Course Information

Class Days and Times: Monday 1900 - 2140
Class Location: ENS 106
Office Hours Times: By appointment only
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Course Overview

Clinical pathology associated with body systems, clinical recognition, management, and referral of non-orthopedic pathologies associated with physically active persons.

5 question quiz at the conclusion of each class

Lab objectives:
- Pulse, blood pressure
- Respiration, peak flow monitor, nebulizer
- Auto-injectable epinephrine pen
- Rectal temperature (simulated), abdominal assessment, bowel sounds
- Otoscope, ophthalmoscope
- Glucometer, urinalysis

Course Materials

Parcore Scantron (class quizzes – same scantron will be used all semester)

Course Policies

Attendance
Attendance for this course is important for optimal learning. There will be a 5 question quiz at the conclusion of each class unless otherwise indicated.

There will be NO extra credit given in this class. Make-up examinations are ONLY given upon instructor approval PRIOR to the exam. If you absolutely cannot be in class when an exam is scheduled, it is your responsibility to contact me at least 1-week prior to the scheduled exam with valid documentation. If you miss a scheduled exam due to illness or a last minute occurrence, valid documentation may be necessary, and it is your responsibility to get in touch with me within 24 hours of the missed exam or a grade of zero will be automatically given for the examination.

Classroom Conduct
Participation/Classroom Etiquette: Students will be expected to be active participants in the learning process. When students contribute thoughtful comments and questions to class discussions or presentations, the learning experience is enriched for all. Students should also listen attentively to the
speakers and to each other. This course will cover a variety of topics about which many individuals have strong feelings or opinions. Students are expected to articulate their comments and questions in a respectful manner and understand that others may have different perspectives.

**Religious Holidays**
According to the University Policy File, students should notify the instructors of affected courses of planned absences for religious observances by the end of the second week of classes.

**Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA)**
All students with questions or concerns regarding DACA are encouraged to see the College of Health and Human Services Assistant Dean for Student Affairs, Jessica Robinson (jmrobinson@sdsu.edu).

**Concerns Regarding Classroom Activity, Grades, or other Student Affair Matters**
Though students have the option of contacting the San Diego State University Ombudsman or the Assistant Dean for Student Affairs at any time regarding classroom activity, grades, or other student affairs matters, students are encouraged to meet with their professor first to discuss the situation. If the issue is not resolved at this level, the student should contact their undergraduate advisor. If the problem is not resolved at this level, contact should be made to their school director, and finally their Assistant Dean for Student Affairs.

**Classroom Disruptions**
Cell phones and beepers should be turned off during class time. Computers are ok if used for lecture material and note taking only.

**Classroom Recordings**
Students must obtain permission to record a class lecture or discussion. Without prior permission the student may be reported for misconduct.

**Students with Disabilities**
If you are a student with a disability and believe you will need accommodations for this class, it is your responsibility to contact Student Disability Services at (619) 594-6473. To avoid any delaying the receipt of your accommodations, you should contact Student Disability Services as soon as possible. Please note that accommodations are not retroactive, and that accommodations based upon disability cannot be provided until you have presented your instructor with an accommodation letter from Student Disability Services. Your cooperation is appreciated.

**Nondiscrimination Policy**
- San Diego State University complies with the requirements of Title VI and Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as well as other applicable federal and state laws prohibiting discrimination. No person shall, on the basis of race, color, or national origin be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination in any program of the California State University
- SDSU does not discriminate on the basis of disability in admission or access to, or treatment or employment in, its programs and activities. Students should direct inquiries concerning San Diego State University’s compliance with all relevant disability laws to the Director of Student Disability Services (SDS), Calpulli Center, Room 3101, San Diego State University, San Diego, CA 92128 or call 619-594-6473 (TDD: 619-594-2929).
- SDSU does not discriminate on the basis of sex, gender, or sexual orientation in the educational programs or activities it conducts. More detail on SDSU’s Nondiscrimination Policy can be found
in the SDSU General Catalog, University Policies. Students should direct FERPA, Title IX, Discrimination, Harassment or any other protected categories inquiries and concerns to the office of Employee Relations and Compliance, phone number is 619-594-6464 and their website is http://oerc.sdstate.edu/

**Academic Honesty**

The University adheres to a strict [policy regarding cheating and plagiarism](#). Students are expected to maintain the highest standards of academic honesty and respect. According to SDSU's Center for Student Rights and Responsibilities, students may be expelled, suspended, or put on probation for academic dishonesty. In addition to a University review of the incident(s), the School of Exercise and Nutritional Sciences may also take disciplinary action which, depending on the severity of the incident, could result in one or all of the following sanctions: a grade of "F" on the assignment in question, dropping of one letter grade from your final grade in the class, or, for multiple or severe incidents, a grade of "F" in the class. You may receive an incomplete in a class, which will be removed once the investigation of the incident has been completed.

Cheating shall be defined as the act of obtaining or attempting to obtain credit for academic work by the use of dishonest, deceptive, or fraudulent means. Examples of cheating include, but are not limited to (a) copying, in part or in whole, from another’s test or other examination; (b) discussing answers or ideas relating to the answers on a test or other examination without the permission of the instructor; (c) obtaining copies of a test, an examination, or other course material without the permission of the instructor; (d) using notes, cheat sheets, or other devices considered inappropriate under the prescribed testing condition; (e) collaborating with another or others in work to be presented without the permission of the instructor; (f) falsifying records, laboratory work, or other course data; (g) submitting work previously presented in another course, if contrary to the rules of the course; (h) altering or interfering with the grading procedures; (i) plagiarizing, as defined below; and (j) knowingly and intentionally assisting another student in any of the above.

Plagiarism shall be defined as the act of incorporating ideas, words, or specific substance of another, whether purchased, borrowed, or otherwise obtained, and submitting same to the University as one’s own work to fulfill academic requirements without giving credit to the appropriate source. Plagiarism shall include but not be limited to (a) submitting work, either in part or in whole, completed by another; (b) omitting footnotes for ideas, statements, facts, or conclusions that belong to another; (c) omitting quotation marks when quoting directly from another, whether it be a paragraph, sentence, or part thereof; (d) close and lengthy paraphrasing of the writings of another; (e) submitting another person’s artistic works, such as musical compositions, photographs, paintings, drawings, or sculptures; and (f) submitting as one’s own work papers purchased from research companies.

Examples of Plagiarism include but are not limited to:

- Using sources verbatim or paraphrasing without giving proper attribution (this can include phrases, sentences, paragraphs and/or pages of work)
- Copying and pasting work from an online or offline source directly and calling it your own
- Using information you find from an online or offline source without giving the author credit
- Replacing words or phrases from another source and inserting your own words or phrases
- Submitting a piece of work you did for one class to another class

If you have questions on what is plagiarism, please consult the [policy](#).
Turnitin

Students agree that by taking this course all required papers may be subject to submission for textual similarity review to Turnitin.com for the detection of plagiarism. All submitted papers will be included as source documents in the Turnitin.com reference database solely for the purpose of detecting plagiarism of such papers. You may submit your papers in such a way that no identifying information about you is included. Another option is that you may request, in writing, that your papers not be submitted to Turnitin.com. However, if you choose this option you will be required to provide documentation to substantiate that the papers are your original work and do not include any plagiarized material.

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- North America, Toll Free: 1 (877) 382-2293

Course Assessment and Grading

1. Exam 1- 100 points (Feb. 13)
2. Exam 2- 100 points (Mar. 20)
3. Exam 3- 200 points (May 8)
4. Quizzes 60 points (12x5 – this may change upon instructor’s discretion)
5. 5 Lab assignments- 5x10 = 50 points
   Total 510

Grades are assigned as a percentage of the total class points.

- 93 – 100% A
- 90 – 92.9% A-
- 87 – 89.9% B+
- 83 – 86.9% B
- 80 – 82.9% B-
- 77 – 79.9% C+
- 73 – 76.9% C
- 70 – 72.9% C-
- 67 – 69.9% D+
- 60 – 66.9% D

DISCLAIMER

Every effort will be made to follow the syllabus content and schedule; however, if circumstances dictate there may be modifications necessary during the semester. If such is the case the professor will make every effort to notify students in a timely manner.

Course Calendar

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*01/30 Immune System (Ch. 4)
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* class will begin at 7:30pm

**Interacting with me**

I'll try to respond to emails within 24-48 hours. Please send emails to: cpeters@mail.sdsu.edu or cpeters@sdcc.edu