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#### Introduction to Medical Measurements

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# Why studying biomedical instrumentation and measurement?

**Studying biomedical instrumentation and measurement is essential for several reasons:** 

- Improving Healthcare: Biomedical instrumentation and measurement play a critical role in the diagnosis, monitoring, and treatment of various medical conditions
- Advancements in Medical Technology: These advancements can lead to more efficient, less invasive, and safer medical procedures and equipment
- Quality Control:Biomedical instrumentation ensures that medical devices and equipment meet the required quality standards, reducing the risk of errors and malfunctions that could harm patients
- Biological Research:It also supports research in biology and life sciences, allowing scientists to study and understand complex biological processes, which can lead to breakthroughs in areas like genetics, neuroscience, and pharmacology
- Patient Monitoring:Many medical conditions require continuous monitoring, such as heart rate, blood pressure, and oxygen levels.
- Interdisciplinary Collaboration:Biomedical instrumentation bridges the gap

Basic of biomedical instrumentation and measurement

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- Microscopic anatomy ( is the study of the minute structure of the organs by means of microscopy
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#### PHYSIOLOGY.

Physiology, related to the normal function of the organs of the body, Can be classified in different ways,

- Cell physiology is the study of the function of the cell
- Pathophysiology relates to the pathological (study or symptoms of disease)
  function of the organs

In addition, classification into various sub areas dealing with different organs can be made For example

□ Circulatory physiology is the study of the blood circulation relating to functioning or the heart

□ Respiratory physiology deals with the functioning of breathing organs

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#### Physiology of Human body

- Human body consists of many systems
- Respiratory system
- Endocrine system
- Circulatory system
- Cardiovascular system
- Nervous system
- Digestive system
- Reproduction system
- Muscular system
- Skelton system



#### Types of Health Care Quality Measures



#### Importance of Measurement Accuracy in Medical Readings

- The significance of achieving high accuracy in medical measurements to obtain correct and precise results.
- Factors influencing measurement accuracy, such as the quality of tools and techniques used and the training of the evaluator.

## **Blood Pressure Measurement**



- The importance of measuring blood pressure in assessing heart and blood vessel health.
- The tools used for blood pressure measurement, how to read and interpret the readings.

# Heart Rate Measurement



- The importance of measuring heart rate in evaluating heart function and detecting abnormal changes.
- Heart rate measurement devices, measurement

methods, and interpretation of readings

## **Temperature Measurement**



- The importance of measuring body temperature in diagnosing fever and other heat-related conditions.
- Temperature measurement tools, their types, and proper usage

# **Oxygen Saturation Measurement**



- The importance of measuring blood oxygen saturation and evaluating respiratory function.
- Oxygen saturation monitoring devices, measuring saturation levels, and interpreting results

## **Blood Glucose Measurement**



- The importance of measuring blood glucose levels and monitoring glucose levels in diabetic patients.
- Blood glucose measurement tools, measurement methods, reading interpretation, and analysis.