

INTRODUCTION

FAMILY PHYSICIAN

Family physicians provide inclusive and continuous health care to the covered community as service providers at the first level of the health system. The Family Physician modular course was presented and approved with the collaboration and joint action of the Ministry of Health and Medical Education and The WHO Regional Office for the Eastern Mediterranean under the National Family Physician Bridging Program title. It is prepared and created with the cooperation between the Smart University of Medical Sciences and the esteemed deputies for Education and Public Health of the Ministry of Education and Health. This course is designed as an educational program shortcut to empower physicians in the field of family medicine and its main objective is to train general practitioners through modular courses and by the application of the necessities of blended learning including virtual training courses, gaining experience, and learning from the provision of ambulatory care services implemented in the educational centers of comprehensive health service centers (CCHS).

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OBJECTIVES

- 1 Empowering all general practitioners who work as family physicians in the country's healthcare system. Improving the capabilities of faculty members in designing questions for tests that evaluate knowledge, viewpoint, skill and performance.
- 2 Concentrating on patient and community with an emphasis on family-centered healthcare
- 3 Providing training that leads to essential health care and services following national health protocols and health guidelines.

SUB.TOPICS

- Principles of Family Medicine
- Pediatric Primary Care
- Modules of age groups (adolescent, youth, and middle-aged health)
- Geriatric Care
- Maternal and Reproductive Health

APPROACH

The presentation of this course is based on the blended learning design and is presented as modules. In this mixed and combined format, things like online courses, face-to-face training, and learning experiences obtained from providing ambulatory care services (simultaneously with activities in CCHS comprehensive health service cen-



CERTIFICATE

Upon successful completion of the course, students will be issued by Smart University of Medical Sciences

DURATION

Each module lasts 1 month and 6 days. Therefore, the total duration of this training program is at least 6 months and at most 12 months. Every week from one module equivalent to a 0.5 theoretical credit point and 1 practical credit point are calculated for each module. Based on this, each module is 2.5 credit points and 1 credit point.

