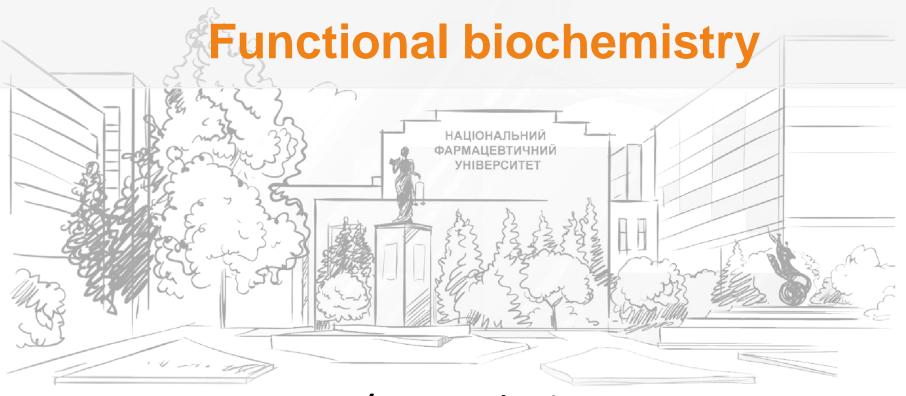
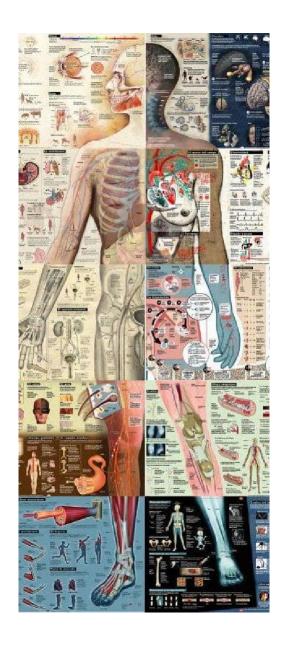


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DEPARTMENT OF CLINICAL LABORATORY DIAGNOSTICS, MICROBIOLOGY AND BIOLOGICAL CHEMISTRY



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What does functional biochemistry study?

- features of metabolic processes in different organs and tissues of the human body;
- a functional state markers under normal and pathological conditions;
- directions of their pharmacological correction with the medicines.

Functional biochemistry: main information about the subject



Medical and biological building of the NUpH





Who can study this elective subject?

➤ For 3rd year students (5th semester).

Where subject is taught?

Department of Biological chemistry and Veterinary medicine (medical and biological building of the National University of Pharmacy, Kulykivska st., 12).

Hours per semester

> 3 credit ECTS (90 hours).



Aims and objectives of the subject functional biochemistry

The aim of the subject – specialists training in a pharmaceutical industry who have a significant amount of theoretical and practical knowledge about:

- ✓ biochemical basis of life, in particular, the molecular basis of a general biochemical processes in different organs and tissues (liver, kidneys, heart, etc.);
- ✓ patterns of the organism functioning;
- the main directions of pathological states pharmacological correction.

The main objectives of the subject:

- ✓ the analysis of biochemical metabolic processes in individual tissues;
- ✓ the role of these processes in ensuring the functioning of individual organs and the organism;
- modern methods of normal and pathological components in biological liquids detection for diseases diagnosis.



What will be the result after the functional biochemistry course completing?



- matching between the biomolecules structure and their biochemical functions;
- biochemical and molecular basis of physiological cell functions, organs and systems of the human organism;
- how to interpret the results of laboratory assessments and explain the biochemical mechanisms of pathological processes development in the human body and the principles of their pharmacological correction;
- the main regularities of the rational use of medicines in accordance with the biochemical characteristics of a specific disease.

The role of functional biochemistry in future pharmacists professional development



study of the molecular basis of the biochemical processes in individual organs and tissues

- understanding of the conditions necessary to maintain the physiological state of the organism;
- understanding causes of disorders that lead to diseases development;
- background for new medicines development.



study of the functional state markers of individual organs and tissues (enzymes, transport proteins etc.)

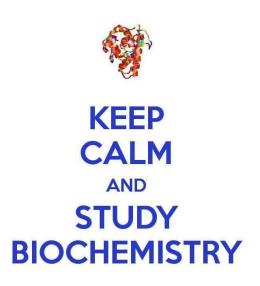
- interpretation of laboratory assessments;
- detection of organism state;
- differential diagnostic of diseases;
- basis for laboratory diagnostic, clinical pharmacy and pharmacology studying.



study of biomolecules structure, main functions and their role in biochemical processes, their interaction with each other and with xenobiotics

- understanding of medical targets;
- detection of rational pharmacotherapy strategy;
- prediction of medicines side effects;
- basis for pharmacology, pharmaceutical chemistry, pharmaceutical care, pharmacotherapy studying.

Thanks for your attention and sincerely wish you success in your studies!



- We hope that studying of subject "Functional biochemistry" will be useful and interesting for you, and this knowledge help you to become a true professional in pharmacy!
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