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Basic information:		
Program on which the Course is offered	PharmD	
Qualification Awarded	Bachelor of Pharmacy (BPharmD)	
Course title - Code - Year	Literature Evaluation – 3206 – Second Year	
Course Type	Foundational Stage	
Total contact Hours / week	(Lectures: 0.5, Tutorials and others: 1.5)	
[2 hrs.]		
ECTS Hours	1	
Pre-requisites for this Course	None	
Week period	12	

Course Description:

Literature evaluation course, provides overview of drug information resources and systematic approaches for critical evaluation of the medical literature. Course is designed to familiarize students with study designs and statistical concepts commonly used to develop, select, deliver and evaluate patient-centered pharmacy services in medical literature.

Course Objectives:

By the end of this Course/Subject the student should be able to:

- Learn the purpose of different parts of academic paper.
- Understand the use of tables and graphs in study.
- Understand describing data in a study.
- Learn the different method of referencing.

Learning and Teaching Methods, & Assessment Methods

Learning and teaching methods:

- Lectures
- Tutorials
- Assignments

Assessment methods:

- Continuous assessment:
 - Attendance
 - Assignments
- Final assessment:
 - Final Project

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Weighting of Assessment.		
Assessment	%	
Attendance	20 %	
Assignments	30 %	

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Final Project	50%	
Total	100%	
Assessment Schedule:		
Assessment	Week	
Attendance	Every Week	
 Assignments 	Every Week	
Final Project	According to the Announced Academic Agenda	

Examination Regulations:

- If the student absenteeism is more than 25 % he/she cannot attempt the final exam.
- The total required percentage to pass this course is at least 50 %.

List of textbooks and references:

Course Notes:

• PowerPoint presentations, videos and other materials related to lectures and lab are uploaded to the Moodle by experts on weekly basis according to the teaching schedules.

Periodicals, websites:

- Al-Mohamadi, A., Badr, A., Mahfouz, L.B., Samargandi, D. and Al Ahdal, A., 2013. Dispensing medications without prescription at Saudi community pharmacy: Extent and perception. *Saudi Pharmaceutical Journal*, 21(1), pp.13-18.
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- Psychiatry online. Available online: https://psychiatryonline.org/#
- Research guide. Available online: http://www.researchguides.uic.edu/

Block Policies:

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Academic integrity

Please be aware that cheating, plagiarism, in-class disruption and dishonesty are vigorously prosecuted and that LIMU has a zero-tolerance policy.