Pathological physiology I

Detailed syllabus

General medicine

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The subject Pathological Physiology I forms one unit with the follow-up subject Pathological Physiology II. Individual topics can be moved between the courses Pathological Physiology I and II.

General pathophysiology I

Introduction to the subject

Definition of the content of the subject, sections of the subject, relations to other subjects of the medical study, methods of pathophysiology as a science

History of pathophysiology

Definition of basic terms, definition of the terms health and disease

Etiology, the main views on the etiology of diseases

Iatrogenic, idiopathic, multifactorial diseases

Pathogenesis

General pathogenetic mechanisms, models of pathological states

Role of physiological regulatory mechanisms in the pathogenesis of diseases

Physiological and pathological parameters and phenomena, normal state versus pathology

Disease and its course

Disease, pathological state, nosological unit, symptom, objective and subjective manifestations of diseases, syndrome

Stages of a disease, forms of disease course, outcomes of a disease Prognosis of diseases

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Etiological factors

Classification of etiological factors Etiological versus risk factors Influenceable and uninfluenceable etiological factors Intrinsic etiological factors

- Definition, explanation of term inborn and hereditary (disease, disorder)
- Age, sex, circadian rhythmicity, congenital factors as etiological and risk factors of diseases their basis, mechanisms of their role in disease development, examples of diseases
- Epigenetics definition, mechanisms, sensitive periods, examples of diseases with epigenetic basis or participation

- Heredity

- Basic terms
- Types of mutations, types and mechanisms of mutation effects
- Types of heredity, their basis and principles, mechanisms of relation between alleles
- Examples of hereditary diseases

Extrinsic etiological factors

- Physical factors

- Mechanical influences
 - Injuries, types of wound and their characters and specific features, wound healing and its disturbances, pathophysiological aspects of wound treatment, traumatic shock and its provoking factors and mechanisms of its development
- Pressure of the environment (e.g. atmosphere) and its changes
 - Acute and chronic adaptations on the higher altitude
 - Altitude disease, barotrauma, decompression illness causes, pathogenesis, manifestations and consequences, prevention
 - Hyperbaric oxygenotherapy principles, application, mechanisms of its effects, risks
- Noise, infrasound, ultrasound
- Kinetosis
- Electric current

- Direct and alternating current, tissue as a part of an electric circuitry, biological effects of direct and alternating electric current, mechanisms of effect, comparison of effects and their level in direct and alternating electric current, electric current injuries, factors influencing character and intensity of the organism affection, principles of safety

- Thermic influences
- General and local (including general response of the organism) impact of cold and heat burns (degrees – their characteristics and consequences, the second burn shock), frostbites (degrees – their characteristics and consequences), trench-foot syndrome, hypothermia, insolation, hyperthermia
- Radiation ionizing and non-ionizing
- Classification of radiation, effects of different kinds of radiation on the organism and its mechanisms, radiation illness
- Chemical factors
 - Toxins
 - Ways of entrance, mechanisms of effects, toxicity quantification, elimination of toxins, manifestation of intoxication
 - Examples of important toxic substances and their effects (heavy metals, arsenic, cyanides, carbon monoxide, nitric and nitrous compounds, organophosphates, curare and its derivates, opiates, barbiturates, anticoagulants, main plant and animal poisons)
 - Corrosive substances and their effect
 - Teratogenic, mutagenic and cancerogenic substances
 - Mechanisms and consequences of their influence, examples
- Free radicals their extrinsic and intrinsic sources, examples of free radicals, mechanisms of their action, consequences,
- Biological factors
 - Animals, plants, fungi negative (toxicity, injuries, source of infections) and positive effects on human health
 - Infections
 - Classification (prions, viruses, bacteria, molds, protozoa, multicellular parasites worms, mites, insects), characteristics of individual groups of infectious agents
 - Transfer mechanisms of infections and penetration of infectious agents into the organism, mechanisms of pathological effect of microorganisms and multicellular parasites
 - Factors determining sensitivity and resistance to infectious diseases
 - Examples of infectious diseases
 - Coexistence of human organism with microorganisms, examples of positive influence of microorganisms on the human (e.g. enteric microbioma)
- Social factors examples, mechanisms of effects

Mutual influences and interactions of etiological factors

Developmental disorders

Stages of the ontogenetic development
Altricial and precocious types of the development
Factors determining the individual's development and its disorders
Mechanisms of developmental disorders
Critical developmental periods
Diseases and disorders linked to a certain age, changes of the reactivity and resistance dependent on age
Gametopathy, blastopathy, embryopathy, fetopathy, perinatal damage – causes, mechanisms, character of the disorders, examples
Teratogenic factors and effects
Normal and impaired CNS development and factors that affect it, brain growth spurt

Growth disorders

Nanism, gigantism, proportional and disproportional growth disorders Causes and mechanisms of growth disorders Influence of nutrition and the environment Hereditary growth disorders Growth disturbances of the endocrine origin

Aging

Basic concepts (gerontology, geriatrics, demographic aging, maximum life span, average life span, life expectancy)

Causes and mechanisms of aging, theory of aging

Manifestations of aging, changes in the ageing organism

Social and health aspects of aging, age-related illness, specifics of therapy in aged patients Abnormal course of aging, diseases with accelerated ageing Factor influencing the course of aging

Terminal states, death

Definition of death, clinical and biological death Thanatology Cell death and its mechanisms and causes, tissue death, death of an individual, brain death Signs of death, determining the death of an individual Causes and mechanisms of death Philosophical, ethical, psychological, social aspects of death, euthanasia, dysthanasia Dying and its stages Lazarus syndrome Persistent vegetative state, locked-in syndrome

Pathophysiology of immunity

Immunity mechanisms and their classification Classification of disorders and diseases of the immune system Immunodeficiency

- Causes, pathogenesis, symptoms and consequences, characteristics and examples of disorders of individual components of the immune system
- Examples of congenital and acquired immunodeficiencies, their causes, pathogenesis and manifestations

Allergy

- Causes of allergic diseases
- Allergization, cross- allergy
- Types of allergic reaction, their mechanisms, manifestations, consequences
- Anaphylaxis, anaphylactic shock
- Examples of illnesses
- Autoimmune diseases
- Causes, pathogenesis, symptoms and consequences
- Examples of autoimmune diseases, their pathogenesis, manifestation and consequences Inflammation
- Definition of inflammation
- Components of inflammatory reaction, course of inflammation
- Localized and systemic inflammatory manifestations and mechanisms of their origin
- The importance of inflammation for the organism
- Acute and chronic inflammation
- Inflammation as a pathogenic agent
- Inflammation suppression

- Systemic inflammatory response - definition, course and symptoms, causes, mechanisms Sepsis, septicemia, bacteremia

Transplantation

- Definition, purpose and types of transplantation
- Transplantation immunology, host-versus-graft reaction, graft-versus-host reaction
- Transplant rejection
- Types of transplant rejection, their course and mechanisms
- Prevention of transplant rejection

Pathophysiology of thermoregulation, fever

Control and mechanisms of thermoregulation

Terminology of body temperature changes, limit values of body temperature in relation of changes in the organism and its functions

Overheating (hyperthermia) and hypothermia of the organism, their causes, manifestations and consequences

Fever

- Definition, types of fever and its course
- Causes and mechanisms of fever
- The importance of fever for the organism
- Fever accompanying changes in the organism
- The risks and complications of fever
- Febrile seizures definition, occurrence, course, consequences, prevention, therapeutic approaches

Malignant hyperthermia – definition, causes and occurrence, inducing factors, pathogenesis, consequences, therapy principles

Controlled hypothermia - definition, principle, application, advantages, disadvantages, risks

Pathophysiology of tumors

Definition of tumors

Epidemiology of tumors

Classification of tumors

Malignant and benign tumors, their characteristics, biological and clinical malignancy of ttumors

Causes and mechanisms of tumor formation

- Tumorigenesis, carcinogenic factors, protooncogenes, oncogenes, tumor suppressor genes
- Chemical and physical carcinogens, infectious etiology of tumors, tumor inheritance, role of immunity, endocrine factors
- Immunology of tumors
- Tumor metabolism
- Local and systemic effects of tumors on the organism
- Expansive and invasive tumor growth
- Tumor metastasis ways and consequences
- Paraneoplastic phenomena definition, mechanisms, examples
- Tumor markers

Principles of tumor therapy and prevention

Special pathophysiology I

Pathophysiology of the lymphatic system

- Importance and disorders of the lymphatic system
- Lymphedema causes, consequences and manifestations

Pathophysiology of the blood

Changes of blood volume and composition

- Normo-, hypo- a hypervolemia normocytemic, oligocytemic and hypercytemic
- Causes, pathogenesis, manifestation and consequences
- Changes of blood plasma composition
- Disorders of protein spectrum, changes of organic and anorganic substances, their causes, pathogenesis and consequences
- Pathophysiology of erythrocytes
- Factors determining amount and concentration of erythrocytes in the blood
- Anemias
 - Definition of anemia, laboratory indicators of anemia
 - Anemic syndrome
 - Classification of anemias
 - Normocytic, microcytic, macrocytic; normochromic, hypochromic
 - Etiopathogenetic classification of anemias
 - Anemias caused by insufficient RBC production
 - Anemias caused by increased loss of RBC
 - Anemia caused by acute and chronic bleeding
 - Hemolytic anemias corpuscular and extracorpuscular

- Characteristics, etiology, pathogenesis and manifestations of individual types of anemias

- List of diseases involved in individual types of anemias and their pathophysiology
- Disorders of erythrocytes
- Hereditary defects of erythrocytes (hemoglobinopathies, enzymatic defects, membrane defects, cytoskeleton defects)
- Intoxications with change of hemoglobin properties
- Polycythemia, polyglobulia definition of the terms, etiology, pathogenesis, manifestations and consequences
- Intravascular and extravascular hemolysis causes, mechanisms, consequences
- Acute and chronic bleeding causes, impact on blood composition, response of the organism

- Blood groups, transfusion and its risks, incompatibility, fetal erythroblastosis, their pathogenesis and consequences

- Pathophysiology of leukocytes
- Classification and function of leukocytes
- Leukocyte function disorders, congenital and acquired leukocyte-related immune deficiencies
- Changes of leukocyte number (total and individual types of leukocytes), leukocytosis, leukopenia causes, consequences
- Leukemias, lymphomas classification, etiology, pathogenesis, manifestation, impacts on the organism

Hemorrhagic diathesis

- Definition, classification
- Inborn and acquired hemorrhagic diathesis: Bleeding related to platelets (thrombocytopenia, thrombocytopathies), coagulopathies (including pharmacologically induced), vasculopathies
 causes, pathogenesis, manifestations, pathophysiology of particular diseases
- Pharmacologically induced changes of hemostasis groups of medicaments, examples of medicaments, mechanisms and impacts of their effects, risks, manifestations and consequences of overdosing, possibilities of hemostasis correction in overdosed patients, patients in which use of these medicaments should be expected
- Thrombotic states definition, causes and risk factors, pathogenesis, manifestations and consequences, pathophysiology of the thromboembolic disease
- Disseminated intravascular coagulation definition, causes and inducing factors, pathogenesis, manifestations and consequences

Pathophysiology of the cardiovascular system

General mechanisms of blood circulation disturbances and their consequences Inborn heart defects

- Risk and etiologic factors of inborn heart defects
- Classification, division and characteristics of inborn heart defects
- Cyanotic, non-cyanotic, late cyanotic defects
- Hemodynamic consequences, manifestations and complications of individual heart defects, secondary changes and reactions of the organism as consequences of inborn heart defects

Acquired heart defects

- Etiology and risk factors, mechanisms of acquired heart defect development
- Classification and overview of acquired heart defects, orifice stenosis, valvular insufficiency, characteristics of individual defects
- Manifestations, hemodynamic consequences, secondary changes induced by acquired heart defects

Endocarditis, myocarditis, pericarditis – etiology, risk factors, consequences Disturbances of peripheral blood circulation

- Factors influencing blood perfusion of the tissues under physiological and pathological conditions
- Angiopathy, vasculitis causes, consequences, examples of diseases
- Ischemia
 - Causes, mechanisms of origin, consequences and manifestations
 - Ischemia-reperfusion injury

- Passive and active hyperemia - causes, mechanisms, consequences and manifestations Atherosclerosis

- Pathological-anatomical description, stable and unstable atherosclerotic plaques
- Etiology and risk factors, prevention
- Pathogenesis of atherosclerosis

- Consequences, examples of diseases connected with atherosclerosis (ischemic heart disease, ischemic disease of the lower extremities, brain ischemia etc.)
- Endothelial dysfunction causes, pathogenesis, consequences

Ischemic heart disease (IHD)

- Definition, classification (forms of IHD), diagnostics
- Causes, risk factors, pathogenesis
- Specifics of coronary circulation, mechanisms of subendocardial and subepicardial ischemia
- Myocardial infarction
 - Pathogenesis, manifestation, types, consequences
- Acute and chronic complications of the myocardial infarction and their pathogenesis
- Zones of different affection of the myocardium, factors determining myocardial affection extent
- Angina pectoris stable and unstable, Prinzmetal (variant) type pathogenesis, manifestations
- Arrhythmic form of the ischemic heart disease
- Sudden death
- Arrhythmias
- Classification, characteristics of individual arrhythmias, causes and mechanisms of origin, reentry phenomenon, R-on-T phenomenon, hemodynamic consequences of particular arrhythmias, impact on the organism, manifestations, ECG diagnosis
- Hemodynamic effects of tachycardia (including sinusal tachycardia), impact on the heart, physiological and pathological mechanisms of induction of sinusal tychycardia

Pulseless electrical activity

Prolonged QT interval syndrome

Syndrome of premature repolarization

Arterial hypertension

- Definition, normal and pathological values of blood pressure
- Factors determining systolic and diastolic blood pressure under normal and pathological conditions
- Systolic and diastolic hypertension
- Essential hypertension etiological and risk factors, prevention, manifestation and consequences
- Secondary hypertension definition, causes, examples of diseases, complications
- Malignant hypertension definition, causes, pathogenesis, consequences, complications Cardiac insufficiency and failure
- Definition, causes, pathogenesis, acute and chronic form
- Functional disturbances of the right and left heart
- Systolic and diastolic dysfunction causes, pathogeny, consequences
- Volume and pressure overload of the heart
- Compensatory mechanisms, their importance and role in pathogenesis of consequences of the heart overload and insufficiency
- Consequences and manifestations of individual disorders of the heart function
- Cor dextrum translatum
- Heart tamponade
- Asthma cardiale

Hypertrophy and dilatation of individual parts of the heart – causes, pathogenesis, manifestations and consequences

- Cardiomyopathy definition, classification, causes, pathogenesis, manifestation and consequences
- Pulmonary hypertension causes, pathogenesis, manifestation and consequences, cor pulmonale

Thromboembolic disease - causes, risk factors, pathogenesis, consequences, prevention Circulatory shock cardiogenic, hypovolemic, septic, anaphylactic

- Causes, characteristics, pathogenesis, course and consequences of individual types of the circulatory shock
- Compensation, decompensation, irreversible shock phase
- Syncope

Multiorgan dysfunction and multiorgan failure

- Definition of the concepts, characteristics, causes, pathogenesis and consequences

Pathophysiology of the endocrine system

Principles of function of the endocrine system, principles of endocrine regulations under physiological and pathological conditions

General causes of diseases of the endocrine glands

Mechanisms of endocrine disorders

Classification of diseases of the endocrine glands, hypofunction, hyperfunction, eufunction Pathophysiology of endocrine function of the hypothalamus

- The role of the hypothalamus in the hypothalamus- pituitary-peripheral glans systems

- Hypothalamic endocrine syndromes

Pathophysiology of the hypothalamus-neurohypophysis system

- Oxytocin importance in medicine, role in behavior control
- Vasopressin (ADH)
- Origin, function and regulation of secretion of ADH
- Central and peripheral diabetes insipidus causes, pathogenesis, consequences and manifestations

- Syndrome of inappropriate ADH secretion – causes, pathogenesis, consequences and manifestations, compensatory processes

Disorders of the hypothalamus-pituitary-adrenal axis

- Primary, secondary and tertiary disorders
- Hypothalamic statins and liberins and disorders of their production, distribution and function
- Adenohypophyseal hyper- and hypofunction syndromes causes, pathogenesis, manifestations
- Dysfunction of the adenohypophysis causes, pathogenesis, manifestation
- Manifestations and consequences of tumors of the adenohypophysis
- Manifestations and consequences of interruption of the hypothalamic-pituitary junction

Pathophysiology of the thyroid gland - thyroid hormones

- Regulation of the thyroid gland function, effects of thyroid hormones, the importance of iodine
- Reverse T3 and its role in normal and pathological situations, euthyroid sick syndrome
- Hyperthyroidism causes, pathogenesis, manifestations (hyperthyroid syndrome) and consequences, thyrotoxic crisis
- Hypothyroidism inborn or acquired in the childhood
- Causes, manifestation, cretinism, role of an euthyroid or hypothyroid mother, endemic cretinism
- Hypothyroidism acquired in the adulthood
- Causes, manifestations (adult hypothyroid syndrome), myxedema, myxedema coma
- Pathophysiology of the thyroid gland inflammations Graves-Basedow disease, Hashimoto's thyroiditis
- Goiter
 - Eufunction, hyperfunction and hypofunction goiter causes, mechanisms of development, manifestations

- Goitergenes

- Endemic goiter, ectopic goiter
- Nodes in the thyroid gland

Pathophysiology of the sex hormones

- Production of the sex hormones and its regulation, metabolism of sex hormones and disorders of these processes, role of the fat tissue in conversion of the sex hormones
- Hypergonadotropic and hypogonadotropic hyper- and hypogonadisms and their manifestations in dependence on the stage of the ontogenetic development, causes and mechanisms of the disorders

- Pathological and abnormal sources of the sex hormones

Pathophysiology of the adrenal cortex

- Structure and function of the adrenal cortex in relation to adrenal disorders
- Regulation of the adrenal cortex and its disorders

- Hypercorticalisms

- Classification according to individual hormones and origin of the disorder
- Cushing's syndrome causes, pathogenesis, manifestations and consequences
- Conn's syndrome causes, pathogenesis, manifestations and consequences
- Secondary hyperaldosteronism
- Mechanisms of origin, manifestations, role in pathogenesis of diseases
- Overproduction of the sex hormones in the adrenal cortex causes, manifestations and consequences
- Hypofunction of the adrenal cortex
 - Selective insufficiency of the glucocorticoids causes, manifestations and consequences
 - Hypoaldosteronism causes, manifestations and consequences
 - The Addison's disease causes, pathogenesis, manifestations and consequences, Addisonian crisis
- Congenital adrenal hyperplasia, adrenogenital syndrome

Pathophysiology of the adrenal medulla and sympatoadrenal system, the pheochromocytoma Pathophysiology of the parathyroid glands

- Primary and secondary hyper- and hypoparathyroidism, pseudohyperparathyroidism causes, pathogenesis, manifestations and consequences
- Pathophysiology of calcitonin role in pathogenesis of the diseases, importance in medicine

Pathophysiology of the endocrine pancreas (Langerhans islets) - hyper- and hypofunction syndromes of individual hormones of the pancreas

Pathophysiology of natriuretic factors – their role in regulation of natremia and homeostasis of body fluids in physiological and pathological situations

Pathophysiology of the APUD system

Pathophysiology of the epiphysis

Pathophysiology of endocrine activity of the fat tissue

Pathophysiology of the reproductive system

Disorders of man and woman fertility, sterility, infertility

Disorders of sex differentiation – list and classification of the disorders, manifestations and mechanisms of development

Pathophysiology of the male and female gonads – particular diseases, their causes, pathogenesis and manifestations

Preliminary puberty (pubertas and pseudopubertas praecox) and delayed puberty – definition, causes, manifestations

Disorders of menstruation – terminology, causes and pathogenesis

Pathophysiology of gravidity and parturition

- Complications of gravidity
- Early and late gestosis
- Perinatal complications causes and consequences
- Fetal erythroblastosis

Pathophysiology of the bones

Causes and mechanisms of disorders and diseases of the bones and disorders of the skeleton development

Osteoporosis, osteomalacia, rickets, osteodystrophia fibrosa cystica (morbus Recklinghausen), osteogenesis imperfecta – causes, pathogenesis, manifestations and consequences

Arthritis - causes, pathogenesis, consequences

Degenerative changes of the joints and the vertebral column – causes, risk factors, pathogenesis, manifestations and consequences

Pathophysiology of the muscles

Control of skeletal muscle activity and its disorders

Motor unit and mechanisms and manifestations of change of its size

Tetanic contractions and their importance in pathological situations

Tetany and role of calcium

Rigor mortis

Energetics of muscle contraction, muscle fatigue, oxygen debt

Basic types of muscle diseases, manifestations of diseases of the skeletal muscles and their innervation, changes of muscle tone, fibrillation, fasciculation of the muscle

Manifestations of disorder skeletal muscle function

Myopathic syndrome

Myotonia

Muscle atrophy - definition, character, causes, manifestations

Muscle hypertrophy - definition, character, causes, manifestations

Pseudohypertrophy of the muscle – definition, causes, occurrence

Abnormal muscle contractions – examples, characteristics

Endocrine, metabolic, toxic, mitochondrial myopathies

Muscular dystrophias

- Causes, pathogenesis, manifestations and consequences

- Duchenne and Becker muscular dystrophy

Myositis

 $Rhabdomyolysis-definition,\, causes,\, consequences\,\, and\, their\,\,mechanisms$

Crush syndrome – definition, consequences

Compartment syndrome – definition, causes and inducing factors, pathogenesis Malignant hyperthermia

Diseases and disorders of function of the smooth muscles

Disorders of acid-base balance

Definition of basal concepts, components and parameters of acid-base balance Mechanisms of acid-base balance maintenance Buffer systems

- Buffer definition, mechanisms of action, buffer capacity

- Examples of buffers, importance of bicarbonate buffer

The role of lungs in maintaining acid-base balance

The renal role in maintaining acid-base balance

Acidosis, acidemia, alkalosis, alkalemia

Types of acid-base balance disorders

- Respiratory disorders of acid-base balance
- Metabolic disorders of acid-base balance
- Combined acid-base balance disorders

Compensation of individual types of acid-base balance disorders

Causes of individual types of acid-base balance disorders and their combinations

Symptoms and consequences of acid-base balance disorders

Pathophysiology of body fluids

Compartments of body water

Osmolality of body fluid, its principle, factors determining body fluid osmolality in individual compartments under physiological and pathological conditions

Changes in volume and osmolality of body fluids

- Factors determining transfer of water between individual compartments under physiological and pathological circumstances
- Dehydration and hyperhydration hypoosmolar, isoosmolar, hyperosmolar their causes, mechanisms, characteristics, consequences

Edema

- Definition
- Basic mechanisms (factors) leading to the formation of edema hydrostatic pressure, oncotic pressure, vascular wall permeability, lymphatic drainage
- Situations and processes leading to the involvement of the basic mechanisms of the formation of edema
- Types of edema by cause (cardiac, renal, inflammatory, lymphatic, venostatic, hepatic, cytotoxic, angioneurotic Quincke's edema) characteristics, examples of a particular diseases, mechanisms
- Local impact of the edema on the tissue (perfusion, metabolism, transport of substances etc.), systemic impacts of severe edema on the organism, specific impacts of edema of particular tissues and organs
- Special types of edema and fluid accumulation in body cavities examples (ascites, expansion of fluid in the pleural cavity, pericardium, joints, anasarca etc.), their causes, mechanisms of their development, manifestations and consequences

Pathophysiology of metabolism of minerals

Pathophysiology of calcium metabolism

- Distribution and forms of calcium in an organism, the role of pH
- Regulation of calcium metabolism and its disorder, role of parathormone, calcitonin and D vitamin
- The Role of the kidneys and disorders of their function in calcium metabolism
- Syndrome of hypercalcemia and hypocalcemia causes, mechanisms of their development, manifestations and consequences
- Impact of calcium metabolism disorders on the bones
- Tetany characteristics, causes and mechanisms of its origin
- Calcification of the tissues and its causes
- Pathophysiology of sodium, potassium and chloride metabolism
- Metabolism of sodium, potassium and chlorides, disorders of its regulation
- Disorders of sodium, potassium and chloride intake
- Causes and mechanisms of development of increased or decreased content of the ions in the organism and increased and decreased concentrations of the ions in body fluids
- Manifestations and consequences of disorders of sodium, potassium and chloride metabolism

Pathophysiology of the gastrointestinal tract

Pathophysiology of the oral cavity

- Saliva secretion disorders, Sjögren's syndrome
- Disorders of food processing in the oral cavity
- Diseases of the oral cavity mucous membrane, manifestations of systemic diseases in the oral cavity
- Pathophysiology of the esophagus
- Achalasia
- Esophageal diverticles classification, causes and mechanism of their development, complications
- Hiatus hernia types, consequences
- Pathophysiology of the gastroesophageal reflux causes, pathogenesis, manifestations and consequences
- Consequences of perforation of the esophagus
- Esophageal varices causes and mechanisms of their development, complications

Pathophysiology of the stomach

- Disorders of stomach secretion and motility
- Pathophysiology of gastroduodenal ulcer disease and its complications
- Gastritis, pernicious anemia

Pathophysiology of the small and large intestine

- Disorders of digestion and absorption of substances in the intestines
- Disorders of bowel secretion and motility
- Pathophysiology of the ileus types, causes, pathogenesis and consequences
- Intestinal diverticles
- Crohn's disease, ulcerous colitis, gluten intolerance
- Intestinal tumors etiology, risk factors, consequences
- Pathophysiology of exocrine pancreas
- Acute and chronic pancreatitis etiology, pathogenesis, course and consequences
- Pancreatic secretion disorders etiology, pathogenesis, consequences of decreased secretion
- Cystic fibrosis of the pancreas
- Disorders of swallowing and dysphagia

Nausea and vomiting - mechanisms, vomiting reflex, causes, complications

Dyspepsia – definition, causes

Constipation - definition, causes, pathogenesis, consequences, prevention

Diarrhea - definition, causes, pathogenesis, consequences

Bleeding into the gastrointestinal tract – causes, manifestations and consequences, diagnosis and origin location

Role of the microbial colonization of the gastrointestinal tract

Practical knowledge and skills I

Knowledge of the problem including its relations to theoretical knowledge, practical application of the knowledge, ability to perform correctly practical tasks

Principles of science

Scientific hypothesis Experiment Controlled, blind, double blind study Laboratory animals

- Importance for biomedical research
- The most important and most commonly used types of laboratory animals
- Genetics of laboratory animals strains genetically defined, partially defined, undefined
- Gnotobiology of laboratory animals categories, ways of breeding
- Principles of working with laboratory animals
- Alternative methods

Statistics

Definition and scope of statistics, basic terms Statistical set, importance of sample size Statistical variables Data presentation Statistical surveys Hypothesis testing Statistical and biological significance

Injection technique, pathophysiological aspects of injection administration

Basic principles of injection technique

Types of injections for systemic and local application of substances - characteristics, use, principles

Pathophysiology of complications of injections Calculation of the applied dose

Anesthesia

Definition

- Local anesthesia
- Definition
- Local anesthetics pharmacology, examples of substances, mechanism of effect
- Methods of application of local anesthesia
- Factors influencing the effectiveness of local anesthesia
- Complications of local anesthesia

General anesthesia

- Methods of administration and their characteristics
- Examples of general anesthetics and their characteristics
- Pharmacokinetics of general anesthetics
- Stages of general anesthesia definition, characteristics
- Complex management of general anesthesia
- Prepremedication, premedication, analgesia, vegetative stabilization, myorelaxation
- Myorelaxation -types of myorelaxants, their characteristics, complications and risks of administration

Pathophysiological aspects of wound treatment

Basic surgical instruments and their applications

Types of surgical needles and threads, their use

Types of surgical sewing materials (absorbable, non-absorbable, monofilament, braided) - use, features, advantages and disadvantages, examples, fiber strength

Threading the surgical needle, surgical knot

Surgical stitches

- Single simple stitch, serial stitch, single and serial mattress stitch, single and serial Donati stitch, single and serial Allgöwer stitch, intradermal stitch, tobacco stitch
- Advantages and disadvantages of particular stitches
- Principles of surgical sewing in respect to wound healing course
- Extraction of stitches

Asepsis, antisepsis - definition of concepts, methods, preparation of the surgical field

Use of electricity in medicine

Active and passive electrical properties of tissues

Ohm's law

Electrocardiography, electroencephalography, electromyography, electroneurography, electroneurography

Examination of the presence of muscle mass, fat and its distribution and water in the body

Electrocardiography

Principles of ECG examination, leads, electrodes, Einthoven's triangle, examples of nonstandard leads and their application

- Physiological ECG curve
- ECG record description action, frequency, rhythm, electric axis declination, description of individual parts of the curve
- ECG diagnosis disturbances of impulse origin (sinus arrest, nodal rhythm, idioventricular rhythm, extrasystoles, respiratory arrhythmia, nonrespiratory sinus arrhythmia, sinus tachycardia, supraventricular tachycardia, ventricular/wide complex tachycardia, atrial fibrillation and flutter, ventricular fibrillation and flutter, stimulated rhythm, pulsus alternans), disturbances of impulse transmission (sinoatrial blocks, atrioventricular blocks, bundle branch blocks, fascicular block, block in arborisation, preexcitation), angina pectoris, myocardial infarction (type, stage, localization), P mitrale, P pulmonale, pulmonary embolism, ventricular overload and hypertrophy, pericarditis, changes in ion levels, pulseless electrical activity, prolonged QT interval syndrome, syndrome of premature repolarization
- Explanation of the basics of ECG changes in individual diagnoses, pathophysiology of these diseases and states

Measurement of blood pressure

Measurement of systolic and diastolic blood pressure by mercury and digital tonometer Principles and rules of blood pressure measurement Normal and pathological resting values of systolic and diastolic blood pressure

Examination of hemorrhagic diatheses

Rumpel-Leede test - principle, execution, calculation of mean arterial pressure Quick's test – principle and application aPTT – principle and application