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Course: Clinical Data Management **Semester: 5**
Program: B.Sc. Clinical Research **Duration: 3 Hours**
Course Code: HSCR 3001 **Max. Marks: 100**

Instructions:

S. No.	Section A Short answer questions/ MCQ/T&F (20Qx1.5M= 30 Marks)	Marks	COs
Q 1	Define Clinical Data Management (CDM)	1.5	CO1
Q 2	Define non-clinical data?	1.5	CO1
Q 3	List main stages of Clinical Data Management in a clinical trial.	1.5	CO1
Q 5	Define Case Report Form (CRF)	1.5	CO2
Q 6	Define Data Validation.	1.5	CO4
Q 7	Define Data Management Plan (DMP).	1.5	CO1
Q 8	List the software used for CDM.	1.5	CO3
Q 9	List the types of data used in CDM.	1.5	CO2
Q 10	State any ONE point of importance of data cleaning in the clinical data management process.	1.5	CO3
Q 11	Define setup/startup phase of CDM.	1.5	CO1
Q 12	Define conduct phase of CDM.	1.5	CO1
Q 13	Define closeout phase of CDM.	1.5	CO1
Q 14	List any TWO benefits of DMP.	1.5	CO2
Q 15	List any TWO types of designs for data capture in CRF.	1.5	CO2
Q 16	Define adverse events (AE) in CDM.	1.5	CO4

Q 17	Define reconciliation of AE in CDM.	1.5	CO4
Q 18	Define AETERM, AESTDTC and AESTTIM.	1.5	CO4
Q 19	Define ARM, ARMCD, ACTARM and ACTARMCD.	1.5	CO4
Q 20	Define CDISC.	1.5	CO3

Section B
(4Qx5M=20 Marks)

Q 1	Define the term clinical. Differentiate between clinical and non-clinical studies.	1+4	CO1
Q 2	<p>Define sources of data in clinical practices. Referring to the figure below, explain the sources of data in CDM.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Source Data Flow</p> <p>The diagram illustrates the flow of data from various sources into a central system. Sources include Electronic Health Records (Site-hosted), Investigator (Direct Data Entry), Paper Patient Charts (Site-hosted), and Patient Report Outcomes (3rd party-hosted). Data flows into a central 'Sponsor/CRO Provided Electronic Data Capture for Site' (3rd party-hosted). From there, data is copied to 'Sponsor Data Warehouse or 3rd Party Hosted Warehouse' (3rd party-hosted) and 'Ancillary Data--ECGs, Labs, etc.' (3rd party-hosted). Dashed lines indicate alternate dataflows.</p> <p><i>Note: Dashed lines reflect alternate dataflows</i></p> <p>Fig. 11.1 Source dataflow. From Society for Clinical Data Management. eSource Implementation in Clinical Research: A Data Management Perspective: A White Paper [45]</p>	5	CO2
Q 3	Explain different kinds of CRF design considerations.	5	CO2
Q 4	Discuss the importance of data management plan and explain its necessity.		CO2

Section C
(2Qx15M=30 Marks)

Q 1	<p>You are working as a data manager in a clinical trial and are tasked with creating a demographic table summarizing the baseline characteristics of study participants.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explain the purpose of a demographic table in Clinical Data Management (CDM). Discuss the key elements that should be included in a demographic table. Write and explain the necessary R commands you would use to generate a demographic table from a dataset containing participant demographic information. 	15	CO4
Q2	You are analyzing a clinical dataset that includes patient IDs, age, treatment groups, and lab results. To prepare this data for further	15	CO3

	<p>analysis, you need to perform data manipulation tasks such as creating new columns and transforming the data.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Illustrate the use of the assignment operator (<-), the pipe operator (%>%), and the mutate() function in R for managing and transforming clinical data. • Create an example script in R where you: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assign the dataset to a new variable. • Use the pipe operator to chain commands for readability. • Use the mutate() function to add a new column that categorizes patients based on age (e.g., "Young" for patients under 30, "Middle-aged" for 30-60, and "Senior" for over 60). 		
<p>Section D (2Qx10M=20 Marks)</p>			
Q 1	Explain in detail Clinical Data Interchange Standards Consortium (CDISC).	10	CO4
Q2	Explain the importance and key components of a Case Report Form (CRF) in Clinical Data Management. Discuss how CRF design impacts the quality of clinical trial data and describe the best practices for developing an effective CRF.	10	