



UGANDA INSTITUTE OF ALLIED HEALTH AND MANAGEMENT SCIENCES – MULAGO

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND SPORTS



THE REPUBLIC OF UGANDA

PROGRAMMES OFFERED



VISION:

"An Institution of Excellence in training and development of Allied Health and Management Scientists".

MISSION:

"To inspire, develop and empower Allied Health and Management Scientists to deliver effective and efficient Health Care Services".

GOAL

Improve Institutional Infrastructure facilities and educational programmes in order to meet needs of the communities in line with Government policies in health and Education.

CORE VALUES OF THE INSTITUTION

The core values of the institution are based on:

- Professionalism where practices of the institution and training o learners aim at maintaining and developing professional character.
- Ethics focusing on modelling of positive attitude among professionals and learners.
- Collaboration with relevant partners in education and health practice.
- Team work where practices of various professions contribute to the success of all.
- Commitment to serving communities.
- Integrity of character in training and practice.

Strategic Objectives:

- Improve and modernise institutional infrastructure for skills development through re-configuring the skills development system; more efficient use of instructors/ teachers' and learners' time, and other resources; and expanding, equipping, and improving formal skills development at the Institution.
- Develop appropriate human resource structure for the institution to increase coherence and flexibility
- Develop, upgrade and update the institutional programmes to meet the current trends in policies and professionalism.
- Foster institutional faculty development through strengthening intra and inter-sectoral linkages; and providing requisite tools and resources to technical/ administrative staff.

POST-BASIC PROGRAMMES:

Specialised Advanced Diplomas

1. Anaesthesia

Duration - 2 years

Entry requirements:

Registered Midwives, Registered Nurses, Clinical Officers, Registered Comprehensive Nurses.

Nature of work:

Assess, prepare and administer Anaesthesia to patients for Surgery. Participate in treating the critically ill patients.

2. Ear, Nose and Throat and Neck Surgery

Duration – 1 . years.

Entry Requirements:

Registered Midwives, Registered Nurses, Clinical Officers, Registered Comprehensive Nurses

Nature of work:

Diagnoses and provides specialised care and treatment of diseases of the ear, nose and throat.

3. Health Counselling and Social care

Duration – 1 . years

Target Group:

Health workers, Community + Civic leaders, Managers and Personnel officers, Social Workers, Lecturers of Tertiary Institutions, teachers and public relation officers.

Nature of work:

Conducts health related counselling and social care sessions to various social groups.

4. Health Management and Leadership

Target Group:

Health workers, Community + Civic leaders, Managers and Personnel officers, Social Workers, Lecturers of Tertiary Institutions, teachers and public relation officers.

Nature of work:

Managing health resources and departments effectively.

5. Health Promotion and Education

Duration 1 year

Target Group:

Health Tutors, Clinical Officers, Health Inspectors, Occupational Therapists, Orthopaedic Officers, Physiotherapists, Registered Nurses and Midwives, Registered Comprehensive Nurses, Public Health Dental Officers, Social workers, Community Health Workers, Graduates with basic training related to

Nature of work:

Carries out community diagnosis to identify issues affecting health and sensitises community on behaviour change to improve health.

6. Speech and Language Therapy

Duration 1 year.

Entry requirements.

A Diploma in Nursing, Midwifery, Diploma in Clinical Medicine and Community health, Diploma in Education, Community Rehabilitation, Diploma in Social Works, Bsc in Education and Social Sciences.

Nature of work:

Diagnose and treat people of all ages with speech, language and communication difficulties.

7. Audiology

Duration 2 years with an intermediate Certificate after 1 year of study

Target Group:

Diploma in Clinical Medicine and Community Health, Diploma in Nursing and Midwifery, Diploma in Education, Degree in Clinical Psychology.

Nature of work:

Evaluates hearing disorders and provides rehabilitation solutions to the affected.

BASIC DIPLOMA:

8. Medical Laboratory Technology:

Duration – 3 years

Entry requirements:

Direct entrants:

- UACE with at least 1 principal pass in either Biology or Chemistry and a subsidiary pass.
- UCE with at least 5 passes in Biology, Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and English.

Indirect entrants:

A Certificate in any of these health related disciplines:

- Nursing/Midwifery
- Environmental Health Sciences
- Medical Laboratory Techniques.

Nature of work:

Makes laboratory diagnosis of disease and conditions.

9. Pharmacy:

Duration – 3 years

Entry requirements:

Direct entrants:

- UACE with at least 1 principal pass in Chemistry and a subsidiary pass in Biology, plus any other subsidiary pass.

- UCE with at least 5 passes in Biology, Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and English.

Indirect entrants:

SAME AS Medical Laboratory Technology.

Nature of work:

Prepares and dispenses pharmaceutical preparations.

10. Medical Radiography:

Duration - 3 years

Entry requirements:

Direct Entrants:

- UACE with at least 1 principal pass in either Physics or Mathematics and subsidiary pass in Biology, plus any other subsidiary pass.
- UCE with at least 5 passes in Biology, Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and English.

Indirect entrants:

SAME AS Medical Laboratory Technology.

Nature of work:

Carries out medical imaging.

11. Physiotherapy:

Duration – 3 years

Requirements:

Direct entrants:

- UACE with at least 1 principal pass in Biology and subsidiary pass in either Chemistry, Physics or Mathematics, plus any other subsidiary pass.

- UCE with at least 5 passes in Biology, Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and English.

Indirect entrants:

SAME AS Medical Laboratory Technology.

Nature of work:

Managing patients using physical means.

12. Occupational Therapy:

Duration – 3 years

Entry requirements:

Direct entrants:

- UACE with at least 1 principal pass in Biology and subsidiary pass in either Physics, Chemistry or Mathematics, plus any other subsidiary pass.
- UCE with at least 5 passes in Biology, Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and English.

Indirect entrants:

SAME AS Medical Laboratory Technology.

Nature of work:

Works with people who are physically or mentally disabled, and those suffering from chronic illness.

13. Orthopaedics Medicine:

Duration - 3 years

Entry requirements:

Direct entrants:

- UACE with at least 1 principal pass in Biology and subsidiary pass in Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics and English.

- UCE with at least 5 passes in Biology, Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and English.

Indirect Entrants:

SAME AS Medical Laboratory Technology.

Nature of work:

Do clinical assessment and treatment of patients and assist surgeons in orthopaedic surgery.

14. Medical Entomology and Parasitology:

Duration – 3 years

Entry requirements:

Direct entrants:

- UACE with at least 1 principal pass in Biology and a subsidiary pass in either Chemistry or Geography, plus any other subsidiary pass.
- UCE with at least 5 passes in Biology, Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and English.

Indirect entrants:

SAME AS Medical Laboratory Technology.

Nature of work:

Carryout standard Entomological procedures to combat various Vector borne diseases as part of prevention and control of diseases in the community.

Disinfects fumigates premises.

15. Public Health Dentistry:

Duration – 3 years

Entry requirements:

Direct entrants:

- UACE with at least 1 principal pass in Biology and subsidiary pass in Chemistry, plus any other subsidiary pass.
- UCE with at least 5 passes in Biology, Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and English.

Indirect entrants:

SAME AS Medical Laboratory Technology.

Nature of work:

Treat patients with dental diseases. Extract affected teeth and give advice to patients and public on proper dental care.

16. Orthopaedic Technology:

Duration – 3 years

Entry requirements:

Direct entrants:

- UACE with at least 1 principal pass in either Physics or Biology and subsidiary pass in either Biology, Physics , Mathematics, Technical Drawing or Fine Art, plus any other subsidiary pass.

- UCE with at least 5 passes in Biology, Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and English.

Indirect entrants:

SAME AS Medical Laboratory Technology.

Nature of work:

Fabricate and fit orthopaedic appliances to restore the function of neuromuscular skeletal patients

17. Dental Technology

Duration - 3 years

Entry requirements

- UACE with at least 1 Principal Pass in Biol. and at least 2 Subsidiary pass in chemistry, Maths and Physics.
- UCE with at least 5 passes in English, Mathematics, Biology, Chemistry and Physics.

Nature of work

- Assessment of patient's mouth and obtaining their impressions.
- Designing of appropriate appliances for patients who have lost their teeth and patients with improperly arranged teeth.

18. Environmental Health Sciences (in service)

Duration 2 years

Entry requirements:

A Certificate in Environmental Health Sciences.

Target Group:

Health Assistants with certificate in Environmental Health Sciences.

19. Clinical and Community Nutrition

Duration – 3 years.

Entry requirements:

Direct entrants:

- UACE with at least 1 Principal pass in Biology or food and nutrition and 2 subsidiaries obtained at the same sitting or its equivalent.
- UCE with at least 5 passes in English, Mathematics, Biology Chemistry and Physics.

Indirect entrants:

Any student with a qualification in health related field or any other biological sciences of post-secondary qualification.

Nature of Work:

Work in Clinical setting and in communities to promote good nutrition.

20. Medical Records and Health Informatics

Duration – 3 years

Entry requirements:

Direct Entrants:

- UACE or its equivalent having at least 1 Principal Pass in Maths, Physics and Biology and 2 subsidiaries obtained at the same sitting.
- UCE with at least 5 passes in English, Mathematics, Biology Chemistry and Physics or ICT subjects

Indirect entrants

Candidate must have UCE or its equivalent having 5 passes in English, Mathematics/ICT and Biology. In addition one should possess Certificate in Health Information Management System (HMIS) or other health related certificate from recognised institution of learning by Ministry of Education and Sports.

Nature of Work:

Ensures proper management of patients' records.

CERTIFICATE:

21. Certificate Environmental Health Sciences:

Duration – 2 years

Entry requirement:

At least passes in Biology, Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and English.

Nature of work:

Participate in enforcing Public Health Act.

22. Certificate in Medical Records and Health Informatics

Duration – 2 years

Entry requirement:

At least passes in Biology, Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and English.

Nature of Work:

Ensures proper management of patients' records.

SHORT COURSE:

Contemporary Pharmacy Practice Course: 3 weeks

Entry requirements:

Enrolled/Registered Nurses, Pharmacy Assistants and Pharmacy Orderlies.

NATURE OF ADMISSION

Window one, this is Government sponsorship and carries 40% of the intake. Window two; this is self or private sponsorship.

PAYMENTS

Basic program: Ugandans

- 1,482,200/= per year (Government)

- 2,599,300 per year (Private)

Post Basic: - 2,410,000/=

International Students:

East Africans - \$1000 per year

Others - \$1500

Note: There are requirements specific to particular programmes.

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