

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN DENTAL PUBLIC HEALTH - DS702
DURATION OF STUDY: 1 YEARS/ 2 SEMESTERS
(INTAKE : OCTOBER)

Synopsis

This is a taught postgraduate degree awarded following the satisfactory completion of a full-time programme of study in research, theories application and clinical management related to the advancement of Dental Public Health Speciality.

This is a one-year full time coursework programme. The course provides comprehensive knowledge and theories in Dental Public Health. The candidates will be exposed to in depth knowledge in concept of public health, epidemiology, oral health promotion, oral health related quality of life, evidence-based practice, health economics and health care system. This course is also designed to develop knowledge about public health, determinants of health, and the scientific and professional leadership skills to translate this knowledge into effective dental public health interventions. This course includes lectures, seminars, practical sessions and journal club.

The students should be able to steer and acquire basic scientific research skills along with a scientific approach in problem solving. By the end of Semester 2, the students are required to submit their dissertation for final examination. They should be able to complete a dissertation, which is worthy of publication or a publishable manuscript. The list is non-exhaustive act as a checklist to ensure the widest coverage of Dental Public Health concept and theory.

Continuous assessment will be evaluated throughout the year in the form of semester tests, home assignments and seminars.

Entry Requirement

General
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. BDS or equivalent ii. 2 years clinical experience of continuous clinical work experience after graduation from dental school <p>Dissertation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proposal submission with the application form • 2 referee reports • Passed entrance interview and prescribed test • Must be registered with MDC • Evidence in research publications would be highly regarded <p>Health Status: Applicants to clinical programmes need to provide evidence to the University that they are free from Hepatitis B and Hepatitis C upon acceptance into the programme.</p>
International
<p>Language Requirement</p> <p>International applicants are required to obtain a minimum:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Malaysian University English Test (MUET) Band 4 • IELTS: Band 6 • TOEFL: Internet-Based Test (IBT: 60-78); Computer-Based Test (CBT: 107-131); Paper-Based Test (417-450) • CEFR: B1

- TOEIC: 570-684
- BULATS: 60-74
- Any English Language Test which is equivalent to B1 in Common European Framework of Reference for Language (CEFR).

A candidate who does not have TOEFL or IELTS is required to attend six (6) months of English Proficiency Class (EPC) prior to enrolment in the program. Upon completion of the EPC program, the candidate needs to sit for TOEFL/IELTS/MUET examination with the score stated above.

Exemption from UiTM English Language Requirement is only allowed if candidate:

- Obtained Bachelor / Master or other relevant degree from Malaysian recognized institution whereby all courses are fully conducted in English OR;
- An English native speaker OR;
- Graduated from any higher learning institution which uses the English Language as the medium of instruction

Fee Structures

Local

FEES	TOTAL RINGGIT MALAYSIA (RM)	
	Full-time	Part-time
Fees for semester 1	RM32,798	NOT OFFER FOR PART-TIME
Fees for semester 2	RM12,935	
TOTAL ESTIMATION FOR TUITION FEES	RM45,733	

**ESTIMATED FEES* Subject to change*

**Fees for Convocation RM210 will be charged in the final semester*

International

FEES	TOTAL RINGGIT MALAYSIA (RM)
Fees for semester 1	RM42,880
Fees for semester 2	RM16,980
TOTAL ESTIMATION FOR TUITION FEES	RM59,860

Programme Structures

FULL-TIME	
Year 1	
Semester 1	Semester 2
1. DMH701 - Multidisciplinary Health Sciences	1. DCR702 - Dissertation
2. DRD701 - Research Design and Biostatistic	
3. DCH701 - Dental Public Health	