



CYBERJAYA UNIVERSITY COLLEGE
of MEDICAL SCIENCES

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Diploma in Medical Assistant

KPT/JPS(N/722/4/0004)06/18 (MQA/PA1947)07/16

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The Diploma in Medical Assistant provides students with a wealth of knowledge in patient care allowing them to seek a career as Assistant Medical Officers in public hospitals. Students will leverage on the University's experience and facilities to equip themselves with knowledge on subjects such as anatomy, physiology, bioscience, microbiology, parasitology, emergency medicine, surgical, public health and more.

Assistant Medical Officers will work alongside physicians in providing quality patient care and are integral members of today's healthcare teams. This programme is recognized by the Medical Assistant Board, Ministry of Health Malaysia.

OUR STUDENTS



"The DMA programme is rigorous and challenging, It covers a diverse range of topics and is essential for anyone who wishes to seek a career as an AMO", **Carlene Pethrina, Year 2 Student.**

"I find that there is an increasing interest in the DMA programme among my friends and CUCMS provides a good opportunity to start a career in healthcare. The university is very reputable and the clinical placements have been very enlightening." **Nur Shahira Iriana, Year 1 Student.**



CAREER PROSPECTS

Graduates from this course will be eligible to obtain employment as Medical Assistants or Assistant Medical Officers (AMO) in Public Hospitals and Private Medical Centers and are recognized by the Medical Assistant Board, Ministry of Health Malaysia.

Further education pathways available to students include Bachelor degrees in Pre Hospital Care, Forensic Science, Sports Medicine, Dietician, Biomedical, Social Science and Occupational Safety and Health.

INTAKE

May and November

DURATION

3 years (6 semesters)

STUDY MODE & DELIVERY METHOD

Full-time study delivered through the following methods:

- Lectures and tutorials
- Clinical placement



COURSE STRUCTURE

Year 1

- Anatomy and Physiology 1
- Anatomy and Physiology 2
- Microbiology & Paracitology
- Biosciences
- Nursing 1
- Behavior Sciences
- Pengajian Malaysia (Malaysian Studies)
- Fundamental English I
- Perlembagaan & Dasar Awam (Constitution & Public Policy)
- Nursing 2
- Surgery 1
- Medicine 1
- Pharmacology 1
- Occupational Safety and Health
- Fundamental English 2
- Professional Ethics & Moral
- Young Mercy

Year 2

- Medicine 2
- Surgery 2
- Pharmacology 2
- Pediatric

- Emergency Medicine 1
- Community Health 1
- Research Methodology
- Pediatric Placement
- Community Health 2
- Orthopedic
- Emergency Medicine 2
- Medical Posting
- Community Health Practice 1

Year 3

- Community Health Practice 2
- Emergency Practice 1
- Surgery Posting
- Orthopedic Practice
- Ophthalmology Practice
- Health System Research
- Community Health Practice 3
- Emergency Practice 2
- Psychiatric Practice
- Otolaryngology Practice
- Operation Theatre Practice
- Labour Room Practice

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

1. Pass Sijil Pelajaran Malaysia (SPM) or its equivalent with a minimum of 5 (five) credits in the following subjects:

- Bahasa Malaysia
- Two (2) credits in either Science or Mathematics subject (Biology / Chemistry / General Science / Applied Sciences / Mathematics / Additional Mathematics) preference is given to students who obtain 1 credit in both categories (Science & Mathematic) and;
- Two (2) credits from any other subjects
- Pass in English (preference to be given to those with credit in English);

OR;

2. GCE O Level or equivalent with 5 (five) credits in the following subjects:

- Two (2) credits from Science or Mathematics subject (Biology/Physics/Chemistry/General Science);
- Three (3) from any other subjects ; and
- Pass in English.
- Malaysian citizen are required to pass in Bahasa Malaysia at Sijil Pelajaran Malaysia level for the purpose of registration with Medical Assistant Board (MAB);

OR;

3. Students shall be certified medically fit by a registered medical practitioner recognized by the recruiting institution and free from:

- Mental illness
- Physical and sensory disability
- Infectious diseases (HIV-AIDS, Hepatitis B and C, etc.)
- Epilepsy
- Genetic diseases
- Drug abuse



THE CUCMS ADVANTAGE

- 1 A Decade of Teaching Experience**
With over 10 years of experience in providing quality tertiary education, CUCMS has a robust, industry relevant curriculum taught by dedicated healthcare experts.
- 2 A Top Tier University**
Rated as a Tier 5, (Excellent) institution by the Malaysian Qualifications Agency, we also boast a SIRIM ISO 9001:2008 QMS certification further ensuring a high quality education experience.
- 3 A Network of Successful Graduates**
Over 1500 successful healthcare professionals have graduated with us. At CUCMS you will be part of a growing alumni of professionals who are contributing to the advancement of the healthcare industry.
- 4 Comprehensive Range of Programmes**
We offer over 20 healthcare programmes including postgraduate studies that opens up a range of career options in the healthcare industry ensuring a bright and fulfilling future.
- 5 Fully Equipped Campus**
Here you will find a modern, green-friendly, campus at the heart of Cyberjaya, Malaysia's Smart City with fully equipped research laboratories, comprehensive library collections and student support facilities to ensure a conducive learning environment.
- 6 High Degree of Student Empowerment**
Students are empowered to achieve greater personal growth and success through volunteerism, humanitarian activities and extra-curricular society such as Young Mercy (in collaboration with MERCY Malaysia).
- 7 Student-Centered Team-Based Learning**
Our teaching model creates an environment of active personal participation and involvement in group learning such as problem-based-learning (PBL) sessions that enhances positive teamwork and leadership.
- 8 Affective Domain Training**
We provide a holistic learning experience that emphasizes on reflection sessions, peer, self and mentor feedback and folio records to ensure an all rounded nurturing of graduates.
- 9 Real World Experience**
We have formed strategic alliances with the Malaysian Ministry of Defence, Ministry of Health and other international healthcare institutions to allow use of their excellent facilities in clinical trainings.
- 10 Research Partnerships**
Our academicians have been active researchers, regularly contributing to the growing body of knowledge through research collaborations with leading partner universities and renowned pharmaceutical companies in Malaysia.

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