

SUBJECT TEACHING GUIDE

G1944 - Applied Genetics and Personalized Medicine

Degree in Biomedical Sciences

Academic year 2024-2025

1. IDENTIFYING DATA					
Degree	Degree in Biomedical Sciences			Type and Year	Optional. Year 4
Faculty	Faculty of Medicine				
Discipline					
Course unit title and code	G1944 - Applied Genetics and Personalized Medicine				
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6	Term	Semester based (1)		
Web					
Language of instruction	Spanish	English Friendly	No	Mode of delivery	Face-to-face

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3.1 LEARNING OUTCOMES

- 1. List the genomic alterations involved in common genetically based disorders
- 2. Identify the diagnostic methodologies available to evaluate genetically based disorders at the pre- and postnatal level.
- 3. Select the most effective diagnostic procedures for the main syndromes of genetic origin
- 4. Explore the databases and extract useful information for the interpretation of the anomalies detected in the genetic tests
- 5. Identify genomic and other biomarkers that help individualize and personalize treatments for non-tumor disorders.
- 6. Solve problems of human identification and family relationships through the use of genetic tests
- 7. Identify legal and bioethical problems associated with genetic tests applied in clinical and research and resolve them appropriately.
- 8. Apply the results of genetic tests for genetic counseling
- 9. Design genetically based research studies and critically analyze the literature
- 10. Assess family history and document it in a standardized manner

4. OBJECTIVES

To provide students with knowledge and skills so that they know the bases of

- 1. Genome and epigenome as causes of disease and modifiers of the response to external agents
- 2. Genomic and non-genomic markers in Personalized Medicine
- 3. Analysis techniques in pre and postnatal Clinical Genetics
- 4. Research methodology and critical analysis of genetic studies
- 5. Approach to the main genetic syndromes
- 6. Genetic procedures in human identification
- 7. Ethical and legal aspects of genetic studies
- 8. Genetic counseling
- 9. Application of personalized Medicine to non-tumor processes
- 10. Gene therapy

And that they develop the necessary skills to

- 1. Select the analysis techniques in pre and postnatal Clinical Genetics
- 2. Critically analyze genetic studies and design new studies
- 3. Interpret DNA studies in identification and parentage
- 4. Start genetic counseling
- 5. Develop and interpret family pedigrees
- 6. Interpret studies of chromosomal alterations
- 7. Explore bioinformatics bases
- 8. Elucidate the functional impact of genetic variants
- 9. Prioritize genetic variants

6. SUBJECT PROGRAM

CONTENTS

1	<p>LECTURES</p> <p>1 Genome and epigenome as causes of disease.</p> <p>2 Mutation analysis techniques</p> <p>3 Chromosomal analysis techniques</p> <p>4 Epigenome and disease. Analysis Techniques</p> <p>5 Biochemical and Imaging Biomarkers</p> <p>6 Preimplantation and prenatal diagnosis</p> <p>7 Hereditary disorders of metabolism. Newborn screening</p> <p>8 Useful Databases on Genetics and PM</p> <p>9 Growth disturbances, localized and generalized</p> <p>10 Neurodevelopmental disorders. Other neurological diseases</p> <p>11 Endocrine-metabolic diseases</p> <p>12 Skeletal and connective tissue disease</p> <p>13 Disorders of the Urinary and digestive systems</p> <p>14 Heart and Lung Diseases</p> <p>15 Summary: Approach to the study of the main genetically-based syndromes and diseases</p> <p>16 Critical Analysis of Studies Using Genetic/Epigenetic Information</p> <p>17 Ethical and legal aspects of genetic tests and studies. Biobanks</p> <p>18 Genetic counseling</p> <p>19 Complex hereditary diseases. polygenic risk</p> <p>20 Forensic genetics. Identification and parentage</p> <p>21 Gene therapy</p> <p>22 Somatic mutations in non-tumor pathology</p>
2	<p>SEMINARS AND PRACTICE EXERCISES</p> <p>1 Family trees: elaboration and interpretation</p> <p>2.3 Forensic Genetics: identification, parentage, mixtures and chimerism</p> <p>4 Cases of genetic counseling</p> <p>5 Bioinformatic databases</p> <p>6.7 Analysis of individual variants</p> <p>8.9 Analysis of Variant Listings</p> <p>10.11 Analysis of arrays</p> <p>12 Critical Analysis of Studies Using Genetic/Epigenetic Information</p> <p>13 Preparation of a research project</p>
3	Visits to clinical labs
4	Computer practice
5	Tutorship
6	Evaluation
7	Personal work
8	Group work

7. ASSESSMENT METHODS AND CRITERIA

Description	Type	Final Eval.	Reassessn	%
Continuing practical activities	Work	No	No	30,00
Online multiple-choice questions	Activity evaluation with Virtual Media	Yes	Yes	60,00
Online or written	Activity evaluation with Virtual Media	No	No	10,00
TOTAL				100,00
Observations				
A score of 50% at the final exam is needed to pass. Students who pass that score will get a final score by adding the paper exam and practical activities weighted scores,				
Observations for part-time students				
General criteria adapted to part-time schedules				

8. BIBLIOGRAPHY AND TEACHING MATERIALS

BASIC

- Dhar SU et al. Handbook of clinical adult genetics and genomics. A practice-based approach. Academic Press. 2020.
- Firth HV y Hurst JA. Clinical genetics and genomics. Oxford University Press. 2017