## **CODE BSPH-311 COMMUNITY NUTRITION**

## **Course Objectives:**

After studying this course, you should be able to:

i. Identifying target populations that may be at nutritional risk

ii. Identifying and assisting in development of accurate nutrition education materials

iii. Demonstrate accurate understanding of the science of normal nutrition

iv. Communicate effectively, both orally and in writing

v. Conduct needs assessments and develop nutrition interventions for individuals, groups and communities

vi. Use effective teaching strategies for individuals, groups, or through community education programming

vii. Apply understanding of the influence of socioeconomic, cultural, social, psychological, and ethnic food consumption issues and trends to nutrition practice

viii. Demonstrate professional attributes including time management, priority setting, work ethic, critical thinking, advocacy, and service to professional and community organizations

ix. Demonstrate active participation, teamwork and contributions in group settings

## **Course Contents:**

- i. Introduction to Human Nutrition and Balanced Diet
- ii. Identification of Population at Risk
- iii. Factors Contributing to Community Nutritional Disorders
- iv. Healthy Nutrition for Pregnant Women, Lactating Mothers and Children

v. Problems Related to Procurement, Storage, Supply and Distribution of Food to the Vulnerable Groups

- vi. Adequate Supply of Food (quality and quantity)
- vii. International Food Organizations (WFO etc)
- viii. Politics in Food Supply
- ix. Food Supply to Drought, Earthquake, War and Refugees
- x. Management of Nutritional Disorder Diseases in Communities

## **Recommended Books:**

1. Community Nutrition by Nnakwe 2018.

2. Community Nutrition for Developing Countries edited by Norman J. Temple , Nelia Steyn 2016.

3. Community Nutrition: Applying Epidemiology to Contemporary Practice second edition by Gail C. Frank 2008.

4. Dr. Saira Afzal (HOD community med dept. KEMU) Concepts of community medicine Hard+Cheap+Easy

5. Dr. Saira Afzal (HOD community med dept. KEMU) Research Methodology and basic biostatistics Hard+Cheap+Easy

6. Naveed Alam Community Medicine Hard+Cheap+Easy

7. Park Preventive and social medicine Hard+Easy+Cheap

8. Muhammad Ilyas Public health and community medicine Hard+Easy+Cheap

9. US AID Nutrition Soft+Easy

10. Nouman Hashmi Community Medicine Hard+Easy+Cheap

11. Arlene Spark Nutrition in public health Soft+Downloadable (Google Books)

12. A Burgess, M Bijlsma, Community Nutrition Soft+Downloadable (Google Books)