



Nature Care College

Homoeopathy 1A

DISTANCE/BLENDED LEARNING

DESCRIPTION	Homoeopathy 1A introduces the history, philosophy and principles of Homoeopathy. The study of the Materia Medica begins with some of the most commonly indicated remedies for first aid, acute and chronic illness. 1A remedies include Arnica, Belladonna and Arsenicum. There is a brief introduction to practical prescribing with the use of the Repertory and case studies.	
DURATION	One term (12 weeks) approximately 24 learning hours.	
LEARNING OUTCOMES	<p>By the conclusion of the unit of study, students should be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Outline the history and philosophy of homoeopathy. 2. Explain the principles of homoeopathy in detail. 3. Outline the principles of patient assessment using homoeopathic criteria. 4. Apply homoeopathic first aid remedies. 5. Outline the application of homoeopathic case taking and treatment in acute illnesses. 6. Outline the application of homoeopathic case taking and treatment in chronic illnesses. 7. Explain the concept and use of homoeopathic Materia Medica. 8. Outline the administration of a homoeopathic remedy. 	
TEACHING METHOD	<p>This subject will be studied by the method known as “Distance/Blended Learning”. This form of study involves your completion of all learning outcomes without formal attendance at lectures or other types of classes.</p> <p>The benefits of this system are considerable as it contributes significant flexibility to your study program. It also encourages students to take responsibility for their own learning, enhancing those mandatory skills of self-education. There will be considerable support from the College to aid you in your studies.</p> <p>A tutor will be available to answer any academic questions students may have. Details regarding this will be in the information and instruction sheet that will be sent to you upon enrolment.</p>	
ASSESSMENT	Organon Study Assignment Examination week 12	30% 70%
<p>Each assessable component must be passed at 60% in order to pass this subject satisfactorily.</p>		

COMPETENCIES PARTIAL COMPLETION Successful completion of this unit of study is in partial completion of the following Health Training Package HLT07 Units of Competency toward the advance Diploma of Homoeopathy from HLT60607:

- HLTHOM610B - Take homoeopathic case
- HLTHOM601B - Apply homoeopathic diagnostic framework
- HLTHOM603B - Manage work within the homoeopathic framework
- HLTHOM608B - Provide homoeopathic treatment and manage the case

PRE-REQUISITES Nil.

CO-REQUISITES Nil.

TEXTBOOKS

Compulsory:
Phatak SR. *Materia Medica of Homoeopathic Medicines*. **OR**
Vermeulen F, 1997. *Concordant Materia Medica*. 2nd ed.

Schroyens F. *Synthesis, Repertorium Homoeopathicum Syntheticum*. 7th edition onwards

Hahnemann S. *Organon of Medicine*. 5th & 6th ed. (Dudgeon translation). B.jain publishers

Recommended Reading / References:

Materia Medica:

Allen HC. *Keynotes with Nosodes*.
Boericke W. *Materia Medica with Repertory*.
Boger CM. *A Synoptic Key to the Materia Medica; a treatise for homoeopathic students*.
Golden I. *Australian Homeopathic Home Prescriber Parts 1 and 2. The treatment of simple everyday conditions*. 2nd edition.
Hahnemann S. *Materia Medica Pura*.
Kent JT. *Lectures on the Homoeopathic Materia Medica*.
Morrison R. *Desktop Guide to Keynotes and Confirmatory Symptoms*.
Rowan MD. *The Homoeopathy Colouring Book*.
Tyler M. *Homoeopathic Drug Pictures*.

Philosophy:

Hahnemann S. *Organon of Medical Art*. (O'Reilly translation).
Hahnemann S. *The Chronic Diseases*. (2 volumes)
Coulter HL. *Homoeopathic Science and Modern Medicine*.
Dhawale, M. L. '*Principles & Practice of Homoeopathy*'. (B. Jain -Indian publication)
Dudgeon RE. *Lectures on the Theory and Practice of Homoeopathy*.
Kent JT. *Lectures on Homoeopathic Philosophy*.
Roberts Herbert A. *The Principles and Art of Cure by Homoeopathy*.
Vithoukaskas G *Homoeopathy, Medicine for 21st Century*.
Vithoukaskas G. *The Science of Homoeopathy*.

Therapeutics:

Nash EB. *Leaders in Homoeopathic Therapeutics*.
Tyler M. *Pointers to the Common Remedies*.
Lilienthal S. *Homoeopathic Therapeutics*.
Golden I. *Body System Prescribing* i_golden@netconnect.com.au
Morrison R. *Desktop Companion*.

General Reading:

Hahnemann S. *Organon of Medical Art*. (O'Reilly translation).
Shepherd D. *Magic of the Minimum Dose*.
Shepherd D. *More Magic of the Minimum Dose*.
Blackie M. *The Challenge of Homoeopathy-The Patient, Not the Cure*.
Haehl R. *Samuel Hahnemann: His Life and Work*.
Bradford TL. *Life and Letters of Hahnemann*.
Iyer T.S. *Beginners Guide to Homoeopathy*.
Hering C. *The Homoeopathic Domestic Physician*.
Lockie A. *A Family Guide to Homoeopathy*.
Lansky A. *Impossible Cure*.

HOME STUDY GUIDE

LESSON 1	Introduction to the course and review of assessment packs. Introduction to Homoeopathy History of the Law of Similars
LESSON 2	Laws and Principles in Homoeopathy Like Cures Like – The Law of Similars The History of Christian Freidrich Samuel Hahnemann
LESSON 3	An Introduction to the Study of the Organon
LESSON 4	The Life and Works of J T Kent Homoeopathic repertory. Symptom categories: - Mental, General and Particular
LESSON 5	China officinalis The Vital Force in Healing
LESSON 6	The Principal of the Single Remedy
LESSON 7	The Development of the Theory of Potency
LESSON 8	The Principle of the Minimum Dose <i>Arnica montana</i>
LESSON 9	The Methodology of Proving
LESSON 10	Life of Constantine Hering and The Principle of Direction of cure.
LESSON 11	Nux vomica
LESSON 12	Assessment Due
