

## ACP 507, Physical Examination

*3 Credits, 45 hours lecture*

### Course Description

This course focuses on techniques for carrying out physical examinations, gathering patient histories, interviewing patients, recognizing signs and symptoms, and assessing physical, mental, and emotional health status.

### Pre and Co-requisites

*ACP 501, ACP502, ACP503*

### Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs)

*Upon successful completion of the course, the student shall be able to:*

1. Outline how comprehensive physical assessments are crucial to guide general patient impressions, history taking questions, correct working diagnosis, accurate treatment plans, and evaluation of treatment effectiveness for optimal patient outcomes with various underlying conditions.
2. Discuss and perform organized comprehensive physical examinations using a systematic approach for all body systems.
3. Differentiate normal from abnormal assessment findings relative to differences in age, sex, and condition(s).
4. Discuss and perform accurate history taking and interview approaches for all body systems.
5. Perform accurate vital signs and discuss normal and abnormal findings relative to age, sex, and condition(s).
6. Discuss and perform accurate reporting and documentation.

### Evaluation

| Assessment Type | Percentage |
|-----------------|------------|
| Quizzes         | 30%        |
| Assignments     | 30%        |
| Final Exam      | 40%        |

## Course Completion Requirements

Minimum passing mark of 77% or B is required.

## Grading Scale

| 4.0 Grade Scale | Alpha Grade | Percentage Grade |
|-----------------|-------------|------------------|
| 4.0             | A+          | 96-100           |
| 4.0             | A           | 90-95            |
| 3.7             | A-          | 85-89            |
| 3.3             | B+          | 81-84            |
| 3.0             | B           | 77-80            |
| 2.7             | B-          | 73-76            |
| 2.3             | C+          | 69-72            |
| 2.0             | C           | 65-68            |
| 1.7             | C-          | 60-64            |
| 1.3             | D+          | 55-59            |
| 1.0             | *D          | 50-54            |
| 0.0             | F           | 0-49             |

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