

OPTO40003 Diagnosis of Ocular Disease I

Credit Points:	12.50																										
Level:	4 (Undergraduate)																										
Dates & Locations:	This subject is not offered in 2014.																										
Time Commitment:	Contact Hours: 27 one-hour lectures and 6 one-hour tutorials Total Time Commitment: Estimated total time commitment of 120 hours																										
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Non Allowed Subjects:	None																										
Core Participation Requirements:	For the purposes of considering request for Reasonable Adjustments under the Disability Standards for Education (Cwth 2005), and Students Experiencing Academic Disadvantage Policy, academic requirements for this subject are articulated in the Subject Description, Subject Objectives, Generic Skills and Assessment Requirements of this entry. The University is dedicated to provide support to those with special requirements. Further details on the disability support scheme can be found at the Disability Liaison Unit website: http://www.services.unimelb.edu.au/disability/																										
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Subject Overview:	Since optometry is a first point of entry into the Australian health care system, optometrists have an obligation to correctly diagnose ocular disease and systemic disease having ocular manifestations. The subject builds on past learning by covering the pathology, cause, course, differential diagnoses and management of ocular diseases and of systemic diseases having ocular manifestations.																										

Learning Outcomes:	The objectives of this subject and its companion subject OPTO40004 Diagnosis of Ocular Disease II are to develop understanding in these conditions and to lay the basis for clinical decision-making and problem solving as required in the complete optometric examination and subsequent management of patients. On completion of this subject, students should be thoroughly familiar with the nature, course and prognosis of anterior eye disease and glaucoma, and appreciate the various differential diagnoses.
Assessment:	Two 30-minute multiple-choice slide examinations held during semester (10%); a 2-hour written examination in the examination period (75%); a third multiple-choice slide examination on eye disease held in the examination period (15%). Satisfactory completion of the written examination and the end of semester slide examination is necessary to pass the subject.
Prescribed Texts:	C J Rapuano & W-J Heng, <i>Cornea: colour atlas and synopsis of clinical ophthalmology</i> , New York, McGraw-Hill, Medical Publishing Division, 2003 (or later edition) D J Rhee, <i>Glaucoma: colour atlas and synopsis of clinical ophthalmology</i> , New York, McGraw-Hill, Medical Publishing Division, 2003 (or later edition) N.B. The Colour Atlas and Synopsis of Clinical Ophthalmology Series is also available as a five-volume set.
Recommended Texts:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> # J J Kanski, <i>Clinical Ophthalmology</i>, 5th edn, Oxford Butterworth-Heinemann, 2003 (or later edition) # R Penne, <i>Oculoplastics: colour atlas and synopsis of clinical ophthalmology</i>, New York, McGraw-Hill, Medical Publishing Division, 2003 (or later edition)
Breadth Options:	This subject is not available as a breadth subject.
Fees Information:	Subject EFTSL, Level, Discipline & Census Date, http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees
Notes:	This subject is only available to Bachelor of Optometry students.
Related Course(s):	Bachelor of Optometry