#### TDHEC CORE MODULE DETAILS

#### **Module Objective**

# **Exercise Physiology & Anatomy I**

On completion of the module, students are expected to be able to:

- explain the changes in body metabolism and challenges to homeostasis during exercise;
- explain the roles and physiological mechanisms of skeletal muscular system for maintaining normal functioning of body;
- use the proper anatomical terminology to identify the bones of human skeleton, the articulations, the muscles and the landmarks in the surface anatomy involved in human movements and exercise; and
- integrate knowledge and skills from various areas to identify problem and develop preliminary solution through interdisciplinary and authentic projects

#### Introduction to Food and Nutrition

On completion of the module, students are expected to be able to:

- understand the relationship between food nutrition and health, with understanding of the function, metabolism and body requirements of the nutrients;
- formulate a healthy and balanced diet with appropriate food choices for the general public based on estimated energy requirements;
- understand the concept of food guide pyramids, dietary guidelines and principles of nutrition; and
- integrate knowledge and skills from various areas to identify problem and develop preliminary solution through interdisciplinary and authentic projects

# **Resistance Training for General Public**

On completion of the module, students are expected to be able to:

- give instructions and advices to the proper and safe use of resistance training equipment;
- utilize various resistance training methods and equipment to achieve different training goals; and
- plan and implement targeted training programmes by adopting appropriate training principles and management considerations

#### **Biostatistics for Social Behaviour**

- understand the basic concepts in biostatistics:
- organize, describe and analyse data independently and make reasoned judgements in various aspects of data;
- formulate and apply hypothesis test of different types of probability distribution;
  and

 integrate knowledge and skills from various areas to identify problem and develop preliminary solution through interdisciplinary and authentic projects

# **Children & Adolescence Exercise Prescription**

On completion of the module, students are expected to be able to:

- prescribe exercise training programs and protocols in consideration of the characteristics and pathophysiological concerns of children and adolescence;
- suggest solutions based on developed plan or guidelines for handling exercise training issues for children and adolescence; and
- apply training techniques and adaptation in delivering the exercise programs to meet specific needs for children and adolescence

# **Exercise & Nutrition Across the Life Span**

On completion of the module, students are expected to be able to:

- explain the importance of nutrient intake for growth and maintenance in various life stages;
- provide exercise recommendations to various age groups to promote health;
- provide dietary suggestions to various age groups to enhance health according to the nutrition needs; and
- integrate knowledge and skills from various areas to identify problem and develop preliminary solution through interdisciplinary and authentic projects

# **Exercise Physiology & Anatomy II**

On completion of the module, students are expected to be able to:

- explain the roles and physiological mechanisms of various body systems for maintaining human's life and normal functioning of body;
- explain the neural control of skeletal muscles in skeletal movement during exercise:
- explain the coordination of body systems to maintain homeostasis in response to external and internal stresses; and
- explain the acute responses and chronic physiological changes (adaptations) that occur in the body in response to exercise stress

#### **Exercise and Public Health Promotion**

- understand the basic concept and characteristics of public health promotion, primary care and social determinants of health;
- design and conduct a health survey in sports area through applying the principles of public health and education;
- evaluate on a health promotion program in a systematic manner through applying principles and strategies of health promotion; and
- integrate knowledge and skills from various areas to identify problem and develop preliminary solution through interdisciplinary and authentic projects

### **Elderly Exercise Prescription**

On completion of the module, students are expected to be able to:

- prescribe exercise training programs and protocols in consideration of the characteristics and pathophysiological concerns of elderly;
- suggest solutions based on developed plan or guidelines for handling exercise training issues for elderly; and
- apply training techniques and adaptation in delivering the exercise programs to elderly with special needs

# **Physical Fitness & Nutritional Assessment**

On completion of the module, students are expected to be able to:

- understand the principles in performing physical fitness and nutritional assessments;
- perform physical fitness assessment and nutritional assessment to various population; and
- evaluate the physical fitness condition and nutritional status according to the assessment results

# **Principles & Practices in Weight Management**

On completion of the module, students are expected to be able to:

- describe the causes of weight imbalance and its health implication;
- provide dietary recommendations for achieving and maintaining a set target weight for specific goal; and
- evaluate contemporary weight loss methods in the context of nutrition and fitness

#### **Community Health & Fitness**

On completion of the module, students are expected to be able to:

- identify and evaluate factors that contribute to promote community health;
- design and implement exercise training programs that can improve and maintain an individual's health; and
- evaluate the appropriateness of various types of exercise training programs in health promotion

#### **Nutrition for Exercise Performance**

On completion of the module, students are expected to be able to:

- describe the roles of nutrients in exercise performance;
- provide dietary recommendations to different population groups in order to optimize performance at exercise and sporting events; and
- identify and describe the classifications and action mechanisms of sport supplements

#### **Psychology for Exercise & Health**

On completion of the module, students are expected to be able to:

- identify characteristics and human behaviours considering physical, cognitive and psychosocial perspectives in different developmental stages across the lifespan;
- apply psychosocial theories in motivating physical activity participation in different age group; and
- apply interventions with psychosocial theories which leads to change behaviour in the context of sports and health

# Information Technology Essentials – Health and Life Sciences

On completion of the module, students are expected to be able to:

- apply basic emerging digital knowledge and skills to solve problems in workplace and daily life;
- demonstrate awareness and knowledge of cybersecurity and digital ethics when accessing the internet and information systems;
- use appropriate tools/software to interactively control the smart/sensors devices for smart living;
- apply business intelligence tools to extract big data from external sources, transform and visualize in different formats to produce insight;
- apply libraries and programming techniques to solve complex data visualization tasks: and
- build different types of artificial intelligence applications through cloud platforms

#### **Project**

On completion of the module, students are expected to be able to:

- research on a reasonably complex business or technical problem and propose a possible
- solution for the employer of Industrial Attachment (IA) in the area of programme of study
- develop a project development plan, and monitor and report their project progress
- analyse, design, implement, and test a proposed solution
- work independently and collaboratively with others as a member of a project team:
- document and verbally present their work in a professional way.

# **Elements of Health and Wellness Coaching (I)**

- Apply health coaching techniques
- Identify nutritional guidelines to wellness and chronic disease management
- Adopt a multidisciplinary approach in health and wellness coaching
- Identify important sleep hygiene techniques
- Identify requirements for mental health wellness

- Identify ethics, guidelines and professional standard (roles, certification, career prospect) for health and wellness coaching
- Determine self-care practices (Client and Health Coach)

# Elements of Health and Wellness Coaching (II)

On completion of the module, students are expected to be able to:

- · Communicate effectively with clients and stakeholders
- Apply Motivational Interviewing Techniques with core skills of OARS to encourage behaviour change in clients
- Empower clients for self-discovery
- Develop personalized health plan for clients
- Advice clients on SMART goal setting for health behavioural change
- Monitor client progress and health outcome
- Handle case management

# **Fundamentals of Counselling**

On completion of the module, students are expected to be able to:

- Carry out basic counselling
- Facilitate communication with different groups

# Aging in Asian Society

On completion of the module, students are expected to be able to:

- Recognise cognitive effects of aging in an individual
- Recognise social effects of aging in an individual
- Identify techniques to promote aging in place

## **Injury Prevention & Management**

On completion of the module, students are expected to be able to:

- Carry out basic safety precautions during exercise
- Identify and manage common injuries
- Conduct fall assessments and provide prevention advice

#### **Industrial Attachment**

- apply learnt knowledge and technical / professional skills in the area of fitness and exercise nutrition to practice in a real industrial, commercial or organisational environment;
- handle assigned tasks in the workplace with appropriate work attitude and appropriate key skills, such as interpersonal skills and teamwork skills, personal management, problem solving skills and communication skills;
- identify their own strengths and weaknesses (in relation to working in a workplace) through reflection on experience gained in the attachment; and

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 acquire the knowledge and value of professional ethics in relation to workplace activities