



281102 - Biochemistry and Human Physiology - Year 2024/2025

Information about the course

Degree: Bachelor of Sciences of Physical Activity and Sport

Faculty: Faculty of Physical Activity and Sport Sciences

Code: 281102 Name: Biochemistry and Human Physiology

Credits: 9,00 ECTS Year: 1 Semester: 2

Module: 1) Basic Training Module

Subject Matter: Biological and Mechanical Foundations of Human Motor Skills Type: Formación

Básica

Branch of knowledge: Health Sciences

Department: Basic Sciences and Cross-disciplinary Subjects

Type of learning: Classroom-based learning

Language/-s in which it is given: Spanish

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Module organization

1) Basic Training Module

Subject Matter	ECTS	Subject	ECTS	Year/semester	
Biological and Mechanical Foundations of Human Motor Skills	36	Biochemistry and Human Physiology	9	1/2	
		Biomechanics of Physical Activity	6	2/1	
		Human Anatomy	9	1/2	
		Kinesiology	6	2/1	
		Physiology of Exercise	6	2/1	
Behavioral and social foundations of human motor skills.	24	History and Sociology of Physical Activity and Sport	6	1/2	
		Sport Psychology	6	1/2	
		Statitics and Data Processing	6	2/2	
		Technology Applied to Physical Activity and Sport	6	1/1	

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Learning outcomes

Al finalizar la asignatura, el estudiante deberá demostrar haber adquirido los siguientes resultados de aprendizaje:

R7 - Recognize, interpret, and explain physiological processes occurring in the human body.

Learning outcomes of the specified title

Type of AR: Habilidades o Destrezas

- Analyze, identify, diagnose, promote, guide and evaluate strategies, actions and activities that encourage adherence to an active lifestyle and the participation and regular and healthy practice of physical activity and sport and physical exercise in an adequate, efficient and safe by citizens with the purpose of improving their comprehensive health, well-being and quality of life, and with emphasis on special populations such as: older people (senior citizens), schoolchildren, people with disabilities and people with pathologies, health or assimilated problems (diagnosed and/or prescribed by a doctor) taking into account gender and diversity.
- Apply the principles derived from the concept of integral ecology in your proposals or actions, whatever the scope and area of knowledge and the contexts in which they are proposed.
- Develop and implement the technical-scientific evaluation of the elements, methods, procedures, activities, resources and techniques that make up the manifestations of movement and the processes of physical condition and physical exercise; taking into account the development, characteristics, needs and context of individuals, the different types of population and the spaces where physical activity and sport are carried out; in the various sectors of professional intervention and with emphasis on special populations.
- Develop theoretical-practical responses based on the sincere search for the full truth and the integration of all dimensions of the human being when faced with the great questions of life.
- Identify, communicate and apply scientific anatomical-physiological and biomechanical criteria at an advanced level of skills in the design, development and technical-scientific evaluation of appropriate procedures, strategies, actions, activities and guidelines; to prevent, minimize and/or avoid a health risk in the practice of physical activity and sport in all types of population.
- Know how to guide, design, apply and technically-scientifically evaluate physical exercise and physical condition at an advanced level, based on scientific evidence, in different areas, contexts and types of activities for the entire population and with emphasis on specific populations. special such as: older people (seniors), schoolchildren, people with disabilities and people with pathologies, health problems or assimilated (diagnosed and/or prescribed by a doctor), taking into account gender and diversity.

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- Respect and put into practice the ethical principles and action proposals derived from the objectives for sustainable development, transferring them to all academic and professional activities.

Type of AR: Conocimientos o contenidos

- Know and understand the bases of the methodology of scientific work.

Type of AR: Competencias

- Analyze, review and select the effect and effectiveness of the practice of research methods, techniques and resources and scientific work methodology, in solving problems that require the use of creative and innovative ideas.
- Articulate and display an advanced level of skill in the analysis, design and evaluation of assessment and control tests of physical condition and physical-sports performance.
- Promote education, dissemination, information and constant guidance to people and leaders on the benefits, significance, characteristics and positive effects of the regular practice of physical and sports activity and physical exercise, and the risks and harms of inadequate practice. and the elements and criteria that identify its adequate execution, as well as information, guidance and advice on the possibilities of appropriate physical activity and sport in its environment in any sector of professional intervention.

R8 - Measure and interpret physiological parameters.

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R9 - Use bibliographic information sources (both in Spanish and English) related to human physiology appropriately.

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Assessment system

Modalidad presencial

Assessed learning outcomes	Granted percentage	Assessment tool
R7, R8	60,00%	Written and/or practical tests.
D7 D0 D0	40.000	
R7, R8, R9	40,00%	Exercises and Practices in the Classroom.

Observations

- ·Students may keep the assessment instruments they have passed for 3 years after their first enrolment.
- ·It is necessary to obtain 45% in all the instruments to pass the subject. The resulting mark for all the instruments must be equal to or higher than 50% to pass the subject.
- ·According to article 4.2. of the UCV Evaluation Guidelines, the limit of absences that can be justified due to eventualities (medical consultation, bureaucratic procedures...) that do not have to be justified, is 30%.
- If any of these criteria is not met, the student will be graded with a maximum of 4.5. The detailed explanation (procedure of the tasks) as well as the evaluation instruments (cards or rubrics) of each section will be published on the platform of each group at the student's disposal.

Actividades formativas

The methodologies to be used so that the students reach the expected learning outcomes will be the following:

M2 Resolution of problems and cases.

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M3 Discussion in small groups.

M5 Presentation of content by the teacher.

M6 Practical lesson.

M7 Group dynamics and activities.

IN-CLASS TRAINING ACTIVITIES

ACTVITY	RELATIONSHIP WITH THE COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES	METHODOLOGY	HOURS	ECTS
THEORETICAL CLASS: Presentation of contents by the teacher. Competency analysis. Demonstration of capabilities, skills and knowledge in the classroom.	R7, R8	Discussion in small groups. Presentation of content by the teacher. Group dynamics and activities.	82,00	3,28
PRACTICAL CLASS / SEMINAR: Group dynamics and activities. Resolution of problems and cases. Practical laboratories. Data search, computer classroom, library, etc. Meaningful construction of knowledge through student interaction and activity.	R7, R8	Resolution of problems and cases. Discussion in small groups. Practical lesson. Group dynamics and activities.	4,00	0,16
EVALUATION: Set of oral and/or written tests used in the evaluation of the student, including the oral presentation of the final degree project.	R7, R8, R9	Resolution of problems and cases. Group dynamics and activities.	4,00	0,16
TOTAL			90,00	3,60

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TRAINING ACTIVITIES OF AUTONOMOUS WORK

ACTVITY	RELATIONSHIP WITH THE COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES	METHODOLOGY	HOURS	ECTS
GROUP WORK: Problem solving. Preparation of exercises, memoirs, to present or deliver in classes and/or in tutoring.	R7, R8, R9	Resolution of problems and cases. Group dynamics and activities.	30,00	1,20
SELF-EMPLOYED WORK: Study, Individual preparation of exercises, assignments, reports, to present or deliver in classes and/or in tutoring. Activities in platform or other virtual spaces.	R7, R8, R9	Resolution of problems and cases.	105,00	4,20

TOTAL 135,00 5,40

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Description of contents

Descripción de contenidos necesarios para la adquisición de los resultados de aprendizaje.

Theoretical content:

Block of content	Contents
Introduction to Biochemistry	Introduction to Biochemistry
2. Main molecules of biological interest	2.1. Carbohydrates2.2. Lipids2.3. Proteins
3. Metabolism	3.1. Introduction to metabolism3.2. Metabolism of carbohydrates3.3. Metabolism of lipids3.4. Protein metabolism
4. Enzymes	Enzymes
5. Integration of metabolism	Integration of metabolism
6. Flow of genetic information	Flow of genetic information
7. Clinical biochemistry	Clinical biochemistry
8. Vitamins	Vitamins
9. Membranes and transport systems	Membranes and transport systems
10. Physiology of the circulatory system	Physiology of the circulatory system
11. Physiology of the respiratory system	Physiology of the respiratory system
12. Physiology of the digestive system	Physiology of the digestive system
13. Physiology of the endocrine system	Physiology of the endocrine system

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14. Physiology of the muscular system Physiology of the muscular system

15. Physiology of the nervous system Physiology of the nervous system

16. Physiology of the renal system Physiology of the renal system

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Temporary organization of learning:

Block of content	Sessions	Hours
1. Introduction to Biochemistry	2	3,00
2. Main molecules of biological interest	7	14,00
3. Metabolism	7	14,00
4. Enzymes	2	3,00
5. Integration of metabolism	2	3,00
6. Flow of genetic information	2	3,00
7. Clinical biochemistry	2	3,00
8. Vitamins	2	3,00
9. Membranes and transport systems	2	3,00
10. Physiology of the circulatory system	5	9,00
11. Physiology of the respiratory system	3	5,00
12. Physiology of the digestive system	2	3,00
13. Physiology of the endocrine system	3	6,00
14. Physiology of the muscular system	4	8,00

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15. Physiology of the nervous system	3	5,00
16. Physiology of the renal system	3	5,00

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