

Institute of Social & Cultural Studies Faculty of Behavioral & Social Sciences University of the Punjab, Lahore Course Outline

Programme	BS Demography	Course Code	DEM404	Credit Hours	3
Course Title	Gender Health and Development				

Course objectives:

By the end of this course the student will be able to:

- i. know the debates and theoretical frameworks on the intersectionality of gender, development and health;
- ii. develop critical thinking about gender within the realm of health and development;
- iii. understand gender mainstreaming and the role of governments; and
- iv. learn about global commitments to development i.e. Millennium Development Goals and Gender and Sustainable Development Goals and the role of international development organizations.

Course Outline:

- Definition, Concepts and Importance
- Gender roles and Culture
- Gender stratification: A Global Perspective
- Feminist theories
- Gender and Millennium Development Goals
- Gender and Sustainable Development Goals
- Gender Equity and Equality
- Gender mainstreaming and development

- Gender Action Plan
- Access to Resources
- Gender Disparity and Problems
- The role of International Development Organizations
- The role of Government

Teaching-Learning Strategies:

Teaching will be a combination of class lectures, class discussions, and group work. Short videos/films will be shown on occasion.

Sessional Work:

The sessional work will be a combination of written assignments, class quizzes, presentations, and class participation/attendance.

Assessments and Examination:

Sessional Work: 25 marks

Midterm Exam: 35 marks

Final Exam: 40 marks

Recommended Books:

- 1. Anderson, S., Beaman, L., & Platteau, J. P. (Eds.). (2018). *Towards gender equity in development*. Oxford University Press.
- 2. Demos, V., Segal, M. T., & Kelly, K. (Eds.). (2019). *Gender and Practice: Insights from the Field*. Emerald Group Publishing.
- 3. Quincy, E. (2007). Gender and Development Principles and their Criticism. A working Paper. Gender and Development Approaches.
- 4. Trends and Approaches on Gender and Development (GAD) (2007). Published by JICA

- 5. Schulz, A. J., & Mullings, L. E. (2006). *Gender, race, class, & health: Intersectional approaches.* Jossey-Bass.
- 6. Sweetman, C. (2001). Gender, Development and Health. Oxfam GB.
- 7. Moser, C. (2012). Gender Planning and Development: Theory and Practice. Routledge.