

Internal Academic Review Committee

Report on the Review of the Department of Physiology

The Department of Physiology is recognized as a strong and healthy unit that has already made substantial progress in its strategic plans, despite the budget constraints within which it has been functioning. While it is evident that research activities are a priority in its strategic planning, it is equally apparent that the Department is strongly committed to excellence in teaching and learning. Features of the Department as

recommended an integrated approach to resolving this issue. (see “Common Themes” submission).

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Furthermore, research increasingly embraces the breadth of inquiry from the gene to the health of populations, involving those from a variety of “traditional” disciplines, no longer so relevant. In fact, many of our research programs cross Faculties and have become thematic, addressing health issues deliberately, such as Cancer, Heart and Stroke, etc.