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## MODULE DESCRIPTION FORM

## نموذج وصف المادة الدراسية

			Informatior معلومات المادة		
Module Title	Biorisk management		Module Delivery		
Module Type		Core		🛛 Theory	
Module Code		VET104		⊠ Lecture ⊠ Lab	
ECTS Credits		3			
SWL (hr/sem)	75			Practical     Seminar	
Module Level	1		Semester of Delivery 1		
Administering Department		Microbiology	College	College of Veterinary Medicine	
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Scientific Committee Approval Date		2025	Version Nu	Imber 1.0	

	Relation with other Mode	ules
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Prerequisite module	None	Semester



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Modu	le Aims, Learning Outcomes and Indicative Contents
	أهداف المادة الدراسية ونتائج التعلم والمحتويات الإرشادية
<b>Module Objectives</b> أهداف المادة الدراسية	<ol> <li>Important Concepts for Understanding risk and biosafety.</li> <li>Working with potentially infected animals.</li> <li>This course deals with biological materials</li> <li>Decontamination and waste disposal</li> <li>To understand storage of chemicals.</li> <li>To understand the first aid and emergency response in the laboratories.</li> </ol>
Module Learning Outcomes مخرجات التعلم للمادة الدراسية	<ol> <li>Important: Write at least 6 Learning Outcomes, better to be equal to the number of study weeks.</li> <li>Distinguish between biological materials</li> <li>Understand the types of PPE.</li> <li>Standard microbiological techniques.</li> <li>Give a definition of Hazardous chemicals.</li> <li>Distinguish between biosafety cabinet classes.</li> <li>Describe first aid and emergency response in the laboratories.</li> </ol>
Indicative Contents المحتويات الإرشادية	

	Learning and Teaching Strategies استراتيجيات التعلم والتعليم
Strategies	Type something like: The main strategy that will be adopted in delivering this module is to encourage students' participation in the exercises, while at the same time refining and expanding their critical thinking skills. This will be achieved through classes, interactive tutorials and by considering types of simple experiments involving some sampling activities that are interesting to the students.

Stu	udent Wor	kload (SWL)	
۱۵ اسبوعا	، محسوب لـ ٥	الحمل الدراسي للطالب	
Structured SWL (h/sem)         Structured SWL (h/w)         3           الحمل الدراسي المنتظم للطالب أسبوعيا         18         3			
Unstructured SWL (h/sem) الحمل الدراسي غير المنتظم للطالب خلال الفصل	57	Unstructured SWL (h/w) الحمل الدراسي غير المنتظم للطالب أسبوعيا	6
Total SWL (h/sem) 75			

الحمل الدراسي الكلي للطالب خلال الفصل	

	Module Evaluation تقييم المادة الدراسية					
		Time/Number	Weight (Marks)	Week Due	Relevant Learning Outcome	
	Quizzes	2	10% (10)	5 and 10	LO #1, #2 and #10, #11	
Formative	Assignments	2	10% (10)	2 and 12	LO #3, #4 and #6, #7	
assessment	Projects / Lab.	1	10% (10)	Continuous	All	
	Report	1	10% (10)	13	LO #5, #8 and #10	
Summative	Midterm Exam	2hr	10% (10)	7	LO #1 - #7	
assessment	Final Exam	3hr	50% (50)	16	All	
Total assessm	ent		100% (100 Marks)			

	Delivery Plan (Weekly Syllabus)			
المنهاج الاسبوعي النظري				
	Material Covered			
Week 1	Introduction: Definitions & Concepts Risk, Hazard, Biorisk, Biosafety, and Biosecurity.			
Week 2	Biological Materials (Bacteria, Viruses, Fungi, Parasites,			
	Prions, Zoonotic pathogens, Toxins ).			
Week 3	Personal protective equipment ( PPE ).			
WEER 5	Types of PPE, Route of exposure to pathogens.			
Week 4	Laboratory safety symbols and hazard signs.			
Week 5	Risks groups and Biosafety Levels.			
Week 6	Biosafety cabinet classes :Design, Operation, ,use and misuse.			
Week 7	Standard Microbiology Techniques and Safety.			
Week 8	Safe use of ( pipettes ,centrifuge , homogenizers , shakers , blenders , and sonicators ,ampoules			
WEEKO	containing infectious materials) .			
Week 9	Collection , handling and transport of diagnostic specimens.			
Week 10	Decontamination and waste disposal.			
Week 11	Working with potentially infected animals.			
WEEK II	General considerations.			
Week 12	Hazardous chemicals (Routes of exposure, storage of chemicals, general rules regarding chemical			

	incompatibilities.
Week 13	Toxic effects of chemicals, Explosive chemicals, Chemical spills , Compressed and liquefied gases ).
	Preparedness and response to Chemical, Biological accidents:
Week 14	- In the Laboratories.
	- In the field.
Week 15	First aid and emergency response in the Laboratories.
Week 16	Preparatory week before the final Exam

	Learning and Teaching Resources مصادر التعلم والتدريس	
	Text	Available in the Library?
Required Texts		Yes
Recommended Texts	The biological laboratory risk management handbook WHO-Biosafety-Manual	No
Websites		

Grading Scheme مخطط الدرجات					
Group	Grade	التقدير	Marks %	Definition	
	A - Excellent	امتياز	90 - 100	Outstanding Performance	
Success Group (50 - 100)	B - Very Good	جيد جدا	80 - 89	Above average with some errors	
	<b>C</b> - Good	جيد	70 - 79	Sound work with notable errors	
	D - Satisfactory	متوسط	60 - 69	Fair but with major shortcomings	
	E - Sufficient	مقبول	50 - 59	Work meets minimum criteria	
Fail Group (0 – 49)	FX — Fail	راسب (قيد المعالجة)	(45-49)	More work required but credit awarded	
	<b>F</b> – Fail	راسب	(0-44)	Considerable amount of work required	

**Note:** Marks Decimal places above or below 0.5 will be rounded to the higher or lower full mark (for example a mark of 54.5 will be rounded to 55, whereas a mark of 54.4 will be rounded to 54. The University has a policy NOT to condone "near-pass fails" so the only adjustment to marks awarded by the original marker(s) will be the automatic rounding outlined above.