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Programme Name: M.Sc. Clinical Research
Course Name: Applied pharmacokinetics and drug dosing
Course Code: HSCR8004P
No. of pages: 5

Semester: III
Time: 3 hour
Max. Marks: 100

Instructions: All questions are compulsory

SECTION A
(Type the answers in test box)

	MCQs, One or two line answers.	Marks	
Q 1	Which of the following is NOT a pharmacokinetic process? a. Bioavailability b. Excretion c. Metabolism d. Receptor binding	1.5	CO1
Q2	Which of the following formulas defines bioavailability? a. Amount of drug absorbed ÷ drug dose b. Amount of drug in body ÷ plasma drug concentration c. Rate of drug elimination ÷ plasma drug concentration d. Plasma concentration of unbound drug ÷ total plasma drug concentration	1.5	CO1
Q3	In a plasma concentration time curve for a drug following first order kinetics, the absorption rate constant is calculated based on- a. Half life b. Volume of distribution c. Clearance d. Constant steady state concentration	1.5	CO1
Q4	Duration of action depends upon a. Clearance b. Rate of elimination c. Bioavailability	1.5	CO1

	d. All of the above		
Q5	<p>The volume of distribution (Vd) for a drug that is completely retained in the vascular compartment would be?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. High b. Low c. Unchanged d. Cannot be determined 	1.5	CO1
Q6	<p>We start IV infusion of a drug and ensures that rate of drug delivery is constant over time. Which of the following factor will determine the time required for drug to reach steady state concentration (C_{ss}) in the blood?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Apparent volume of distribution b. Bioavailability c. Clearance d. Half-life 	1.5	CO1
Q7	<p>Acidic drug binds to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Globulin b. Alpha-1 glycoprotein c. Albumin d. None 	1.5	CO1
Q8	<p>Loading dose depends on-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Half life b. Plasma volume c. Volume of distribution d. Rate of clearance 	1.5	CO1
Q9	<p>Ratio of LD₅₀ and ED₅₀ is?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Therapeutic index b. Bioavailability c. Potency d. Efficacy 	1.5	CO1
Q10	<p>Equation for first order half-life is.....?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. $t_{1/2} = 0.5 C_0/k_0$ b. $t_{1/2} = 2 C_0/k_0$ c. $t_{1/2} = 1.5 C_0/k_0$ d. $t_{1/2} = 0.693 C_0/k_0$ 	1.5	CO2

Q11	<p>Which of the following terms describe the application of pharmacokinetic principles to individualize pharmacotherapy?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Drug individualization b. Individual-factor monitoring c. Patient-factor monitoring d. Therapeutic drug monitoring 	1.5	CO2
Q12	<p>A 70kg man was given a drug with dose of 100 mg/kg, $t_{1/2}$ is 10 hours, plasma concentration is 1.9 mg/ml. Find the clearance.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. 20 liter/hour b. 40 liter/hour c. 0.2 liter/hour d. 2 liter/hour 	1.5	CO2
Q13	<p>Concentration of drug in blood is 40 microgram/ml. Dose of the drug is 200mg. Find the volume of distribution.</p>	1.5	CO2
Q14	<p>What is the amount of drug remaining in the body after 3 half-lives in first order kinetics?</p>	1.5	CO2
Q15	<p>A drug having 40% absorption and hepatic extraction ratio of 0.6. What is the bioavailability of that drug?</p>	1.5	CO2
Q16	<p>Drug X is given IV at a dose of 300 mg. Blood concentrations were measured and the AUC was calculated to be 9.9 mg*h/L. What is the clearance of this drug?</p>	1.5	CO2
Q17	<p>Displacement of Plasma protein bound drug will_____</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Increase drug plasma level b. Increase side effects c. Decrease effect d. None 	1.5	CO2
Q18	<p>Volume of distribution of drug is 500ml and target concentration of drug in blood is 5 g/L. 20% of administered drug is reached to systemic circulation. What will be the loading dose of that drug?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. 1 gram b. 5 grams c. 12.5 grams d. 25 grams 	1.5	CO3
Q19	<p>A drug X was given continuous intravenous infusion at 1.6 mg/min. The clearance of the drug is 640 ml/min. With a half-life of 1-8 hours, what would be the steady state plasma concentration of drug?</p>	1.5	CO3

	a. 2.88 mg/ml b. 0.004 mg/ml c. 0.002 mg/ml d. 3.55 mg/ml		
Q20	We are planning to infuse a drug intravenously at a constant amount per unit time (rate). It has a first-order elimination rate constant (k_{el}) of 0.35 h^{-1} . No loading dose will be given. Approximately how long will it take for blood levels to reach steady state after the infusion begins? a. 0.7-1 h b. 1.2-3 h c. 3.5-5 h d. 8-10 h	1.5	CO3

SECTION B
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	Short answer type questions		
Q1	Drug X is administered IV at a dose of 250 mg. A blood concentration was drawn at 3 h and urine was collected from 2 to 4 hours. The blood concentration at 3 h was 5 mg/L and during the two-hour interval, 50 mg of drug was eliminated. What is the renal clearance of this drug?	5	CO1
Q2	Drug X is given IV at a dose of 100 mg. The renal clearance of the drug is 7 L/h and the hepatic clearance is 23 L/h. Assuming that these are the only two routes of elimination, what is the total clearance? How much drug (in mg) was metabolized?	5	CO1
Q3	Drug X (100 mg), administered as an intramuscular injection, has the following pharmacokinetic parameters: $t_{1/2} = 8 \text{ h}$, $k_a = 1.5 \text{ h}^{-1}$, $V = 10 \text{ L}$, $F = 65\%$. What will be the concentration at 12 hours after the dose is administered?	5	CO2
Q4	What is therapeutic drug monitoring?	5	CO5

SECTION C
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Long answer type questions (Calculation)

Q1	a. Write about most commonly used method for AUC calculation. (5) b. The following data were obtained after a short-term infusion of drug. Calculate the AUC_t and AUC_∞ using trapezoid method. (10)	15	CO2 CO3										
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Q2	<p>In the one compartment pharmacokinetic system after extravascular administration The following data were obtained after drug X was administered orally as a 1000 mg tablet. Determine the clearance (CL/F), half-life, volume (V/F), maximum concentration (C_{max}), time to maximal concentration (t_{max}) and the absorption rate constant (assume $k_a \gg k$).</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Time (h)</th> <th>Drug (mg/L)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>0</td> <td>0.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>19.85</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2</td> <td>21.92</td> </tr> <tr> <td>4</td> <td>14.42</td> </tr> <tr> <td>6</td> <td>7.75</td> </tr> <tr> <td>8</td> <td>3.96</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		Time (h)	Drug (mg/L)	0	0.00	1	19.85	2	21.92	4	14.42	6	7.75	8	3.96	15	CO2
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Q1	Write a note on principles behind pharmacokinetic population modeling.		10	CO1 CO2														
Q2	Describe the drug dosing consideration in patients with acute and chronic kidney disease.		10	CO4														