Study program: Integrated academic studies of Pharmacy

Type and level of the study program: integrated academic studies

Course title: PHARMACEUTICAL TECHNOLOGY I (PhIV-PTECHI)

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Course status: compulsory

ECTS Credits: 7

Condition: General pharmacology

Course aim

Is explaning to the students of pharmacy the role of the retail pharmacy and its premises as well as with the literature that is used as the source of the information for the magistral and galenic compounding of pharmaceutical technological formulations like: powders, granules, capsules, tablets and suppositories for rectal and vaginal use.

Expected outcome of the course:

Students will acquire the knowledge and skills for the compounding of the pharmaceutical technological formulations, the testing of their quality, proper packaging, labeling and storage.

Course description

Theoretical education

- 1. The role and importance of pharmaceutical technology (definitions and general concepts) Literature for use in pharmaceutical technology (Pharmacopoeia, FM, KI, INCI)
- Formulation and development and testing of powders for internal and external use
- 3. Important properties of powders for manufacturing a solid pharmaceutical forms
- 4. Aerosols
- 5. Excipients in powder formulation (the role, importance and types)
- 6. Tablets (types, formulation)
- 7. Excipients in table formulations (the role, importance and types)
- 8. Methods of tablet manufacturing (preparation of dry and wet granules)
- Procedures of tablets manufacturing (direct compression, dry granulation, wet granulation)
- 10. Testing of tablets according to the official regulations
- 11. Capsules (type, formulation)
- 12. Production/compounding of capsules (hard and soft)
- 13. Testing of capsules according to the official regulations
- Primary packing for powders, tablets and capsules (types, testing of security)
- 15. Suppositories (rectalia and vaginalia) definition and general concepts

- 16. Raw materials for the production/compounding of suppositories (active principles and excipients)
- 17. Methods of compounding/production of suppositories
- 18. Testing suppository according to the official regulations
- 19. The packing, labeling and storage of suppositories

Practical education: exercises, other forms of education, research related activities

- 1. Compounding, packing, storage and method of powder dispensing (dusting powders, devided and undevided oral powders)
- 2. Testing of powders according to official regulations
- 3. Preparation for production of granules direct compression and compression of granules
- 4. Tetsing of tablets according to official regulations
- 5. Preparation of powders mass for capsules filling
- 6. Compounding of capsules
- 7. Testing of capsules according to official regulations
- 8. Compounding of suppositories for rectal use (Rectalia)
- Testing of suppositories for rectal use acording to the officila regulations
- 10. Compounding of suppositories for vaginal use (Vaginalia)
- 11. Testing of vaginal suppository acording to the officila regulations

Literature

Compulsory

- 1. Troy D, editor. Remington: The Science and Practice of Pharmacy. 21st ed. Lippincott Williams & Wilkins, Philadelphia, 2005.
- Allen L, Popovich N, Ansel H, editors. Ansel's Pharmaceutical Dosage Forms and Drug Delivery Systems. 9th ed. Lippincott Williams & Wilkins, Philadelphia, 2010.
- 3. European Pharmacopoeia, 8th ed. European Directorate for the Quality of Medicines & Healthcare (EDQM), Council of Europe, Strasbourg, France, 2013. [e-book]
- 4. Sweetman SC, editor. Martindale: The Complete Drug Reference. 36th ed. Pharmaceutical Press, London, 2009. [e-book]
- 5. Handouts of lecture presentations

Additional

Swarbrick J, Boylan JC. Encyclopedia of Pharmaceutical Technology Marcel Dekker Inc. New York, Basel, 2007

Number of active classes				Other:
Lectures:	Practice:	Other types of teaching:	Research related activities:	
45	60			
Teaching methods: oral lectures interactive classes practical classes laboratory work				

Student activity assessment (maximally 100 points)

Pre-exam activities
points
Final exam
points

Lectures
10
Written
50

Practices
10
Colloquium
30
Colloquium

Essay
Essay
Colloquium
Colloquium