

HOMEOPATHIC AND VETERINARY MEDICINES

ELECTIVE COURSE FOR 3RD YEAR PHARMACY STUDENTS

COURSE OBJECTIVE

Mastering the fundamental concepts of homeopathy and applying the acquired knowledge in pharmaceutical practice as a complementary/alternative treatment method.

Gaining knowledge on veterinary medicinal products to expand professional horizons.



WHAT WE WILL COVER?

1. Introduction to the study of homeopathy – definition, brief history, evolution, specialized terminology. Homeopathic concepts of health, disease, treatment, and recovery.
2. Basic principles of homeopathy: the principle of similarity, the principle of proving (pathogenetic testing) on healthy humans, the principle of infinitesimal doses or the principle of dynamization, and the principle of individualized medicine prescription.
3. The homeopathic conception of chronic diseases. Miasms (Diatheses). Biotypes and their utility in homeopathy. Aspects regarding dynamics and behavior.
4. The homeopathic medicinal product – the homeopathic remedy: definition, classification, raw materials, method of preparation, examples of dosage forms; aspects related to the marketing authorization of homeopathic medicines.
5. The homeopathic prescription – components of a homeopathic prescription, treatment methods: pluralism, unicism, complexism.
6. Materia medica: description of select homeopathic remedies in accordance with repertory data.
7. The homeopathic approach to treating select pathologies of the digestive, cardiovascular, respiratory, and dermatological systems: examples of remedies and mode of administration.
8. Veterinary pharmacy – organization, legislative regulations for establishment and operation, examples of veterinary medicinal products, dispensing of veterinary medicines.
9. Formulation, preparation, and routes of administration of veterinary medicinal products; methods for determining drug dosages in veterinary medicine.
10. Zoonoses: etiology, symptoms, therapy.
11. Pharmacotherapy of parasitic diseases, select digestive pathologies, and cutaneous disorders in animals.



WHY IS THIS ELECTIVE COURSE USEFUL?

Within the Homeopathic and Veterinary Medicinal Products course, students gain insight into homeopathic remedies and their application in treating various conditions, while also understanding the unique characteristics of dosage forms and veterinary products. This expertise complements the professional training of future pharmacists, significantly enhancing their competitiveness in the labor market.