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UNIT I – CARDIAC ASSIST DEVICES

Cardiac pacemakers-Need, types and functional characteristics, AC Cardiac defibrillators, disadvantages, DC defibrillator, types- Instantaneous, Cardioverter.

PART – A

Q.No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1.	Classify the types of pacemakers.	BTL 2	Understanding
2.	Why do we require a synchronization function in defibrillator?	BTL 1	Remembering
3.	List the types of batteries used for implantable pacemaker.	BTL 1	Remembering
4.	Define counter shock.	BTL 1	Remembering
5.	Indicate the advantages and disadvantages of standby pacemakers.	BTL 2	Understanding
6.	Examine important factors that demand internal pace maker's usage.	BTL 4	Analyzing
7.	Construct the block diagram of automatic defibrillator.	BTL 3	Applying
8.	How are pulses generated in competitive pace makers?	BTL 1	Remembering
9.	Name the electrodes used for defibrillation.	BTL 1	Remembering
10.	Interpret the need for using a cardiac pacemaker.	BTL 2	Understanding
11.	Write down the advantage of DC defibrillator over AC defibrillator.	BTL 4	Analyzing
12.	Identify the cause of fibrillation.	BTL 2	Understanding
13.	Differentiate between AC and DC defibrillators.	BTL 4	Analyzing
14.	Choose the difference between external and internal pacemaker.	BTL 3	Applying
15.	Calculate the energy stored in 16 μ F capacitor of a DC defibrillator that is charged to a potential of 5000 V dc.	BTL 4	Analyzing
16.	Analyze the phenomenon of fibrillation.	BTL 4	Analyzing
17.	Distinguish between internal and external defibrillator.	BTL 4	Analyzing
18.	Identify the type of defibrillator preferred in cardiac emergencies.	BTL 3	Applying
19.	Mention the classification of pacing modes.	BTL 2	Understanding
20.	Outline the usage of demand pacemaker.	BTL 3	Applying
21.	Infer the significance of heart simulation during T-wave	BTL 4	Analyzing
22.	Enlist the effects of the AV block in human heart.	BTL 1	Remembering
23.	Sketch the phenomenon of premature ventricular contractions in ECG.	BTL 3	Applying
24.	Draw the condition of ventricular tachycardia in a ECG waveform	BTL 3	Applying

PART B

1.	What is pacemaker? How pacemakers are classified based on the modes of operation? Explain in detail. (13)	BTL 1	Remembering
2.	Illustrate the following techniques. (i) Demand pacemaker. (6) (ii) Atrial synchronous pacemaker. (7)	BTL 3	Applying
3.	Explain the principle and operations of DC defibrillators. (13)	BTL 3	Applying
4.	Examine about a cardioverter with the help of block diagram. (13)	BTL 3	Applying

5.	(i) Demonstrate the principle and operations of dual peak DC defibrillators. (8) (ii) Identify the advantages and disadvantages of DC defibrillator. (5)	BTL 3	Applying
6.	Write a brief note on implantable defibrillators. (13)	BTL 1	Remembering
7.	Indicate ventricular asynchronous pacemaker with the help of square wave generator and monostable multivibrator circuit. (13)	BTL 2	Understanding
8.	Draw a block diagram of the automatic defibrillator and analyze the importance of each block. (13)	BTL 2	Understanding
9.	Construct the circuit diagram of fixed rate pacemaker and explain its working principle. (13)	BTL 4	Analyzing
10.	(i) Distinguish between internal and external pacemaker. (7) (ii) Analyze the working principle of ventricular synchronous pacemaker. (6)	BTL 4	Analyzing
11.	Write the function of a typical modern pacemaker with the help of block diagram. (13)	BTL 1	Remembering
12.	Indicate the components, specification and method of stimulation of pacemaker. (13)	BTL 2	Understanding
13.	(i) When to use a defibrillator system? (6) (ii) explain the need of cardiac pacemaker. (7)	BTL 2	Understanding
14.	Review the working principle synchronized DC defibrillator. (13)	BTL 2	Understanding
15.	Write different codes for the commercially available pacemaker. (13)	BTL 1	Remembering
16.	Inspect the constructional details for a implantable pacemakers. (13)	BTL 4	Analyzing
17.	Examine the problems associated with the leads and electrodes of a pacemaker. (13)	BTL 4	Analyzing

PART C

1.	(i) Classify the types of implantable pacemakers and explain their functions with necessary diagrams. (10) (ii) Demonstrate the two types of electrode system used in implantable pacemaker. (5)	BTL 3	Applying
2.	Categorize the different types pacemaker with suitable diagram. (15)	BTL 4	Analyzing
3.	Infer the following in detail, (i) AC defibrillator (7) (ii) DC defibrillator (8)	BTL 2	Understanding
4.	Write the discharge control and recording circuitry of a microprocessor-based defibrillator monitor. (15)	BTL 1	Remembering
5.	Sketch a system to analyze the operational functioning of a defibrillators. (15)	BTL 3	Applying

UNIT II – DIATHERMY AND MEDICAL STIMULATORS

IR and UV lamp and its application. Short wave diathermy, ultrasonic diathermy, Microwave diathermy, Electro surgery machine - Current waveforms, Tissue Responses, Electro surgical current level, Hazards and safety procedures. Electric stimulators- current waveforms-Galvani, Faradic, exponential surged-IFT and TENS-Lithotripsy- Therapeutic applications of laser.

PART – A

Q.No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1.	What is the thermal effect of IR lamp?	BTL 1	Remembering
2.	State the term fulguration.	BTL 1	Remembering
3.	Draw the cutting and coagulation waveforms generated by surgical diathermy machine.	BTL 4	Analyzing
4.	Cite the common conditions where TENS is used?	BTL 1	Remembering

5.	Choose some of the features of ultrasonic type diathermy.	BTL 3	Applying
6.	Define Lithotripsy.	BTL 1	Remembering
7.	Sketch the block diagram of an ultrasonic therapy unit.	BTL 2	Understanding
8.	List the advantages of diathermy.	BTL 1	Remembering
9.	Identify the risk associated with electro surgery.	BTL 2	Understanding
10.	Report the use of two main circuits used in short wave diathermy machine.	BTL 2	Understanding
11.	Interpret the methods involved in short wave diathermy.	BTL 3	Applying
12.	Categorize the different types of electro-surgery techniques commonly employed in practice.	BTL 4	Analyzing
13.	Apply the principle of heat distribution in the body tissues in a short wave and microwave Diathermy.	BTL 3	Applying
14.	Illustrate the safety precautions to be followed while preparing electrosurgical unit.	BTL 3	Applying
15.	Enumerate the advantages of short-wave diathermy.	BTL 2	Understanding
16.	Construct the block diagram of solid state electro-surgical unit.	BTL 3	Applying
17.	Apply the use of laser in therapy applications.	BTL 3	Applying
18.	Outline the different ways for applying ultrasonic to the body.	BTL 2	Understanding
19.	Summarize the importance of diathermy technique used in diathermy.	BTL 2	Understanding
20.	How does a TENS machine open or close a gate?	BTL 1	Remembering
21.	Sketch the schema of a surgical diathermy machine.	BTL 4	Analyzing
22.	Draw the waveform to coagulate using spark gap generator and solid state diathermy system.	BTL 4	Analyzing
23.	Plot the cut made using a conventional ESU	BTL 4	Analyzing
24.	Differentiate between the waveform to cut a tissue using solid state diathermy machine and electron tube circuit.	BTL 4	Analyzing

PART B

1.	What is diathermy? Draw the circuit diagram of a short-wave diathermy and discuss its impact on therapy in detail. (13)	BTL 1	Remembering
2.	(i) Interpret the application techniques in short- wave diathermy machines. (8) (ii) Why the diathermy is preferred? (5)	BTL 2	Understanding
3.	(i) Explain the principle of heating using microwaves. (5) (ii) Elaborate the working of microwave diathermy machine with the help of a simplified circuit diagram. (8)	BTL 2	Understanding
4.	(i) With a block diagram, examine the working function of ultrasonic therapy. (8) (ii) What are the advantages of using ultrasonic for therapeutic purposes? (5)	BTL 3	Applying
5.	Illustrate the following with respect to ultrasonic therapy unit (i) Dosage control. (6) (ii) Application technique. (7)	BTL 2	Understanding
6.	Summarize in detail the electrodes used in surgical diathermy (13)	BTL 2	Understanding
7.	Inspect the working principle of surgical diathermy machine with a block diagram. (13)	BTL 4	Analyzing
8.	Compare different diathermy techniques with neat waveforms. (13)	BTL 4	Analyzing
9.	Write short notes on the following. (i) Galvanic Current (4) (ii) Faradic current (3) (iii) Surging Current (3) (iv) Biphasic Stimulation (3)	BTL 1	Remembering
10.	(i) Label the current waveforms normally employed in electro diagnosis and electrotherapy. (7) (ii) Define the typical specifications of an electro-diagnostic therapy unit. (6)	BTL 1	Remembering

11.	Draw a block diagram electrosurgical diathermy and List the working in detail. (13)	BTL 3	Applying
12.	Express the detailed view on TENS. (13)	BTL 3	Applying
13.	Outline the working principle of extracorporeal lithotripsy with the help of a neat diagram. (13)	BTL 4	Analyzing
14.	Enlist the different therapeutic application of laser. (13)	BTL 1	Remembering
15.	Analyze the various electrodes used with surgical diathermy system. (13)	BTL 4	Analyzing
16.	Categorize the various circuit configurations for safety operation of the ESUs. (13)	BTL 4	Analyzing
17.	Examine the principle and operation of laser and discuss the importance of laser safety. (13)	BTL 3	Applying

PART C

1.	Write the different types of High frequency heat therapy with healing injured tissues. (15)	BTL 1	Remembering
2.	Explain the different methods of applying electrodes in shortwave diathermy treatment. (15)	BTL 3	Applying
3.	Elaborate in detail about the electrotherapy. (15)	BTL 3	Applying
4.	Infer the schematic diagram of a lithotripter system with biplane X-ray imaging and discuss in detail. (15)	BTL 2	Understanding
5.	Integrate a system to analyze the operational functioning of a surgical diathermy units. (15)	BTL 4	Analyzing

UNIT III – EXTRACORPOREAL DEVICES

Indication and principle of Haemodialysis, Dialysate, different types of Hemodialyzers, peritoneal dialyser monitoring systems, Need for heart lung machine, functioning of bubble, disc type and membrane type oxygenators, finger pump, roller pump, monitoring systems.

PART – A

Q.No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1.	Summarize the components of heart lung machine.	BTL 2	Understanding
2.	When do you need heart lung machine?	BTL 1	Remembering
3.	List the important functions of kidneys.	BTL 1	Remembering
4.	Define the function of hemodialysis system.	BTL 1	Remembering
5.	Outline the two parts of the nephron.	BTL 2	Understanding
6.	Examine the risk associated with hemodialysis.	BTL 4	Analyzing
7.	Construct the block diagram of an artificial kidney.	BTL 3	Applying
8.	How is oxygenators used in heart lung machine?	BTL 1	Remembering
9.	What is dialysate? Mention its composition.	BTL 1	Remembering
10.	Classify dialyzer based on design considerations.	BTL 2	Understanding
11.	Write down the average value of systolic and diastolic pressure for the normal adult.	BTL 4	Analyzing
12.	Name the three main functional units of heart lung machine.	BTL 1	Remembering
13.	Mention the reason behind the centrifugal pump has replaced roller pump for routine CPB.	BTL 2	Understanding
14.	Choose the difference between a CPB and heart lung machine.	BTL 3	Applying
15.	Enlist the basic types of exchangers used in artificial kidney.	BTL 2	Understanding
16.	Outline the simplified block diagram of dialysis process.	BTL 3	Applying
17.	Distinguish between extracorporeal dialysis and intracorporeal dialysis.	BTL 4	Analyzing
18.	Identify the two different names used for heart lung machine.	BTL 3	Applying
19.	Infer the function of membrane in the dialysis process.	BTL 2	Understanding
20.	Determine UF Rate in L/hr for the given values take off liquid for treatment =1L, time = 4 hours	BTL 3	Applying
21.	Analyze the significance of ultrafiltration.	BTL 4	Analyzing
22.	Criticize the process of simple diffusion	BTL 4	Analyzing
23.	Examine the importance of osmosis	BTL 4	Analyzing

24	Interpret the principle of reverse osmosis (RO)	BTL 3	Applying
PART B			
1.	Describe in detail the principle of heart lung machine with diagram. (13)	BTL 1	Remembering
2.	Illustrate the following with neat diagrams. (i) Bubble oxygenators (7) (ii) Peritoneal dialysis. (6)	BTL 3	Applying
3.	Demonstrate the principle used in the pump oxygenators in detail with the help of neat diagram. (13)	BTL 3	Applying
4.	List important points about the different types of oxygenators. (13)	BTL 1	Remembering
5.	Explain ultrafiltration rate monitor with the help of neat block diagram. (13)	BTL 3	Applying
6.	Give a detailed account on classification of dialyzer according to three basic design consideration. (13)	BTL 1	Remembering
7.	Examine the simplified circuit diagram of conductivity of dialysate and explain in detail. (13)	BTL 3	Applying
8.	Point out in detail about the performance analysis of dialyzer. (13)	BTL 4	Analyzing
9.	Analyze in detail any one of the techniques to remove waste products from the blood. (13)	BTL 4	Analyzing
10.	(i) Compare hemodialysis and peritoneal dialysis. (4) (ii) Examine any one of the above in a detailed manner along with its merits and demerits. (9)	BTL 4	Analyzing
11.	Write brief notes on the following oxygenators (i) Disc type (7) (ii) Membrane type (6)	BTL 1	Remembering
12.	Elucidate the application of heart lung machine during open heart surgery. (13)	BTL 2	Understanding
13.	Summarize in detail about the artificial kidney and its functions. (13)	BTL 2	Understanding
14.	Draw a block diagram of blood leak detector using LED as a light source and analyze the importance of each block. (13)	BTL 4	Analyzing
15.	Enumerate important functions of kidneys with a neat diagram of the human renal system. (13)	BTL 2	Understanding
16.	Report the changes in the body fluids that occurs during renal disease. (13)	BTL 2	Understanding
17.	Analyze the principle of dialysis used in artificial kidneys. (13)	BTL 4	Analyzing
PART C			
1.	Review the cardiovascular circulation and heart lung machine model used during surgeries. (15)	BTL 2	Understanding
2.	Identify the principle of dialysis in the artificial kidney. What are the different types of dialyzers? Explain their construction and principle of operation. (15)	BTL 4	Analyzing
3.	Write the natural process of filtration to that process used in portable kidney machine. (15)	BTL 1	Remembering
4.	Examine the circuit diagram for dialysate temperature control and measurement. (15)	BTL 3	Applying
5.	Analyze the functioning of dialyzers with various different performance measures. (15)	BTL 4	Analyzing

UNIT IV – RESPIRATORY AIDS

Ventilator- Need, Types, Intermittent positive pressure, breathing apparatus operating sequence, electronic IPPB unit with monitoring for all respiratory parameters, Humidifier, Nebulizer, Aspirator, Infant incubators.

PART – A

Q.No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1.	Classify ventilator based on the method of initiating inspiratory phase.	BTL 2	Understanding
2.	When does a ventilator offer the best chance of survival?	BTL 1	Remembering
3.	Outline the contradiction for IPPB.	BTL 2	Understanding
4.	How is IPPB different from intermittent positive pressure ventilation?	BTL 1	Remembering
5.	What is a nebulizer?	BTL 1	Remembering
6.	Illustrate the risk associated with a ventilator.	BTL 3	Applying
7.	Draw the functional diagram of a positive pressure ventilator.	BTL 3	Applying
8.	List the parameters need to be monitored while using ventilator.	BTL 1	Remembering
9.	Who needs the nebulizer?	BTL 1	Remembering
10.	Summarize the benefits of IPPB.	BTL 2	Understanding
11.	Differentiate hypo ventilation and hyper ventilation.	BTL 4	Analyzing
12.	Define lung compliance.	BTL 1	Remembering
13.	Review the side effects caused by using ventilators for a long time.	BTL 2	Understanding
14.	Identify the other names for ventilators	BTL 3	Applying
15.	Predict the main functions of ventilator.	BTL 4	Analyzing
16.	Give the reason for using the medical incubator.	BTL 3	Applying
17.	Asses the importance of using aspirator that are often included as part of a ventilator.	BTL 4	Analyzing
18.	Choose the difference between aspirator and a pump.	BTL 3	Applying
19.	Give the advantages of nebulizer.	BTL 2	Understanding
20.	Illustrate the factors that affect the performance of humidifier.	BTL 3	Applying
21.	Examine the conducting section of the human respiratory system	BTL 4	Analyzing
22.	Sort and arrange different divisions in the respiratory section.	BTL 4	Analyzing
23.	Draw the schematic diagram of alveolar gas exchange.	BTL 4	Analyzing
24.	Mention the importance of the process of respiration	BTL 2	Understanding

PART B

1.	Describe in detail the different mechanical modes of operation of ventilator. (13)	BTL 1	Remembering
2.	Explain in detail about the artificial ventilation. (13)	BTL 2	Understanding
3.	Demonstrate the principle and operations of continuous positive airway pressure apparatus with the help of neat diagram. (13)	BTL 3	Applying
4.	Elaborate in detail about the infant incubators. (13)	BTL 3	Applying
5.	Express the detailed view on high frequency ventilators. (13)	BTL 3	Applying
6.	Define the principle of humidifier functions. State its advantages and disadvantages. (13)	BTL 1	Remembering
7.	Integrate a medical equipment for a person with asthma or another respiratory condition to administer medication directly and quickly to the lungs. (13)	BTL 4	Analyzing
8.	Draw a block diagram of microprocessor-controlled ventilator and analyze the importance of each block. (13)	BTL 4	Analyzing
9.	Identify the different methods of classification of ventilator. (13)	BTL 2	Understanding
10.	Categorize the two basic types of ventilators based on clinical usage in detail. (13)	BTL 4	Analyzing

11.	Write short notes on (i) Aspirator (4) (ii) Humidifier (5) (iii) Nebulizer (4)	BTL 1	Remembering
12.	Summarize the different terms associated with ventilator in detail. (13)	BTL 2	Understanding
13.	Illustrate the different types of nebulizers. (13)	BTL 3	Applying
14.	Analyze the IPPB unit for monitoring all respiratory parameters. (13)	BTL 4	Analyzing
15.	Indicate the different lung volumes used for diagnosis (13)	BTL 2	Understanding
16.	Infer in detail the lung capacities used for diagnosis (13)	BTL 2	Understanding
17.	Identify the performance of ventilators using its pressure-volume diagrams. (13)	BTL 2	Understanding

PART C

1.	Explain in detail about the mechanics of respiration. (15)	BTL 2	Understanding
2.	Write the appropriate pressure flow and volume diagram with its pause time. (15)	BTL 1	Remembering
3.	Integrate a suitable device that can assist in respiration and discuss in detail. (15)	BTL 4	Analyzing
4.	Elaborate in detail about the modern ventilators. (15)	BTL 3	Applying
5.	Illustrate the importance of the following (i) Mandatory Minutes Volume Ventilation. (3) (ii) Controlled Mandatory Ventilation. (3) (iii) Assisted Spontaneous Breathing. (3) (iv) Positive End Expiratory Pressure. (3) (v) Continuous Positive Airway Pressure. (3)	BTL 3	Applying

UNIT V – RADIATION THERAPY AND RADIATION SAFETY

Effects of Ionizing radiation, Radiation therapy – Cobalt, Cesium therapy, linear accelerator, betatron, cyclotron, brachytherapy. Radiation safety-Hazardous Effects of Radiation, Radiation measuring units, Allowed Levels, Radiation protection in medicine- radiation protection principles, ICRP regulation, Protection methods.

PART – A

Q.No	Questions	BT Level	Competence
1.	How does ionizing radiation affect humans?	BTL 1	Remembering
2.	Compare ionizing and nonionizing radiation.	BTL 4	Analyzing
3.	Summarize the benefits of using cobalt-60.	BTL 2	Understanding
4.	What is ionization effect?	BTL 1	Remembering
5.	Choose the different devices used to protect external radiation exposure.	BTL 3	Applying
6.	Name few blocks in the subsystem of linear accelerator machine.	BTL 1	Remembering
7.	Differentiate cyclotron and betatron.	BTL 2	Understanding
8.	Identify the few sources of ionizing radiation.	BTL 3	Applying
9.	Point out the three major components of linear accelerator machine.	BTL 4	Analyzing
10.	Define brachytherapy.	BTL 1	Remembering
11.	Classify the major subsystems of cobalt machine.	BTL 2	Understanding
12.	Find the three important factors which influence radiation exposure.	BTL 1	Remembering
13.	When do ionizing radiations become safe?	BTL 1	Remembering
14.	Interpret the term ALARA.	BTL 3	Applying
15.	Illustrate the principle behind the inverse square law.	BTL 3	Applying

16.	Indicate the use of radioactive and non-radioactive cesium.		BTL 2	Understanding
17.	Give some examples of brachytherapy.		BTL 2	Understanding
18.	List out the advantages of linear accelerator.		BTL 4	Analyzing
19.	Enlist the difference between deterministic and stochastic effects.		BTL 2	Understanding
20.	Compare and contrast the three principles used for radiation protection.		BTL 4	Analyzing
21.	Categorize the methods used to manage cancer.		BTL 4	Analyzing
22.	Inspect the significance of high voltage X-ray machines.		BTL 4	Analyzing
23.	Interpret the major subsystems in a cobalt machine.		BTL 3	Applying
24.	Apply the significance of ICRP guidelines for radiation safety		BTL 3	Applying
PART B				
1.	Describe in detail about the effects of ionizing radiation.	(13)	BTL 1	Remembering
2.	Illustrate the operation of betatron with neat diagram.	(13)	BTL 2	Understanding
3.	Demonstrate the principle of operation of cyclotron.	(13)	BTL 3	Applying
4.	Explain about the constructional detail of cobalt machine.	(13)	BTL 2	Understanding
5.	Express the detailed view on radiation measuring units.	(13)	BTL 3	Applying
6.	Write short notes on cobalt and cesium therapy.	(13)	BTL 1	Remembering
7.	Elaborate in detail about the radiation safety principles.	(13)	BTL 4	Analyzing
8.	Draw the schematic diagram of accelerator and collimator subsystems in detail.	(13)	BTL 4	Analyzing
9.	Categorize the different principles of radiation protection and discuss in detail.	(13)	BTL 4	Analyzing
10.	Explain the operation and working principle of medical linear accelerator machine.	(13)	BTL 3	Applying
11.	What is radiation therapy? What are the different radiotherapy techniques available? Explain any one of them.	(13)	BTL 1	Remembering
12.	Classify the different methods of mounting the accelerator and explain in detail.	(13)	BTL 2	Understanding
13.	Summarize about the radiation protection in medicine.	(13)	BTL 2	Understanding
14.	Examine the different blocks present in medical linear accelerator and explain in detail with the help of neat block diagram.	(13)	BTL 4	Analyzing
15.	Elaborate the functional principle of brachytherapy with a neat diagram.	(13)	BTL 3	Applying
16.	Define and elaborate the methods of radiation protection in medicine.	(13)	BTL 1	Remembering
17.	Analyze the schematic of on-off transition mechanism in the cobalt machine.	(13)	BTL 4	Analyzing
PART C				
1.	Interpret about the hazardous effect of radiation.	(15)	BTL 3	Applying
2.	Explain in detail about linac device with the help of neat block diagram.	(15)	BTL 2	Understanding
3.	Employ the layout of the accelerator with respect to the patient.	(15)	BTL 3	Applying
4.	Write the following to radiation safety in detail (i) ICRP regulation. (ii) Optimization of radiation protection.	(8) (7)	BTL 1	Remembering
5.	Infer different radiation measuring units and emphasis on the significance of allowed level of radiation.	(15)	BTL 2	Understanding