University of Management and Technology

Course Outline

Course code **CP600**

Course title Basic Clinical Skills

Program	MS Clinical Psychology
Credit Hours	3
Duration	15 weeks
Prerequisites	BS Psychology
Resource Persons	Dr. Zahid Mahmood Rabia Khadim
Counseling Timing	Monday 09:30 am – 12:30 pm
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Learning Objective:

- Introducing the trainees to the basic technical and clinical skills required to function as a professional clinical psychologist: Foundation of Clinical Psychology, Introduction to Interviewing skills
- Orientate the trainees to the processional role and responsibilities of clinical psychologists and introduction to the ethos of training program.
- To provide an in-depth knowledge of the concept of Psychological Assessment, its background and different psychological assessment tools.

Learning Methodology:

- Individual Tasks (Assignments & Presentations)
- Cooperative Learning (Group Activities & Demonstrations)
- Inquiry-based instruction (Open-ended questions & discussions during lecture)
- Use of technology (sending video clips)
- Practical experience of applying skills in real life situations

Grade Evaluation Criteria

Following is the criteria for the distribution of marks to evaluate final grade in a semester.

Marks Evaluation percentage	Marks in	
Quizzes	20 %	
Assignments	10 %	
Attendance & Class Participation	10 %	
Presentations	20 %	
Final exam	40%	
Total	100%	

Recommended Text Books:

- Sturmy, P., (2008), Behavioral Case Formulation and Intervention, A Functional Analytic Approach. University of Manchester, UK
- Sparrow, E., P., (2010), Essentials of Behavioral Assessments, United States of America.

Reference Books:

Weiten, W. (2017). Psychology: Themes and Variations, (10th Ed). Boston: Cengage Learning

Groth-Marnat, G.(1984). *Handbook of psychological assessment*. New York: Van Nostrand Reinhold Company, Inc.

Gelfand, D.M., & Hartman, D.P. (1984). *Child behavioral analysis and therapy*. U.S.A: Pergamon Press, Inc.

American Psychological Association. (2010). *Publication manual of American Psychological Association* (6thed.). Washington, DC: American Psychological Association.

American Psychiatric Association. (2013). *Diagnostic and statistical manual of mental Disorders* (5th ed.). Arlington, VA: American Psychiatric Publishing.

Whitcomb, S.A., & Merrell, K.W. (2013). *Behavioral, social, and emotional assessment of children and adolescent* (4th ed.). New York: Routledge.

Calendar of Course contents to be covered during semester

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Week	Course Contents	Reference Chapter(s)
1	Orientation to the Course & Resource Persons	
2	Foundations of Clinical Psychology	
3	Structural and Functional Approaches in Clinical Psychology	

4	Clinical Interviewing (Principles)
5	Clinical Interviewing (Practice)
6	Psychological Assessment (Cognitive)
7	Behavioral Assessment
8	Personality Assessment
9	Neuropsychological Assessment

10	Case Formulation and Presentations	
11	Principles and Practices of psychological Interventions	
12	Clinical Report Writing	
13	Ethical Issues in Clinical Psychology	
14	How to Manage your Clinical Work Load	

15	Course Overview, Feedback & Summary	