



COURSE SPECIFICATION

Msc. Tropical medicine –Second part

Faculty of Medicine– Mansoura University

(A) Administrative information

(1) Program offering the course.	Msc. Tropical Medicine (TROP 512 TRV)
(2) Department offering the programme.	Tropical Medicine
(3) Department responsible for teaching the course.	Tropical Medicine
(4) Part of the programme.	Second Part – Traveller medicine
(5) Date of approval by the Department`s council	27/5/ 2016
(6) Date of last approval of programme specification by Faculty council	9/8/2016
(7) Course title.	Traveller medicine
(8) Course code.	TROP 512 TRV
(9) Credit hours	1 credit hour
(10) Total teaching hours	15 hours

(B) Professional information

(1) Course Aims:

The broad aims of the course are as follows.

1- Provide updated knowledge and understanding of basic and clinical aspects of travel associated diseases

(2) Intended Learning Outcomes (ILOs):

On successful completion of the course, the candidate will be able to:

A- Knowledge and Understanding

A1 Discuss Traveler's diarrhea
A2 Describe Infection care in Travellers
A3 Recognize Fever in returning traveler

B- Intellectual skills

B1. Relate geographical distribution of infectious diseases to diagnosis of travel associated infection
B2. Construct appropriate management strategies (both diagnostic and therapeutic) for patients with infectious diseases and history of travel

(2) Course content.

Subjects	Lectures	Total
Traveler's diarrhea	5	5
Describe Infection care in Travellers	5	5
Fever in returning traveler	5	5
TOTAL teaching hours	15	15

(4) Teaching methods.

4.1. Lectures

4.4. Problem-solving (case study) sessions

(5) Assessment methods.

5.1. Written exam for assessment of...(A1 to A3) and (B1 to B2)

5.3. MCQ exam for assessment of.....(A1 to A3)

Assessment schedule.

Written exam (80%) 42 marks

MCQ: (20%) 8 marks

Other assessment without marks.

-Log books for presenting clinical cases

-Quiz.

(6) References of the course.

- 6.1. Hand books: Oxford Handbook of Tropical Medicine, A guide to physical examination, Barbara Bates, Colour Atlas of Tropical Medicine and Parasitology.
- 6.2. Text books: Manson's Tropical diseases, Hunter Tropical Medicine and Emerging Infectious Diseases, Harrison's Principle of internal medicine, Cecil Textbook of medicine.
- 6.3. Journals: Journal of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene, American journal of tropical medicine, Journal of clinical microbiology, Journal of virology.
- 6.4. Websites: <http://www.asp.unl.edu>, <http://www.parasitology.org.uk>, <http://www.dpd.cdc.gov/dpdx>, <http://www.phage.org/black09.htm>, [http://www.microbe.org/microbes/virus or bacterium.asp](http://www.microbe.org/microbes/virusor_bacterium.asp), <http://www.bact.wise.edu/bact330/330Lecturetopics>, <http://www.microbelibrary.org>, <http://www.hepnet.com/hepb.htm>
- 6.5. Others: Lecture CDs available on request.

(7) Facilities and resources mandatory for course completion.

1- lecture hall.

2- Teaching aid as computer, data show projector, laser pointer.

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