

**VEER NARMAD SOUTH GUJARAT UNIVERSITY, SURAT**  
**REVISED SYLLABUS FOR DIPLOMA OF MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY**  
**(EFFECTIVE FROM JULY -2014)**

**Paper IV: CLINICAL BIOCHEMISTRY**

**SECTION – I INTRODUCTION**

**1) GENERAL LABORATORY TECHNIQUES:**

- i)Important properties of water
- ii)Balances and weighing
- iii)Units of measurement
- iv)Preparation of solution
- v) $H^+$  concentration and pH
- vi)Acid and Base,
- vii)Buffers and buffer action
- viii)Indicators
- ix)Osmosis and osmotic pressure
- x)Safety in the Clinical Laboratory

**2) ANALYTICAL PROCEDURES :**

- i) Photometry: Introduction, Principle of absorption of radiation. The Beer-Lambert's law and its applications in clinical chemistry.
- ii) Electrophoresis: Introduction, Principle, basic components, types.

**3) INSTRUMENTATION:**

- i)Principle,
- ii)Basic components and use in biochemistry of the following:
  - (1)PH meter
  - (2)Colorimeter
  - (3)Spectrophotometer
  - (4)Flame photometer
  - (5)Centrifuges

**4) AUTOMATION:**

- i) Principles
- ii) Types and Applications

**5) QUALITY CONTROL IN BIOCHEMISTRY:**

- i)Introduction,
- ii)Importance of Quality Control.
- iii)Accuracy,
- iv)Precision and Reliability;
- v)Distribution of data, Central tendency
- vi)Standard Deviation.
- vii)Preparation of Q.C. Chart,
- viii)Normal range,
- ix)Coefficient of variation of standards & controls.
- x) Quality Control procedures

**6) CLINICAL INFORMATICS, LABORATORY INFORMATION PROCESSING,  
WEB REPORTING.**

**SECTION – II BIOCHEMISTRY**

**BIOCHEMISTRY AND ROUTINE BIOCHEMICAL TESTS:**

**1) CARBOHYDRATES:-**

- i) Introduction
- ii) Classification of carbohydrates
- iii) Regulation of Blood Glucose
- iv) Determination & Clinical Significance of blood glucose and urine glucose
- v) Hyperglycemia and Hypoglycemia
- vi) GTT
- vii) Diabetes

**2) PLASMA PROTEIN: -**

- i) Introduction
- ii) Function of plasma proteins
- iii) Determination of proteins
- iv) Clinical significance of plasma proteins

**3) LIPIDS AND LIPOPROTEINS :-**

- i) Introduction of lipids and lipoproteins
- ii) Essential fatty acids
- iii) Determination of Cholesterol
- iv) Triglycerides and lipoproteins
- v) Clinical significance of lipids and lipoproteins

**4) ENZYMES:**

- a. Introduction to enzymes, as catalysts, nomenclature, classification, properties, factors affecting enzyme activity, isoenzymes and coenzymes.
- b. Clinical Enzymology
  - i) Therapeutic, diagnostic and analytical uses of enzymes
  - ii) Enzyme assays in clinical Biochemistry
  - iii) Conventional methods and Kinetic methods of determination and their clinical significance for,
    - 1. Phosphatases
    - 2. Transminases
    - 3. Lactate dehydrogenases
    - 4. Creatine Kinase
    - 5. Amylase
    - 6. Gamma glutamyl Transferase

**5) HORMONES:**

- i) Introduction to Thyroid and parathyroid hormones,
- ii) Adrenal Hormone,

- iii) Pituitary hormones and sex hormones.
- iv) Determination of T<sub>3</sub>, T<sub>4</sub>, TSH, β-HCG.

**6) VITAMINS:**

- i) Introduction
- ii) Determination of Vit. B<sub>12</sub> & Vit. D<sub>3</sub>

**7) ELECTROLYTES AND BLOOD GASES:**

- i) Introduction of electrolytes,
- ii) Determination of sodium, potassium, serum calcium, urinary calcium, phosphorus, Chloride, iron and their clinical significance.

**8) FUNCTION TESTS:**

- i) Liver function test
- ii) Renal function tests
- iii) Pancreatic function tests
- iv) Cardiac function tests.

**9) MEDICO LEGAL ASPECTS IN LABORATORY FUNCTIONS.**

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PROPOSED MODIFIED REVISED PRACTICAL SYLLABUS OF  
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**PRACTICALS BASED ON PAPER – 1**

**SECTION – I                   MICROBIOLOGY**

1. Study of Compound Microscope.
2. Cleaning, Neutralization and preparation of glassware for sterilization.
3. Examination of living Bacteria.
  - a) Wet mount preparation
  - b) Hanging – drop technique.
  - c) Semisolid stab agar test.
3. (A) Staining of the bacterial cell:
  - a) The Simple Stain
  - b) The Negative Stain.
- (B) Differential Staining
  - a) The Gram Stain
  - b) The Acid fast Staining.
- (C) Special Staining
  - a) The Spirocheate Stain
  - b) The Metachromatic Granules Stain.
  - c) The spore Stain
  - d) The Capsule Stain
  - e) The Flagella Stain
4. Study of some important biochemical reactions.
  - a) Indole Test.
  - b) Methyl red Test.
  - c) V.P. Test.
  - d) Citrate Utilization Test.
  - e) H<sub>2</sub>S Production (2% peptone)
  - f) Study of TSI slants with different
  - g) Fermentation of Sugars
  - h) Test for enzyme activity-Oxidase, Catalase, Coagulase, Urease,

6. Practical Haematology. J. A. Dacie & S. M. Lewis, The English Language Book Society, 8<sup>th</sup> ed., ELBS
7. Collection and Handling of Laboratory Specimen – A Practical Guide, 1983, Editor T. M. Stockbower & T.A. Bhumenfeld, J. B. Lippincott company, USA

## PRACTICAL BASED ON PAPER IV

### SECTION – I INSTRUMENTATION

1. Operation of pH meter, Single pan Balance, Spectrophotometer, Colorimeter, Autoanalyzer, Electrophoresis. (Demonstration)

### SECTION – II CLINICAL BIOCHEMISTRY

Preferably all the test should be done on semi Auto analyser.

- 1) Blood Glucose/Sugar estimation and GTT.
- 2) Blood Cholesterol – Free & Total HDL Cholesterol, LDL Cholesterol.
- 3) Serum Triglyceride
- 4) Serum Total Protein and Serum Albumin and A/G ratio
- 5) Microalbumin test
- 6) Blood/Urine Urea.
- 7) Blood /Urine Creatinine.
- 8) Blood /urine Uric Acid
- 9) Serum Calcium / Ionized Calcium
- 10) Serum potassium
- 11) Serum Sodium
- 12) Serum Chloride
- 13) Serum Iron, and TIBC (Total Iron Binding Capacity)
- 14) Serum Bilirubin.
- 15) Serum Alkaline Phosphatase.
- 16) Serum Acid Phosphatase.
- 17) S.G.O.T
- 18) S.G.P.T.
- 19) Serum Amylase.
- 20) Serum Lipase
- 21) Serum Protein Electrophoresis and Lipoprotein electrophoresis (Demonstration).
- 22) Cardiac Troponin T (Demonstration)
- 23) Cardiac Troponin I (Demonstration)
- 24) T3 , T4, TSH ELISA (Demonstration)

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