## **Subject Description Form**

Subject Code	SO4043				
Subject Title	Optometry Clinic 4				
Credit Value	3 (WIE)				
Level	4				
Pre-requisite	Optometry Clinic 3 (SO4042)				
Objectives	<ul> <li>To practice high quality, efficient and problem-based optometric examination and management in an integrated clinical environment under supervision</li> <li>To practice optometry as an evidence-based clinical science</li> <li>To develop clinical competence to meet the eye care challenge through clinical exposure and placements</li> <li>To become a competent, self-motivated, independent and skilful optometrist</li> </ul>				
Intended Learning Outcomes	<ul> <li>Upon completion of this subject, the student will be able to: <ul> <li>a. achieve all the intended learning outcomes listed in the subject of Optometry Clinic 3 (SO4042)</li> <li>b. conduct optometric eye examination in an integrated clinical environment</li> <li>c. perform effective, efficient and high quality problem-based eye care service</li> <li>d. articulate the roles of optometrist in the health care system</li> </ul> </li> </ul>				
Subject Synopsis/ Indicative Syllabus	Integrated primary care optometric examination and counselling Problem-based case analysis and management Prescribing vision care and treatment Ophthalmic dispensing				
Teaching/Learning Methodology	Internal clinical placement: Obtain clinical experience /knowledge/skills in campus optometry clinic and satellite optometry clinics (outside campus) Lecture: Didactic information on the roles of optometrists in the community and in the health care system				

Assessment Methods in Alignment with Intended Learning Outcomes	Specific assessment methods/tasks	% weighting	Intended subject learning outcomes to be assessed (Please tick as appropriate)				
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	Continuous Assessment	100	~	~	~	~	
	Total	100					
	Explanation of the appropriateness of the assessment methods in assessing the intended learning outcomes: Continuous assessment during the clinical placement will provide a platform for the students to obtain the feedback continuously for the improvement of their clinical performance. In addition, the continuous assessment in the clinic training will also help to assess students' clinical knowledge, skills and case management in a real situation. This can help students to build up their clinical experience to achieve the learning outcomes in order to prepare for the future clinical work.						
Student Study Effort Required	Class contact:						
	Lecture					4 Hrs.	
	<ul> <li>Clinic</li> <li>Total student study effort</li> </ul>					108 Hrs.	
						112 Hrs.	
Reading List and References	<ul> <li>Benjamin WJ. Borish's clinical refraction. Butterworth-Heinemann, 2<sup>nd</sup> ed. 2006.</li> <li>Grosvenor TP.: Primary care optometry. Butterworth-Heinemann, 5<sup>th</sup> ed. 2007.</li> <li>Eskridge JB, Amos JF, Bartlett JD. (ed) Clinical procedures in Optometry. JB Lippincott Co., 1991.</li> <li>Elliott DB (ed) Clinical procedures in Primary Eye Care. Butterworths, 2007</li> </ul>						