

Quality Enhancement Cell

Report of

Workshop: "What is Assessment?"

26th Dec. 2022

Introduction

Quality Enhancement Cell arranged its 6th workshop as a part of its Faculty Development Program on 26^{th} Dec. 2022 at the lecture hall 313. The Facilitator, Dr. Arshia Samin Naqvi conducted 3 hours session with 20 minutes tea break.

There were 10 faculty members from different departments of Sohail University who attended this workshop. Following are the names, designation and departments of the members who attended this session:

S No.	Names	Designation	Department
1	Dr. Shagufta Usmani	Professor/ Principal	Jinnah College of Pharmacy
2	Dr. Fatima Ramzan	Lecturer	Jinnah College of Pharmacy
3	Dr. Syeda Abiha Rizwi	Lecturer	Jinnah College of Pharmacy
4	Dr. Maria Khan	Lecturer	Jinnah College of Pharmacy
5	Dr. Ghazala Noor Nizami	Associate Professor/ Principal	Jinnah College of Rehabilitation Sciences
6	Dr. Soofia Ishfaque	Lecturer	Jinnah College of Rehabilitation Sciences
7	Dr. Bismah Khan	Lecturer	Jinnah College of Rehabilitation Sciences
8	Warda Alam	Lecturer	Jinnah School of Business, Commerce & Economics

9	Sultan Myhammad	Principal	Jinnah College of Nursing
10	Anjum Saeed	Lecturer	Jinnah College of Nursing
11	Javerya Sabir	Asst. Manager	Quality Enhancement Cell

The workshop aimed to accumulate principals, faculty members from different departments of Sohail University and facilitated with interactive session. Facilitator involved all participants, made session interesting with activities and different tasks and provided knowledge of Assessment.

Main objectives of this workshop are under:

- ✓ Understanding briefly about Assessment and its tools
- ✓ Purpose and qualities of effective assessment
- ✓ Importance summative and formative assessment in learning
- ✓ Differences between assessment and evaluation
- ✓ What are the characteristics of good examination?

Feedback

At the end of the session participants shared their feedback about the workshop. 80% out of the participants strongly agreed that the workshop lived up to their expectations and found learning very relevant to their job. The remarks about workshop design, all participants were satisfied and agreed on its objectives, tasks and its applications for their job. Moreover, most of the teachers added, this workshop helped to learn different tools, importance of assessment and contributed a huge part in enhancing their expertise in conducting exam. In addition, participants appreciated the topic "what is assessment?", found it good initiative in learning of different strategies for exam purpose along with learning perspective of students.

They suggested, series of this topic related workshops should be conducted in future and venue may be changed as seats were uncomfortable. Regarding the facilitator, the participants appreciated her knowledge commented that she was well-prepared.

