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Postgraduate clinical Training Prospectus

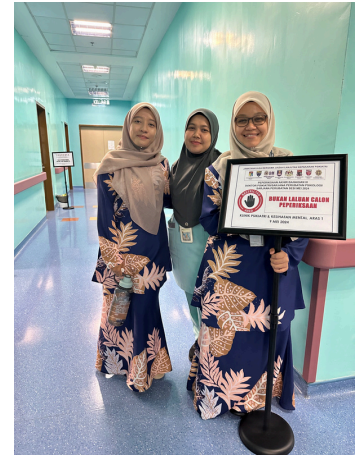
MASTER OF MEDICINE (PSYCHIATRY) 2024

OFFICE OF POSTGRADUATE
Kulliyah of Medicine
International Islamic University Malaysia
Kuantan Campus, Pahang



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INTRODUCTION



The Department of Psychiatry was founded concurrently with the establishment of the Kulliyah of Medicine in 1997. Subsequently, the department has witnessed a steady expansion in its cadre of committed academic and support personnel. It is noteworthy that the department actively engages in academic postgraduate pursuits, research endeavors, and the provision of clinical services.



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ENTRY REQUIREMENT

GENERAL REQUIREMENT

- Candidates will require a relevant Bachelor's degree (honours) from the IIUM or any other accredited institution of higher learning; or
- Any other certificate that is recognized as equivalent to a Bachelor's degree (honours) or other relevant professional qualifications and experiences that are recognized by the Senate of the University;

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- Possesses a MBBS or other medical qualification from an institution recognised by the Malaysian Medical Council (MMC); and
- Full registration with MMC; and
- The candidate must be able to perform tasks competently based on Essential Learning Activities (ELA); and
- Pass the Medical Specialist Entrance Examination (MedEx) and obtain satisfactory results of the interview;
- Desirable working in the psychiatry department or similar experience in primary care, attended preparatory course/conferences/workshops in psychiatry and/or conduct psychiatry research/audit/publication.

*Psychiatry Postgraduate Training in Malaysia:
Training Curriculum, Version 1, 2021*

INTERNATIONAL APPLICANT

- Possesses a Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery degree or equivalent from a university and is registrable under the Medical Practitioner Act 1971 (Act No. 50) of Malaysia.
- Had undertaken at least three (3) years of post-registration clinical experience preferably in a psychiatric-related field certified by the relevant authorities.
- The applicant is required to undergo a six-month probation period in a psychiatric posting prior to acceptance into the programme.
- Show proof of financial ability to pursue their studies and live in Malaysia for the duration of study.
- A letter of financial guarantee/sponsorship or the most recent financial statement from applicant's bank is sufficient.
- Clear the medical check-up by the University's health authorities.
- Have international passports with at least two (2) years validity and meet all immigration procedures

OTHER REQUIREMENTS

- Favourable referees' reports
- Successfully completed the Entrance Evaluation by the Postgraduate Committee of the Department of Psychiatry



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PROGRAMME STRUCTURE



This program constitutes a postgraduate training initiative designed for individuals currently employed, spanning a minimum duration of four years and a maximum of seven years. Its primary objective is to cultivate proficient specialists in the field of psychiatry. The program is structured into three distinct phases: Phase I (Year 1), Phase II (Years 2 and 3), and Phase III (Year 4).

Year 1 will comprise of one year posting in Basic Medical Sciences and Basic Psychiatry. The trainee is expected to carry out course-work in addition to their clinical commitments.

Year 2 will comprise of four (4) different postings of which General Psychiatry, Rehabilitation and Community Psychiatry, Forensic Psychiatry, and Geriatric Psychiatry are mandatory.

Year 3 will comprise of the training in General Psychiatry and specialty postings of Neurology, Child and Adolescence Psychiatry, and Addiction Psychiatry. The coursework will include case write ups, journal reviews, basic psychiatric skills training, research methodology training workshops and also maintain a log book.

Year 4 will comprise of the trainees functioning as Registrar in General Psychiatry. The trainee is expected to carry out course-work in addition to their clinical commitments. The clinical commitment will involve postings in General Psychiatry subspecialties namely Liaison Psychiatry and Administrative Psychiatry.

EXAMINATIONS

- Part I examination of the M. Med (Psychiatry) programme will be conducted at end of Year 1.
- Part II examination will be conducted at end of Year 3.
- Part III Consultation Viva examination will be conducted at end of Year 4.



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PROGRAMME OUTCOMES



On successful completion of the programme, the students should be able to:

1. Acquire a relevant and adequate knowledge of Psychiatry in terms of theory and practical skills
2. Demonstrate the competent clinical skills to function as general psychiatrists and manage patients comprehensively in physical, psychological, social, and spiritual aspects based on the current evidence
3. Communicate effectively with peers, patients and family members from various cultural, social and religious backgrounds
4. Work as a team with other health care professionals in the best interest of the patients through coordination and utilization of available resources
5. Integrate Islamic values, ethics and professionalism in psychiatric practice
6. Formulate and conduct scientific research independently
7. Demonstrate leadership and managerial skills in Psychiatric practice by coordination of the clinical team and services



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PROGRAMME CONTENT

The Master of Medicine (Psychiatry) programme at IIUM (International Islamic University Malaysia) is a comprehensive postgraduate clinical training program designed to equip aspiring psychiatrists with the necessary skills and knowledge to excel in the field of psychiatry. The following is the general structure of the programme:

Phase I

YEAR 1

BASIC PSYCHIATRY
MEDICAL SCIENCES
GENERAL PSYCHIATRY

PART I EXAMINATION

Phase II

YEAR 2

FORENSIC PSYCHIATRY
COMMUNITY & REHABILITATION
PSYCHIATRY
ADDICTION PSYCHIATRY
GENERAL PSYCHIATRY

RESEARCH PROPOSAL

Phase II

YEAR 3

NEUROMEDICINE
CHILD & ADOLESCENT
PSYCHIATRY
PSYCHOGERIATRY
GENERAL PSYCHIATRY

ETHIC RESEARCH APPROVAL

PART II EXAMINATION

Phase III

YEAR 4

CONSULTATION LIAISON
PSYCHIATRY
ADMINISTRATIVE PSYCHIATRY
ELECTIVE POSTING

DISSERTATION

PART III EXAMINATION

ISLAMISATION OF HUMAN KNOWLEDGE IN MEDICINE



PROGRAMME ASSESSMENTS

Assessments are required to ensure that the learning objectives of the curriculum have been achieved. It is an essential part of training and reflects the activities that the trainee will perform as a psychiatry specialist.

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ASSESSMENTS	
FORMATIVE	SUMMATIVE
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Case-based discussion (CBD) 2. Mini-clinical evaluation exercise (Mini-CEX) 3. Professional Assessment (PBA) 4. Procedure-based Assessment (PBA) 5. Intervention-based Assessment (IBA) inclusive of psychotherapy 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Theory examination: Multiple-choice questions (MCQ), short-notes and long essay. 2. Clinical examinations: Observed short clinical cases, Objective structured clinical examination (OSCE) and Modified long clinical cases. 3. Research/systematic review/ survey/clinical audit report and presentation 4. Consultation viva

Phase	Training	Research	Formative Assessment	Summative Assessment (Examinations)	Duration
I (Year 1)	General psychiatry	Research or clinical audit	Workplace-based assessment (IBA, PBA, CBD, Mini-CEX, PP) Psychotherapy (CBT and Psychodynamic)	End of Phase I (Theory & Clinical)	48 weeks
II (Year 2 & 3)	General psychiatry & subspecialities in psychiatry			End of Phase II (Theory & Clinical)	96 weeks
III (Year 4)	Advance general psychiatry, administrative in psychiatry and consultation-liaison psychiatry			End of Phase III (Portfolio review, Consultation Viva, and research/clinical audit report and presentation)	48 weeks



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ACADEMICIANS



ASSOC. PROF. DR NORA BINTI MAT ZIN
Area of Interest:
Women Mental Health , Therapy



PROF. DR RAMLI BIN MUSA
Area of Interest:
Addiction , Questionnaire validation



ASSOC. PROF. DR ALI SABRI RADEEF AL-ANI
Area of Interest:
General psychiatry, Student Mental Health



ASST. PROF. DR MOHD FAIZ BIN MD TAHIR
Area of Interest:
Addiction , Motivational Interviewing



ASST. PROF. DR AHMAD NABIL BIN MD ROSLI
Area of Interest:
Psychospiritual, Culture and Health



ASST. PROF. DR ROZANIZAM ZAKARIA
Area of Interest:
Child & Adolescent Psychiatry



ASST. PROF. DR NADZIRAH BINTI AHMAD BASRI
Area of Interest:
Clinical psychology, Spirituality, Developmental Disorder



ASST. PROF. DR FAUZH RAHIMAH MOHD ALI
Area of Interest:
Psychosocial Rehabilitation



ASST. PROF. DR HIJAZ BIN HAJI RIDZWAN
Area of Interest:
General psychiatry, Addiction Psychiatry



ASST. PROF. DR AFIDATUL HANIM BINTI ABDUL RAZAK
Area of Interest:
Child & Adolescent Psychiatry



ASST. PROF. DR MAR'AIN BINTI AHMAD DANI
Area of Interest:
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ASST. PROF. DR HALIMAH BINTI HANIZAM
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General Psychiatry



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