Rajashi Shahu College of Pharmacy Buldana.

"MEDICAL EMERGENCIES & ITS PRIMARY MANAGEMENT"

Department – Pharmacology (2019-2020)

Duration: 30 Hours

Scope:

This course deals with the most common Medical emergencies and how to recognize them

Objectives:

Upon completion of the course student shall be able to deal with -

- > Aware about most common emergencies
- > Early identification of Medical emergencies
- ➤ How to approach medical complaints with an emphasis on patients with possible cardiovascular emergencies, respiratory emergencies, neurological emergencies, hematologic emergencies, gastrointestinal emergencies,
- Should able to differentiate treatment for various medical complaints.

Course Contents:

UNIT-I

6 Hrs

Cardiovascular Emergencies

- > Basic anatomy & physiology of cardiovascular system.
- > Definition, symptoms, assessment & primary management of -
 - Heart attack
 - Cardiac arrest
 - Chest Pain
 - Heart failure
 - Cardiac arrhythmia

UNIT-II

6 Hrs

Respiratory Emergencies

- ➤ Basic anatomy & physiology of respiratory system.
- > Definition, symptoms, assessment & primary management of -
 - Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease
 - Bronchial Asthma
 - Pneumonia
 - Pulmonary embolus
 - Acute respiratory distress syndrome (ARDS)

UNIT-III

6 Hrs

Neurological Emergencies

- ➤ Basic anatomy & physiology of nervous system.
- Definition, symptoms, assessment & primary management of -
 - Coma

- Meningitis
- Thrombophlebitis
- Head Injury
- Brain stroke

UNIT-IV

6 Hrs

Haematological Emergencies

- > Basic anatomy & physiology of circulatory system.
- > Definition, symptoms, assessment & primary management of -
 - Autoimmune Haemolytic Anemia Induced by Drugs
 - Thrombotic thrombocytopenic purpura (Moschowitz Disease)
- Sickle cell crisis
 - haemorrhage
 - Haematological malignancies

UNIT-V

6 Hrs

Gastrointestinal Emergencies

- > Basic anatomy & physiology of gastrointestinal system.
- > Definition, symptoms, assessment & primary management of -
 - Basic anatomy & physiology of gastrointestinal system
- Abdominal abcess
 - Appendicitis
 - Intestinal obstruction
 - Acute mesenteric ischemia
 - GERD & ulcers



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