



Department of Physiotherapy, Teerthanker Mahaveer University

welcomes applications for Value Added Course.

Name of the Value Added Course: Bioethical education

Who should apply?

The Master in Physiotherapy students and undergraduate & postgraduate students of any other stream of healthcare profession

Course Duration: Minimum contact hours : 20 hours

Assessment through Assignments would be conducted at the end of the programme

Value added Courses Objectives:

- To develop insight into various values that necessarily helps one in professional development.
- To gain knowledge and skills that would help the student understand the core course in a more efficient way.

Value added Courses Highlights:

- Learning to identify ethical issues in healthcare and life sciences
- Learning rational justification for ethical decisions
- Learning the application of bioethical principles

Course Contents:

- Introduction to bioethics, its principles and the medical professionalism
- Human dignity and human rights : concepts of dignity in history of ideas, The diverse understandings of human dignity in different cultural and moral traditions and different types of societies, Ethical aspects of health care provider-patient relations in regard to human dignity and human rights

- What is health benefit and what is harm? How to evaluate benefits and harms in practice?
- Concept of autonomy and responsibility ; decision making in healthcare setup; patient autonomy and responsibilities in healthcare and the range of patient responsibilities
- Consent of patient, principle and purpose of consent, exceptional circumstances for the application of the principle of consent
- Respect for cultural diversity and pluralism, solidarity and cooperation

NOTE: *If the registration in the above mentioned course is less than 10, the course shall be withdrawn from being functional.*