



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CORE COURSE (SEC) CREDIT = 4 (40)

TITLE- CRITICAL THINKING, WRITING AND PRESENTATION SKILLS

Course Code: MSCAPY 383

At the end of the course, the students will be able to:

СО	Course Outcomes	Blo	Assessment Technique
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CO ₁	The students should be able to <i>recall</i> the	01	Assignments on writing abstracts and
	basic tenets of writing abstracts and		introductions to self-authored critical
	introductions.		articles/dissertations
CO 2	The students should be able to	02	Analytical comprehension
	paraphrase the understanding that they		
	have garnered from a close reading of		
	critical texts.		
CO 3	The students should be able to <i>apply</i>	03	Group projects on given topics, group
	their problem resolving and		discussions, debates, abstract, poster
	demonstration skills in real-life		and PPT presentations
	situations.		
CO 4	The students should be able to <i>break</i>	04	Analytical comprehension, group
	down their deciphering of critical texts		discussions on literary texts
	into small units for effective assimilation.		
CO 5	The student should be able to <i>determine</i>	05	Abstract, poster and PPT
	the way in which a particular topic, item		presentations, group discussions,
	or point of view should be presented to		debates, writing research
	enhance the overall effectiveness of the		papers/dissertations
	presentation.		
CO 6	The student should be able to <i>defend</i>	05	Abstract, poster and PPT
	their statements and untangle		presentations, group discussions,
	arguments inductively with sound logical		debates, research
	reasoning.		papers/dissertations
CO 7	The students should be able to <i>design</i>	06	Writing critical/research
	material providing tangible outputs on		articles/students' projects with proper
	the knowledge which they have		abstract and introduction, making



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	garnered.	posters and PPTs.

MODULE I: CRITICAL THINKING AND ANALYSIS

Analytical Comprehension From Excerpts Of Critical Texts And 'Stream Of Consciousness' Novels Kurt Lewin S Model

MODULE II: EFFECTIVE PLANNING AND EXECUTION

Mind Mapping For Idea Management, Debates, Group Discussions

MODULE III: WRITING

Abstract, Introduction And Conclusion Writing For Analytical And Research Articles

MODULE IV: PRESENTATION SKILLS

Abstract, Poster And PPT Presentation

MODULE V: ARGUMENTS

Principles Of Argument, Supplementary Skills On How To Untangle Arguments

Suggested Readings:

Name of Author	Title of Book	Edition/ISBN	Name of the Publisher
Thomas M. Sterner	The Practicing Mind	978-09-77657-20-9	New World Library
Ashish Jaiswal	Fluid: The Approach Applied by Geniuses Over Centuries	978-81-83285-27-8	Wisdom Tree
Hector Garcia,	Ikigai: The Japanese	978-35-48746-65-4	Random House UK
Francesc Miralles	Secret To A Long And		
	Happy Life		
Phil M Jones	Exactly What To Say:		
	The Magic Words for		
	Influence and Impact		
James D. Lester,	The Principles of	978-02-05791-82-8	Penguin Academics
James D. Lester Jr.	Writing Research		
	Papers		
James Joyce	Ulysses	978-18-40226-35-5	Wordsworth Classics



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SI	Course	Туре	Course Title	Course	Нс	urs	/Cre	dit
No.	Code			Type	L	T	Р	С
THE	ORY				_	-	_	
1	MSCAPY-	Theory	Counseling and	DSE	4			4
	401		Psychotherapy					
2	MSCAPY-	Theory	Applied Health	DSE	4			4
	402		Psychology					
3	MSCAPY-	Theory	Community Psychology	CC	4			4
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	403							
SESS	SIONAL			•				
4	MSCAPY-	Sessional	Major Project	DSE	4		8	8
	481							
5	MSCAPY-	Sessional	Internship in hospital /	DSE	0		0	4
	482		clinical set up					
		Tot	al					24



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DISCPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE (DSE) CREDIT - 4 (TOTAL HOURS - 40)

TITLE- COUNSELLING AND PSYCHOTHERAPY

Course Code: MSCAPY 401

At the end of the course, the students will be able to:

СО	Course Outcomes	Bloom's	Assessment
No.		Level	technique
CO-1	Define what is counselling and psychotherapy	L1	Assessment through
			MCQ questions
CO-2	Explain the process of counselling and	L ₂	Assessment through
	psychotherapy		LAQ
CO-3	Use the understanding of models to interpret	L3, L2	Assessment through
	counselling sessions		assignments
CO-4	Compare and Contrast the different techniques	L4	Assessment through
	of counselling and psychotherapy to choose		assignments
	appropriate one as per context		

MODULE I: INTRODUCTION TO COUNSELLING AND PSYCHOTHERAPY

- Definitions of counselling and psychotherapy
- Types of counselling and psychotherapy
- Stages in counselling and psychotherapy
- Common factors approach in counselling and psychotherapy
- Ethical and legal guidelines in counselling and psychotherapy

MODULE II: BASIC COUNSELLING SKILLS AND PROCESSES

- Therapeutic relationship, transference and counter-transference, resistance
- Attending and active listening skills
- Working through thought and affect
- The process of empathy and probing

MODULE III: PSYCHODYNAMIC PSYCHOTHERAPY

- Basic principles and theoretical base of psychoanalysis
- Techniques of psychodynamic psychotherapy
- Case illustrations



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MODULE IV: HUMANISTIC AND EXISTENTIAL THERAPIES

- Basic principles and theoretical base of client centered therapy
- Techniques of client centered therapy
- Basic principles and theoretical base of existential psychotherapy
- Techniques involved in existential therapy
- Case illustrations

MODULE V: BEHAVIOURAL THERAPY

- Basic principles and theoretical base of behavioural therapy
- Systematic desensitization
- Exposure techniques
- Contingency management and token economy
- Biofeedback procedures

MODULE VI: COGNITIVE-BEHAVIOURAL THERAPY

- Theoretical base and basic principles of Beck's cognitive therapy
- Techniques involved in Cognitive Therapy
- Theoretical base and basic principles of Ellis' Rational Emotive therapy
- Techniques involved in Rational Emotive therapy
- Theoretical base and basic principles of Linehan's Dialectical Behaviour Therapy
- Techniques involved in Dialectical Behaviour Therapy
- Case illustrations

Suggested readings

The techniques of psychotherapy, 4th ed., Parts 1 & 2, Wolberg, L.R. Grune & Stratton: NY

Corey, G. (2015). Theory and practice of counseling and psychotherapy (10th ed.). Boston: Cengage Learning.

Dryden, W. (2007). *Dryden's handbook of individual therapy* (5th ed.). New Delhi, India: Sage.

Sharf, R. S. (2000). *Theories of psychotherapy and counseling: Concepts and cases* (2nd ed.). Singapore: Brooks/Cole

Simon, L. (2000). *Psychotherapy: Theory, practice, modern and postmodern influences.* Westport, Connecticut: Praeger.



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DISCPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE (DSE)

CREDIT - 4 (TOTAL HOURS - 40)

TITLE- APPLIED HEALTH PSYCHOLOGY

Course Code: MSCAPY 402

At the end of the course, the students will be able to:

СО	Course Outcomes	Bloom's	Assessment
No.		Level	technique
CO-1	Define what is health psychology	L1	Assessment through
			MCQ questions
CO-2	Explain the psychological repercussions of	L ₂	Assessment through
	physical diseases		LAQ
CO-3	Use the principles of health psychology in	L3, L2	Assessment through
	general medical setting		assignments
CO-4	Compare and Contrast the different techniques	L4	Assessment through
	of intervention across general healthcare		assignments
	settings		

MODULE I: INTRODUCTION

- Health Psychology: Nature, Definition, and Scope
- Models of Health Psychology, health promoting and damaging behaviors
- Applications of Health Psychology
- Recent trends in Health Psychology

MODULE II: ORGANIC SYNDROMES

Psychosocial, personality, lifestyle, health practice issues.

- * Dementia
- * Delirium
- * Epilepsy and Seizure Disorder

MODULE III: CARDIOVASCULAR SYSTEM

Psychosocial, personality, lifestyle, health practice issues.

- Hypertension
- Myocardial Infarction
- Angina
- Cardiomyopathy



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MODULE IV: GASTROINTESTINAL SYSTEM

Psychosocial, personality, lifestyle, health practice issues.

- Irritable Bowel Syndrome
- Inflammatory Bowel Disease
- Peptic ulcer disease
- Gastro esophageal reflux disease

MODULE V: ONCOLOGY

- Psychosocial issues associated with cancer quality of life, grief reaction, denial
- Fear of treatment, side effects, recurrence, abandonment,
- Resilience, and hospice care
- Assessment and intervention for individuals and family

MODULE VI: SUBSTANCE DISORDERS

Disorders resulting from the use of separate classes of drugs: alcohol; caffeine; cannabis; hallucinogens; inhalants; opioids; sedatives, hypnotics, or anxiolytics; stimulants, tobacco.

Suggested Readings

Handbook of clinical psychology in medical settings, Sweet, J.J, Rozensky, R.H. & Tovian, S.M. (1991), Plenum Press: NY.

Health Psychology, Dimatteo, MR and Martin, L.R. (2002). Pearson, New Delhi

Health Psychology, Vol 1 to Vol 4, Weinman, J, Johnston, M & Molloy, G (2006). Sage publications: Great Britain

Behavioral Medicine: Concepts & Procedures, Tunks, E & Bellismo, A. (1991). Pergamon Press: USA



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CORE COURSE (CC) CREDIT - 4 (TOTAL HOURS - 40)

TITLE- COMMUNITY PSYCHOLOGY

Course Code: MSCAPY 403

At the end of the course, the students will be able to:

CO	Course Outcomes	Bloom's	Assessment
No.		Level	technique
CO-1	Define the nature and context of community	L1	Assessment through
	psychology		MCQ questions
CO-2	Explain the role of a community psychologist	L ₂	Assessment through
			LAQ
CO-3	Use the principles of community psychology to	L3, L2	Assessment through
	help find solutions to social problems		assignments
CO-4	Compare and Contrast the different techniques	L4	Assessment through
	of community based interventions for solving		assignments
	real-life issues		

MODULE I: CONCEPTS OF COMMUNITY PSYCHOLOGY

Nature and Scope, Theoretical perspectives of Community Psychology, Principles of Community Psychology, factors underlying the emergence of community psychology.

MODULE II: CRISIS INTERVENTION

Crisis Intervention: the concept of crisis, crisis intervention, necessary conditions for crisis intervention programs in community setting, the technique of crisis intervention at the community level

MODULE III: GENERAL SYSTEM THEORY AND THE CONCEPT OF ECOLOGY

General System Theory Research. The study of organized systems, The design of program evaluation studies. The ecological approach to community mental health problems, the effect of crowding.

MODULE IV: CONTEMPORARY COMMUNITY ISSUES

Nature, factors and preventive/ remedial measures for Child Abuse, Violence against Women, Violence against Aged, problems with the homeless. National Policy, programs and acts. Community services during disaster.

MODULE V: COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH INTERVENTION AND COMMUNITY BASED REHABILITATION (CBR)



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Issues, principles and programmes; evaluation of CBR; training the para-professional and non-professionals.

Suggested Readings

- 1. Korchin, S. J. (2004). Modern Clinical psychology; Principles of intervention in clinic and community. New Delhi: CBS Pub.
- 2. Carter, J.W. (1986). Research contributions from community psychology in community health health. 25 Behaviour Pub. NY.
- 3. Dalton J.H., Elias, M.J. et al., (2007). Community psychology, linking individuals and communities. Wadsworth, Thomson Learning US.
- 4. Desai, A.N. (1995). Helping the handicapped. Ashish Pub. House.
- 5. Iscoe, I. Block, B.L. & Spielberger, CD (Eds.) (1997). Community psychology: Perspectives in training and research. Appleton Century Crofts. NY.
- 6. Kapur, M. (1995). Mental health of Indian Children, Sage Pub.

CORE COURSE (DSE) CREDIT = 8 (40+80)

TITLE- MAJOR PROJECT

Course Code: MSCAPY 481

Students have to work, submit & Present a Masters' Thesis on a selected topic.

CORE COURSE (DSE) CREDIT = 4 (o)

TITLE- INTERNSHIP IN HOSPITAL/ CLINICAL SETUP

Course Code: MSCAPY 482

GUIDELINES FOR INTERNSHIP FILE AND INTERNSHIP REPORT



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(These guidelines will be useful for undertaking an internship programme during the summer or at any other time wherein the student/ researcher works full time with a company/organisation)

There are certain phases of every Intern's professional development that cannot be effectively taught in the academic environment. These facets can only be learned through direct, on-the-job experience working with successful professionals and experts in the field. The internship programme can best be described as an attempt to institutionalize efforts to bridge the gap between the professional world and the academic institutions. Entire effort in internship is in terms of extending the program of education and evaluation beyond the classroom of a university or institution. The educational process in the internship course seeks out and focuses attention on many latent attributes, which do not surface in the normal classroom situations. These attributes are intellectual ability, professional judgment and decision-making ability, inter-disciplinary approach, skills for data handling, ability in written and oral presentation, sense of responsibility etc. In order to achieve these objectives, each student will maintain and submit a file (Internship File) and a report (Internship Report).