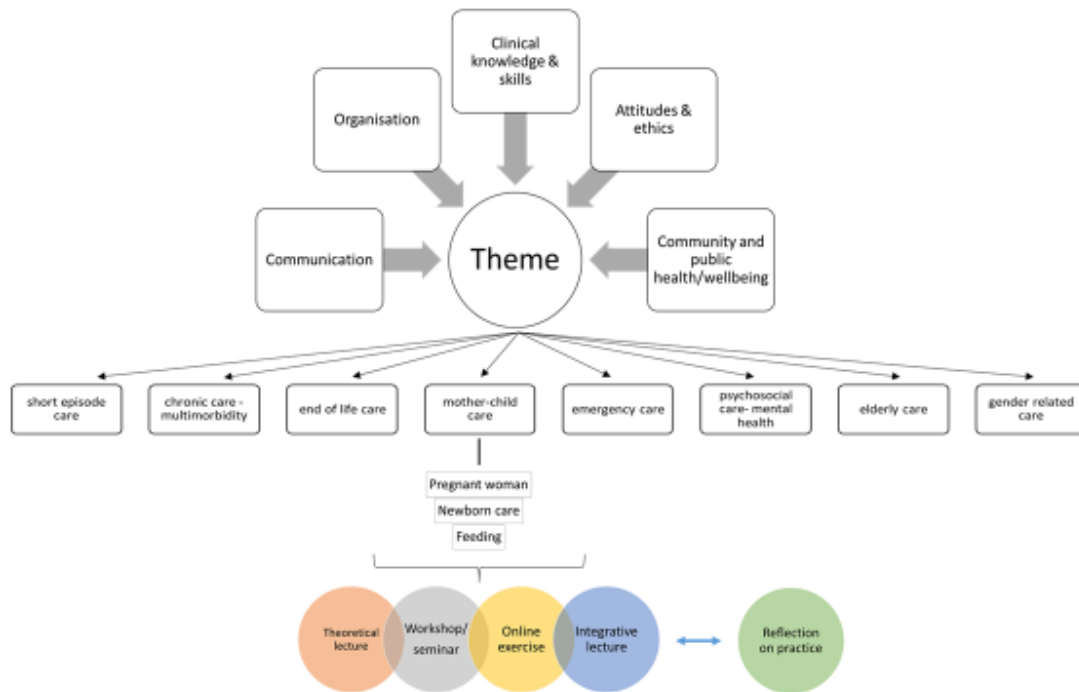


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Appendix 1. Curriculum



	Week 1	General Orientation to the course and the use of e-learning website Evidence based medicine (Formulating research questions and researching evidence-based resources) Professionalism
Module 1 Family medicine core concepts 1	Weeks 2-5	Family Medicine Core Concepts Introduction to Family Medicine Family medicine vs Primary Care Scope of Practice of Family Medicine (including Patient-centered medicine and whole-person medicine) The consultation Doctor-patient communication (including communication with children, adolescents, and older adults) The diagnostic process
Module 2		

Gender-related care	Weeks 6-9	<p>Contraceptive care</p> <p>Normal pregnancy</p> <p>Undesired pregnancy</p> <p>Postpartum care</p> <p>STDs and gynecological infections</p> <p>Menopause</p> <p>Cervical cancer screening</p> <p>Sexual history</p> <p>Lower Urinary Tract Symptoms</p> <p>Prostate cancer</p> <p>Gynecological examination</p> <p>Pregnancy examinations</p> <p>Rectal examination</p>
Module 3 Chronic Care	Weeks 10-13	<p><i>Follow up and organization of care for patients with chronic conditions</i></p> <p><i>Coordination of complex care</i></p> <p><i>Differentiation between chronic and acute problems</i></p>
Module 4 Acute and Short episode care	Weeks 14-17	<p><i>Triage</i></p> <p><i>Acute episode history</i></p> <p><i>Targeted Physical Exam</i></p> <p><i>Rapid diagnostics</i></p> <p><i>Establishing and communicating a treatment plan</i></p> <p>Recording of findings, diagnosis and treatment</p>
Module 5 Palliative and terminal care	Weeks 18-21	<p>End of life conversations</p> <p>Management of specific problems in the palliative/terminal phase</p> <p>Providing care for loved ones of the patient</p> <p>Early care-plans and last will wishes</p> <p>Personal continuity of care</p>
Module 6 Care for the elderly	Weeks 22-25	<p>Complex problematics in the elderly</p> <p>Early decisions for additional diagnostics and treatment</p> <p>Personal wishes and life expectancy</p> <p>Safety of the elderly</p>
Module 7 Commonly Missed Conditions	Weeks 26-29	
Module 8 Psychosocial care and medically unexplained physical symptoms	Weeks 30-33	<p>Anxiety and mood complaints/disorders</p> <p>Personality traits and disorders</p> <p>Medically unexplained physical symptoms</p> <p>Consequences of long-term incapacity for work</p>
Module 9 Prevention	Week 34-37	<p>Intervention options for prevention</p> <p>Lifestyle changes</p> <p>Preventive activity advice</p>

		Identification of patients with higher risk of health problems Systemic prevention program Population screening Role of environmental factors, social factors and living conditions on the prevention of illness Hereditary disease map Prevention strategies in preconception care Teamwork in preventative care
Module 10 Child Health	Weeks 38-41	Acute child consultation Prescribing practices in children Anticipatory guidance Parent/child/doctor relationship during consultation
Module 11 Integration and Family Medicine Core Concepts 2	Week 42-45	Leadership and management skills Making changes/improvement Documentation of medical records Ethics and values Breaking bad news Counseling Communicating with a team Shared decision making Doctor-patient relationship and the difficult situations Keeping up to date and self-care: professionalism and reflective practice
Final Assessments	Weeks 46-49	Final assessments Final audit Graduation ceremony

Appendix 2. Open-Ended Questions for End of Course Survey.

After being a part of this program for the last year, how has your idea about primary care changed?
After being a part of this program for the last year, how has your management of patients changed?
After being a part of this program for the last year, how have your values or ethics changed?
After being a part of this program for the last year, how have your communication skills with patients changed?
What needs to change in Jordan for you to be able to practice evidence-based, patient-centered medicine?
What is something you learned from each module?