



Six Months Masters Course in

Psychosexual Techniques



About Us

MHPro is a Continuing Medical Education (CME) platform to upskill healthcare professionals with evidence-based knowledge delivered online with immersive learning experience. The MHPro curriculum aims to prepare clinicians to master Basic Sciences, which then empowers them to deal with patients and their problems in a hospital or outpatient milieu. During the program, new clinical skills and considerable medical knowledge, and domain-specific core competencies will be stressed as clinicians acquire both diagnostic and therapeutic skills



MHPro is committed to a competency based curriculum. Learners will be graded and receive pertinent feedback

Welcome to MHPro





Course Introduction

The unique course is first of its kind, providing the Medical Professionals an opportunity to learn and practice various skills in involving the psychological, psychosomatic and biophysiosocial aspects of sexual medicine. The course empowers the professionals with appropriate skills to understand the core concept of psychosexual problems encountered in clinical practice. The course has been thoughtfully planned and crafted and delivered by renowned sexual medicine experts who will provide scientifically evidence based methods and approaches for health care professionals for clinical applications





Learning Objectives:

- Psychosomatic Circle of Sex
- Origin of Psychological Problems
- Immediate Psychological Causes
- Conflict-Intrapsychic causes of sexual dysfunctions
- Cultural genesis of sexual conflict
- The relationship-Dyadic causes of sexual dysfunction
- To realize the role of counselling in treating psychosexual dysfunctions
- To recognize the prerequisite conditions and skills involved in effective counselling for psychosexual dysfunctions
- To understand the different approaches used in counselling for psychosexual dysfunctions
- To identify suitable approaches for specific problems



Learning outcomes:

- Understand the psychological components in psychosomatic circle of Sex
- Understand the various psychological factors, like immediate and the deep rooted causes of sexual problems
- Assessment of circumstances of the development of the Sexual Dysfunction
- How to plan intervention
- Process orientated therapeutic procedures
- Behavioral exercises to be instructed



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Who should take up this course?



Psychiatrists, Embryologists, Medical Graduates, PG Students in the field of Urology, General Surgery, Gynecology, and Reproductive medicine





Curriculum

Module Name	Chapter Name
Introduction	• Psychosexual Therapy: An Introduction
Introduction to Sexual Health	• Introduction to Sexual Health - Why it is important • Dimensions of Sexuality • History of sexual medicine - the evolution • Kamasutra and other classics - Lessons to learn • Demystifying Sex
Psychosexual Development – Clinical Issues	• Psychosexual Development in Children • Genetic issues & Intersex conditions • Cognitive, Behavioural & Interpersonal Perspectives of Male Sexual Dysfunction • Cognitive, Behavioural, and Interpersonal Perspectives of Sexual Dysfunctions in Females • Human sexual response - Male • Human sexual response - Female • Adult Sexuality: Pre- marital, marital & Extra marital issues • Geriatric / Elderly Sexuality





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Module Name	Chapter Name
Common Psychological Causes of Sexual Dysfunction	• Psychological Factors Responsible for Sexual Dysfunctions 1. Psychosomatic Circle of Sex 2. Origin of Psychological Problems 3. Immediate Psychological Causes 4. Conflict-Intrapsychic causes of sexual dysfunctions 5. Cultural genesis of sexual conflict 6. The relationship-Dyadic causes of sexual dysfunction
Basics of Sexuality	• Male Sexual Anatomy - Part 1 • Male Sexual Anatomy - Part 2 • Female Sexual Anatomy - Part 1 • Female Sexual Anatomy - Part 2
Sex & Sexuality, Myths & Misconceptions	• Male Myths • Female Myths • Sexual Myths • Dhat & Psyschaesthetic Syndrome • OP Clinic Management
Sex Counselling	• Counselling for Psychosexual Dysfunctions 1. Therapeutic alliance and relationship 2. Counselling skills 3. Approaches to counselling for psychosexual dysfunctions 4. Case studies 5. Key takeaways





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Sexual Evaluation by Psychological Perspective	• Sexual Medicine Clinic - do's & don'ts-consents • Interview techniques & History taking • Mindfulness & Sex • Psychological / Behavioral therapies: Individual / Couple • How to choose drugs or psychological therapies • Couple Sex therapy: Including Sensate Focus
Classification of Sexual Disorders	• Classification of Psychosexual Disorders: Historical Aspects, Current Status & Future Directions
Desire Disorders	• Sexual Desire Disorders - Part 1 • Sexual Desire Disorders - Part 2 • Sexual Addiction Disorders
Cognitive Behavior Therapy	• Counselling for Psychosexual Dysfunctions 1. CBT Explained 2. CBT Repertoire 3. CBT Process 4. Sex and Brain 5. Case Studies 6. Management strategies





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Module Name	Chapter Name
Psychiatry and Sexual Medicine	• Psychiatric disorders and sexual problems - Introduction • Treatment of psychiatric disorders and treatment emergent sexual dysfunctions • Psychiatric disorder and sexual dysfunction • Adult Sexual Violence: Harassment, Assault and Rape • Pornography & Sexuality
Female Sexual Dysfunction : FSD	• History, Invest & classification of the problem • Mx-Low desire in women • Medical Management of Female Sexual Dysfunction: Critical Evaluation of Drugs • Mx-I don't know if I reach orgasms? (I don't enjoy) • Recurrent UTI and Sex • Vaginismus • Dyspareunia • Post-Menopausal Syndrome • Urological issues with Sex • Flibanserin • PDE5 Inhibitors • Testosterone/DHEA





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PLISSIT Model	• PLISSIT Model of Psychological Interventions for Sexual Problems 1. Introduction 2. Components of PLISSIT model 3. EXPLISSIT model 4. Permission Level and case scenarios 5. Limited Information and case scenarios 6. Specific Suggestions and techniques 7. Intensive Therapy 8. Summary and take home knowledge
Influence of STI/HIV & Genital variations on sexual function	• Impacts of STI-HIV on marriage, parenthood and resuming sex after treatment • Myths and misconceptions on STI-HIV • Serology of Syphilis and HIV • Post exposure prophylaxis, preexposure prophylaxis and universal work precautions • Venerophobia and HIV Phobia
Principles of Sex Therapy	• Principles of Sex Therapy 1. Explanation of Sex Therapy 2. The formulation 3. Groundwork to be undertaken before Sex Therapy 4. Dynamics of therapeutic actions 5. List of sex therapeutic strategies 6. Guidelines for therapists 7. The vicious circle of failure and breaking it





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Module Name	Chapter Name
Gender and Sexuality	• Gender Identity Disorders • Gender Reassignment Surgery : MTF, FTM • LGBTQIA+
Sex Therapeutic Strategies	• Sex Therapeutic Strategies 1. Concept definition 2. Importance of Multi Disciplinary Team Approach 3. Strategies in Sex Therapy - Sensate Focus - Erectile Dysfunction - Pre Mature Ejaculation - Male Orgasmic Disorder - Anorgasmia in Women - Female Orgasmic Disorder - Vaginismus 4. Modern Behavioural Techniques 5. Marriage & Couples Therapy 6. Family Counselling
Expert opinions	• How to evolve a multidisciplinary practice • Mx of ED Rx failures/sudden non-responders-medically • Premature Ejaculation • Peyronie's Disease • Premature ejaculation diagnosis and management





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