MPP 457: Medical Physics Practical-IV

(4 hr in a week) Objective:

To import the practical knowledge on various radiation detecting and measuring equipment and also chemical and physics dosimeters used in dosimetry.

Outcomes:

Students will be able to design experiments to use, operate, characterise and measure different parameters using radiation detectors and dosimeters.

List of experiments:

- 1. Calibration of a therapy level dosimeter.
- 2. Calibration of TL phosphor & TLD reader and its use in dose distribution measurements.
- 3. Determination of plateau and resolving time of a G.M. counter and its application in estimating the shelf-ratio and activity of a beta source.
- 4. Output measurement of a gamma chamber using Fricke dosimeter.
- 5. Dose rate measurement of teletherapy machines using FBX dosimeter.
- 6. Calibration of a TLD personnel monitoring badge and dose evaluation.
- 7. Characteristics of a flow counter and beta activity measurement.
- 8. Calibration of Gamma ray spectrometer [NaI(Tl), HPGe] and identification of unknown sources using multichannel analyser.

Additional experiments may be added