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## Government Notices

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**MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

No. 142 2008

**REGULATIONS RELATING TO DIPLOMA COURSE IN DERMATOLOGY:  
NURSING ACT, 2004**

The Minister of Health and Social Services, under section 59 of the Nursing Act, 2004 (Act No. 8 of 2004), on the recommendation of the Nursing Council of Namibia, has made the regulations set out in the Schedule.

**R.N. KAMWI****MINISTER OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

Windhoek, 4 June 2008

**SCHEDULE****Definitions**

**1.** In these regulations, unless the context otherwise indicates, a word or expression defined in the Act has that meaning, and -

“academic year” means a period of not less than 44 weeks in any calendar year within which a part of the course of study must be completed by any person who registers for the course of study;

“course” means a program of education, tuition and training approved by the Council under section 16(4)(a) of the Act, leading to the Advanced Diploma in Dermatology;

“dermatology” means that branch of medicine concerned with the study of the skin, diseases of the skin and the relationship of cutaneous lesions to systematic diseases, and the treatment of such diseases and lesions;

“educational institution” means an educational institution referred to in section 16(2) of the Act, and includes a person referred to in that section;

“nurse and midwife” means any person registered under the Act as a nurses and midwife;  
and

“the Act” means the Nursing Act, 2004 (Act No. 8 of 2004).

**Conditions for approval of educational institution**

2. (1) The Council may approve, under section 16(4)(a) of the Act and subject to subregulations (2) and (3), an educational institution, if -

- (a) the Council is satisfied that the program of education, tuition, training and examination that the educational institution intends to offer in relation to the course, complies with the minimum requirements of the curriculum and the standards of education, tuition, training and examination prescribed by these regulations;
- (b) the educational institution has furnished to the Council all the information required by the Council for the purpose of considering the application submitted to the Council;
- (c) the organisational structure and the facilities of the educational institution for the purpose of presenting the course are satisfactory in the opinion of the Council;
- (d) the curriculum, including the system of continuous assessment relating to theory and clinical training, is satisfactory in the opinion of the Council;
- (e) the facilities available for clinical training are satisfactory in the opinion of the Council;
- (f) the person in charge of the of the education, tuition and training is registered as a nurse and midwife;
- (g) not less than one person registered as a nurse and midwife is on duty at the educational institution at all times when the clinical training is presented; and
- (h) all the members of the nursing staff who presents clinical training are registered nurses and registered midwives.

(2) If the Council is of the opinion that the educational institution which applied for the written approval of the Council in accordance with section 16(2) of the Act does not fully comply with the minimum prescribed requirements and conditions, but that such non compliance will not substantially affect the standard of the education, tuition and training to be offered in relation to the course, the Council may approve the educational institution to offer the education, tuition and training for a period not exceeding six months, subject to such conditions as the Council may determine under section 16(6) of the Act.

(3) If the period for which an educational institution has been authorised by the Council prescribed by subregulation (2) expires, and if the educational institution still not complies with the minimum prescribed requirements, the Council may extend, on good cause shown, the approval by a period not exceeding six months, and subject to such conditions, as the Council may determine.

**Requirements for admission of student to course**

3. (1) A person who intends to register for the course as a student must apply to the approved educational institution, in the form determined by that educational institution, for admission to the course.

(2) An application in accordance with subregulation (1) must be accompanied by proof that the applicant is registered with the Council as a nurse and midwife.

#### **Duration of course**

4. The course referred to in regulation 3 must extend over a period of one academic year and must be attended full-time by the person who registered for the course.

#### **Objectives of course**

5. The objective of the course is to teach and train, relating to dermatology and for the purpose of the treatment of a patient, a person registered as a nurse and midwife -

- (a) to assess a patient's general condition and to diagnose the dermatological ailments the patient is suffering from;
- (b) to administer safe medicines and drugs, and to correctly use and apply the equipment, available for the purpose of such treatment;
- (c) to understand the purpose of the equipment referred to in paragraph (b) and to maintain such equipment; and
- (d) to have an ethical outlook to patient management and to work efficiently with limited resources.

#### **Subjects to be passed**

6. The course referred to in regulation 3 must consist of the following subjects:

General Dermatology  
 Sexually Transmitted Diseases  
 Human Immunodeficiency Virus  
 Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome  
 Leprosy  
 Research Methodology  
 Pharmacology  
 Anatomy and Physiology  
 Management Principles  
 Primary Health Care  
 Health Education  
 Ethical Principles and Professional Practice

#### **Curriculum**

7. The minimum tuition and training which must be provided in respect of each of the subjects prescribed by regulation 6 are the following:

<b>Subject</b>	<b>Hours of Tuition and Training:</b>	
	<b>Theory</b>	<b>Practice</b>
(a) General Dermatology	190	300
(b) Sexually Transmitted Diseases, Human Immunodeficiency Virus and Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome	50	100

(c) Leprosy	60	120
(d) Research Methodology	50	140
(e) Pharmacology	120	50
(f) Anatomy and Physiology	70	20
(g) Management Principles	30	50
(h) Primary Health Care	50	50
(i) Health Education	20	50
(j) Ethical Principles and Professional Practice	50	

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**MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

No. 143

2008

REGULATIONS RELATING TO THE MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS OF STUDY  
FOR REGISTRATION AS NURSE OR AS MIDWIFE : NURSING ACT, 2004

The Minister of Health and Social Services, under section 59 of the Nursing Act, 2004 (Act No. 8 of 2004), read with section 18(1) of that Act, and on the recommendation of the Nursing Council, has -

- (a) made the regulations set out in the Schedule; and
- (b) repealed the regulations made under Government Notice No. 193 of 7 August 2000.

**R.N. KAMWI**  
**MINISTER OF**  
**HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

Windhoek, 4 June 2008

SCHEDULE

**Definitions**

1. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise indicates, a word or expression defined in the Act has that meaning, and -

“midwife” includes an accoucheur; and

“the Act” means the Nursing Act, 2004 (Act No. 8 of 2004).

PART I  
REGISTERED NURSES AND REGISTERED MIDWIVES

**Minimum qualifications required for registration as a nurse**

2. Subject to compliance with all the other requirements prescribed by the Act the following are requirements for registration as a nurse -

- (a) a four year Bachelors Degree in Nursing Sciences (Clinical); or
- (b) a three year Bachelor Degree of Nursing Sciences (Advanced practice)
  - (i) Community Health Nursing Science;

- (ii) Health Services Management; or
- (c) a four year Diploma in Comprehensive Nursing and Midwifery Science;  
or
- (d) a three and a half year Diploma in General Nursing and Midwifery,

obtained at the University of Namibia or any other educational institution approved by the Council for such purpose, after the successful full-time education, tuition and training at that university or educational institution for the period of time prescribed by paragraphs (a), (b) or (c), respectively, entitles the holder thereof to registration as a nurse under the Act.

### **Minimum qualifications required for registration as a midwife**

**3.** (1) Subject to compliance with all the other requirements prescribed by the Act the following are minimum qualifications required for registration as a midwife -

- (a) a four year Diploma in Comprehensive Nursing and Midwifery Science;  
or
- (b) a three and a half year Diploma in General Nursing and Midwifery; or
- (c) subject to subregulation (2), a one year Diploma in Midwifery,

obtained at the University of Namibia or any other educational institution approved by the Council for such purpose, after the successful full-time tuition and training at that university for the period of time prescribed by paragraphs (a), (b) or (c), respectively, entitles the holder thereof to registration as a midwife under the Act.

(2) A person who holds the qualification prescribed by paragraph (c) of subregulation (1) may be registered as a midwife, only if that person is registered as a nurse under the Act.

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## **MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

No. 144

2008

### **REGULATIONS RELATING TO MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS OF STUDY FOR REGISTRATION AS ORAL HYGIENIST: MEDICAL AND DENTAL ACT, 2004**

The Minister of Health and Social Services has, under section 59 of the Medical and Dental Act, 2004 (Act No. 10 of 2004), read with section 18(1) of that Act, and on the recommendation of the Medical and Dental Council -

- (a) made the regulations set out in the Schedule; and
- (b) repealed Government Notice No. R2359 of 3 December 1976.

**R.N. KAMWI**  
**MINISTER OF HEALTH**  
**AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

Windhoek, 4 June 2008

## SCHEDULE

**Definitions**

1. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise indicates, a word or expression defined in the Act has that meaning, and -

“qualification,” as specified in ANNEXURE A, means a diploma in oral hygiene; and  
“the Act” means the Medical and Dental Act, 2004 (Act No. 10 of 2004).

**Period of study**

2. The period of study for the purposes of qualifying as oral hygienist may not be less than two academic years.

**Qualifications for registration as oral hygienist**

3. (1) Subject to compliance with all the other requirements prescribed by the Act, any qualification prescribed in ANNEXURE A entitles the holder thereof to register as oral hygienist under the Act.

(2) Any person who is not the holder of a qualification prescribed in ANNEXURE A, but holds a qualification in oral hygiene awarded to him or her by an educational institution or other examining authority, acceptable to the Council, after the successful full-time study for a period of not less than two academic years at that educational institution or other examining authority, during which period of time he or she completed the curriculum prescribed in ANNEXURE B, is entitled to register as oral hygienist, subject to compliance with all the other requirements prescribed by the Act.

**ANNEXURE A**  
(Regulation 3(1))

QUALIFICATIONS ENTITLING THE HOLDER THEREOF FOR REGISTRATION  
AS ORAL HYGIENIST

<b>Qualification</b>	<b>Educational Institution or other examining authority</b>	<b>City and Country</b>
Diploma in Oral Hygiene	University of Pretoria	Pretoria, South Africa
Diploma in Oral Hygiene	University of Limpopo	Pretoria, South Africa
Diploma in Oral Hygiene	University of Stellenbosch	Stellenbosch, South Africa
Diploma in Oral Hygiene	University of the Western Cape	Cape Town, South Africa
Diploma in Oral Hygiene	University of the Witwatersrand	Johannesburg, South Africa
Diploma in Oral Hygiene	University of Durban Westville	Durban, South Africa

Diploma in Oral Hygiene	Medical University of Southern Africa	Pretoria South Africa
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**ANNEXURE B**

(Regulation 3(2))

THE MINIMUM CURRICULUM FOR OBTAINING QUALIFICATION  
ENTITLING A PERSON TO REGISTER AS ORAL HYGIENIST

<b>Subject</b>	<b>Total Hours of tuition and training</b>
Clinical Practice	900
Oral Diseases and Prevention	700
Introduction to Clinical Practice	150
Academic Literacy for Oral Health	100
Applied Dental Practice	150
Oral Health Promotion	500
Health, Development and Primary Health Care	50
Interdisciplinary Health Promotion	100
Radiography	150
Local Anaesthesia and Oral Surgery	100
Special Patient Care	150
Measurement of Health and Disease	100
Community Oral Health	50
Ethics and Practice Management	50
Health Systems	50
Applied Research	200

**MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

No. 145

2008

REGULATIONS RELATING TO REGISTRATION OF ORAL HYGIENISTS,  
MAINTAINING OF REGISTERS OF ORAL HYGIENISTS AND RESTORATION  
OF NAME TO REGISTER: MEDICAL AND DENTAL ACT, 2004

The Minister of Health and Social Services has, under section 59 of the Medical and Dental Act, 2004 (Act No. 10 of 2004), read with section 25 of that Act, and on the recommendation of the Medical and Dental Council of Namibia, made the regulations set out in the Schedule.

**R.N. KAMWI**  
**MINISTER OF HEALTH**  
**AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

Windhoek 4 June 2008

SCHEDULE

ARRANGEMENT OF REGULATIONS  
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PART I  
PRELIMINARY

**Definitions**

1. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise indicates, a word or expression defined in the Act has that meaning, and -

“certified” means certified as a true copy of the original by a commissioner of oaths appointed under section 5, or designated under section 6, of the Justices of the Peace and Commissioners of Oaths Act, 1963 (Act No. 16 of 1963); and

“the Act” means the Medical and Dental Act, 2004 (Act No. 10 of 2004).

PART II  
REGISTRATION OF ORAL HYGIENISTS

**Application for registration as oral hygienist**

2. (1) An application for the registration of a person as oral hygienist under section 19 of the Act must be accompanied, in addition to the documents, particulars and payments specified in subsection (2) of that section, by -

- (a) a certified copy of the identity document or passport of the applicant; and
- (b) if the qualification upon which the applicant relies for registration as oral hygienist is a qualification referred to in section 21(1)(a) of the Act, the original certificate of registration to practise as oral hygienist in the country where the applicant obtained the qualification, issued by the relevant registration authority of that country.

(2) If the applicant referred to in paragraph (b) of subregulation (1) is not registered with the registration authority referred to in that paragraph, he or she must submit to the registrar, together with his or her application for registration -

- (a) a certificate, issued by that registration authority, certifying that the qualification or qualifications of which the applicant is the holder, entitles him or her to registration as oral hygienist in that country; or

- (b) if he or she had been so registered previously, a certificate issued by that registration authority, specifying that the applicant had been so registered previously, that his or her name had been removed from the register and the grounds for such removal.

(3) The Council may require the applicant to furnish proof, in such manner as the Council may determine, of the applicant's proficiency in the English language.

#### **Additional examinations**

3. (1) An additional examination referred to in section 21(1)(b)(ii) of the Act, in respect of a person referred to in that section, must consist of written or oral or practical examinations, or of written oral and practical examinations, in such disciplines as the Council may specify for the purpose of determining whether that person possesses the knowledge, skills and competence required for registration as oral hygienist under section 20 of the Act.

(2) The Council may appoint, subject to such conditions as it may determine, suitable persons to conduct the examinations referred to in subregulation (1).

#### **Additional education, tuition and training**

4. (1) When registering a person conditionally under section 21(2)(a) of the Act, the Council must determine, the additional education, tuition or training, to be undertaken by the person so conditionally registered in order for him or her to qualify for registration as oral hygienist.

(2) Particulars of the additional education, tuition or training, determined by the Council under subregulation (1), must be endorsed upon the certificate of conditional registration issued by the Council, under section 21(2)(b) of the Act, in the name of the person registered conditionally.

### **PART III**

#### **REGISTERS AND RESTORATION OF NAME TO REGISTER**

##### **Register of oral hygienists**

5. The register of oral hygienists established and kept in accordance with subsection (2) of section 23 of the Act, must contain, in addition to the particulars specified by subsection (3) of that section, particulars of any change in any of the particulars recorded in the register.

##### **Restoration of name to register**

6. An application in accordance with section 25 of the Act for the restoration of the name of a person to a register, in addition to the documentation referred to in subsection (2) of that section, must be accompanied by -

- (a) the original registration certificate issued under section 20(4)(b) of the Act in the name of the applicant, or if for any reason the original certificate cannot be submitted, proof to the satisfaction of the Council that the applicant was so registered; and
- (b) a copy of the identity document or the passport of the applicant, duly certified by a commissioner of oaths as a true copy of the original.

PART IV  
GENERAL

**Language of forms and documents**

7. (1) Subject to subregulation (2), any form or document required to be submitted to the Council or to the registrar in terms of these regulations must be, in the English language.

(2) Any form or document referred to in subregulation (1) that is not in the English language must be accompanied by a translation thereof into that language, acceptable to the Council.

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**MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

No. 146

2008

REGULATIONS RELATING TO THE ALLOWANCES PAYABLE BY THE  
NURSING COUNCIL OF NAMIBIA :THE NURSING ACT, 2004

The Minister of Health and Social Services, under section 59 of the Nursing Act, 2004 (Act No. 8 of 2004) and on the recommendation of the Nursing Council of Namibia, has made the regulations set out in the Schedule.

SCHEDULE

**Definitions**

1. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise indicates, a word or expression defined in the Act has that meaning, and -

“Council” includes the Nursing Council of Namibia established under section 63 of the Act;

“examiner” means any member of the Council involved in the conducting of any examination or evaluation in accordance with the Act; and

“the Act” means the Nursing Act, 2004 (Act No. 7 of 2004).

**Allowances payable to members of the Council and of Committees in respect of the attendance of meetings**

2. The following allowances are payable to a member of the Council or of a committee of the Council for services rendered by that member for or on behalf of the Council or of a committee of the Council:

Allowances payable

(a) Attending Council Meeting or Committee Meeting :

(i) allowances payable to the president  
or to the member acting as chairperson  
at the meeting :

N\$ 750

- |   |  |                     |
|---|--|---------------------|
| (ii)  | allowances payable to any member other than the president or the member acting as chairperson at the meeting :   | N\$ 500             |
| (b) Allowances payable to a member of the Council or of a committee in respect of travelling expenses incurred for the purpose of attending a meeting :   |  |                     |
| (i)   | Travelling by motor vehicle from his or her place of permanent residence to the venue of the meeting, and returning to his or her place of permanent residence :   |                     |
|   | (aa) If a member resides 25 kilometres or less from the venue where the meeting is conducted, no travelling allowances are payable;  |                     |
| (ii)  | If a member resides more than 25 kilometres from the venue where the meeting is conducted, the following allowances are payable in respect of travelling to and from the venue where the meeting is conducted :  | N\$ 3 per kilometre |
| (iii)   | Travelling by air from his or her permanent place of residence to the venue of the meeting, and returning to his or her place of residence, subject thereto that the Council approves in writing such travelling by air and other expenses incurred by the member: |                     |
| (c) Allowances payable to a member in respect of accommodation and subsistence, in the event of attending the meeting, having to stay overnight in or at the city or town where the meeting is conducted: |  |                     |
|   |  | N\$500<br>per night |

**Allowances payable to members of the Council acting as examiners or moderators**

**3.** The following allowances are payable by the Council to members of the Council who act as examiners or moderators in connection with examinations and evaluations conducted by the Council in accordance with the Act :

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|-----|---|--------|
| (a) | Preparing and setting of written examination paper for theoretical examination or evaluation :<br>Per paper : | N\$500 |
| (b) | Moderating of examination paper referred to in paragraph (a) : Per paper :                                    | N\$400 |
| (e) | Preparation for practical examination or evaluation :<br>Per examination or evaluation :                      | N\$500 |

(d)	Conducting of practical examination or evaluation : Per hour :	N\$250
(e)	Invigilating of written examination : Per hour :	N\$100
(f)	Marking of written examination answers and scripts : Per paper or script :	N\$100
(g)	Moderating of examination answers or scripts referred in paragraph (f) : Per paper or script :	N\$100
(h)	Conducting of oral examinations : Per hour :	N\$250
(i)	Re-grading of examination answers or script : Per paper or script :	N\$500

#### **Payment of allowances**

4. (1) A member entitled to receive an allowance in accordance with these regulations must submit to the Council a claim form relating to such allowance, duly completed and, signed by him or her, and accompanied by such vouchers and other documents as the Council may determine.

(2) A claim submitted to the Council in accordance with subregulation (1) must be in such form as the Council may determine and furnish to the member submitting the claim.

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### **MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

No. 147

2008

#### **REGULATIONS RELATING TO THE ALLOWANCES PAYABLE BY THE PHARMACY COUNCIL OF NAMIBIA :THE PHARMACY ACT, 2004**

The Minister of Health and Social Services, under section 66 of the Pharmacy Act, 2004 (Act No. 9 of 2004) and on the recommendation of the Pharmacy Council of Namibia, has:

- (a) made the regulations set out in the Schedule; and
- (b) withdrawn Government Notice No. 120 of 24 May 1996.

#### **SCHEDULE**

#### **Definitions**

1. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise indicates, a word or expression defined in the Act has that meaning, and -

“examiner” means any member of the Council or of any committee involved in the conducting of any examination or evaluation in accordance with the Act; and

“the Act” means the Pharmacy Act, 2004 (Act No. 9 of 2004).

**Allowances payable to members of the Council and of Committees in respect of the attendance of meetings**

2. The following allowances are payable to a member of the Council or of a committee of the Council for services rendered by that member for or on behalf of the Council or of a committee of the Council:

**Allowances payable**

- (a) Attending Council Meeting or Committee Meeting :
- (i) allowances payable to the president or to the member acting as chairperson at the meeting : N\$ 750
  - (ii) allowances payable to any member other than the president or the member acting as chairperson at the meeting : N\$ 500
- (b) Allowances payable to a member of the Council or of a committee in respect of travelling expenses incurred for the purpose of attending a meeting :
- (i) Travelling by motor vehicle from his or her place of permanent residence to the venue of the meeting, and returning to his or her place of permanent residence :
    - (aa) If a member resides 25 kilometres or less from the venue where the meeting is conducted, no travelling allowances are payable;
    - (ii) If a member resides more than 25 kilometres from the venue where the meeting is conducted, the following allowances are payable in respect of travelling to and from the venue where the meeting is conducted : N\$ 3 per kilometre
    - (iii) Travelling by air from his or her place of permanent residence to the venue of the meeting, and returning to his or her place of permanent residence subject thereto that the Council approves in writing such travelling by air and other expenses incurred by the member:
- (c) Allowances payable to a member in respect of accommodation and subsistence, in the event of attending the meeting, having to stay overnight in or at the city or town where the meeting is conducted : N\$500 per night

**Allowances payable to members of the Council or of committees acting as examiners or moderators**

3. The following allowances are payable by the Council to a member of the Council or of a committee who acts as an examiner or as a moderator in connection with an examination or evaluation conducted by the Council in accordance with the Act :

- |     |   |        |
|-----|---|--------|
| (a) | Preparing and setting of written examination paper for theoretical examination or evaluation :<br>Per paper : | N\$500 |
| (b) | Moderating of examination paper referred to in paragraph (a) : Per paper :                                    | N\$400 |
| (c) | Preparation for practical examination or evaluation :<br>Per examination or evaluation :                      | N\$500 |
| (d) | Conducting of practical examination or evaluation :<br>Per hour :   | N\$250 |
| (e) | Invigilating of written examination : Per hour :  | N\$100 |
| (f) | Marking of written examination answers and scripts :<br>Per paper or script :                                 | N\$100 |
| (g) | Moderating of examination answers or scripts referred in paragraph (f) : Per paper or script :                | N\$100 |
| (h) | Conducting of oral examinations : Per hour :  | N\$250 |
| (i) | Re-grading of examination answers or script :<br>Per paper or script :  | N\$500 |

**Inspection fees**

4. The following allowances are payable by the Council to a member of the Council or of a committee who conducts, on the written instructions of the Council, an inspection of a pharmacy in accordance with, or for the purposes of, any provision of the Act :

- |     |  |                  |
|-----|--|------------------|
| (a) | inspection fee :   | N\$500           |
| (b) | travelling expenses incurred by the person inspecting the pharmacy, from his or her place of permanent residence or of employment to the pharmacy inspected, and back to his or her place of permanent residence or employment, calculated in accordance with the tariffs determined by the Automobile Association of Namibia; |                  |
| (c) | Allowances payable to a member in respect of accommodation and subsistence, in the event of the member, for the purpose of inspecting a pharmacy, having to stay overnight in or at the city or town where the inspection is to be conducted :   | N\$500 per night |

**Payment of allowances**

5. (1) A member entitled to receive an allowance in accordance with these regulations must submit to the Council a claim form relating to such allowance, duly completed and signed by him or her, and accompanied by such vouchers and other documents as the Council may determine.

(2) A claim submitted to the Council in accordance with subregulation (1) must be in such form as the Council may determine and furnish to the member submitting the claim.

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**MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

No. 148

2008

REGULATIONS RELATING TO THE ALLOWANCES PAYABLE BY THE  
ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONS COUNCIL OF NAMIBIA UNDER THE  
ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT, 2004

The Minister of Health and Social Services on the recommendation of the Interim Allied Health Professions Council of Namibia under section 55 of the Allied Health Professions Act, 2004 (Act No. 7 of 2004), has made the regulations set out in the Schedule.

**SCHEDULE****Definitions**

1. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise indicates, a word or expression defined in the Act has that meaning, and -

“Council” includes the Interim Allied Health Professions Council of Namibia established under section 59 of the Act;

“examiner” means any member of the Council involved in the conducting of any examination or evaluation in accordance with the Act; and

“the Act” means the Allied Health Professions Act, 2004 (Act No. 7 of 2004).

**Allowances payable to members of the Council and of Committees in respect of the attendance of meetings**

2. The following allowances are payable to a member of the Council or of a committee of the Council for services rendered by that member for or on behalf of the Council or of a committee of the Council:

**Allowances payable**

(a) Attending Council Meeting or Committee Meeting

(i) allowances payable to the president  
or to the member acting as chairperson  
at the meeting :

N\$ 750



- |  |  |                     |
|--|--|---------------------|
| (ii)   | allowances payable to any member other than the president or the member acting as chairperson at the meeting :   | N\$ 500             |
| (b) Allowances payable to a member of the Council or of a committee in respect of travelling expenses incurred for the purpose of attending a meeting:   |  |                     |
| (i)  | Travelling by motor vehicle from his or her place of permanent residence to the venue of the meeting, and returning to his or her place of permanent residence:  |                     |
|  | (aa) If a member resides 25 kilometres or less from the venue where the meeting is conducted, no travelling allowances are payable;  |                     |
| (ii)   | If a member resides more than 25 kilometres from the venue where the meeting is conducted, the following allowances are payable in respect of travelling to and from the venue where the meeting is conducted :  | N\$ 3 per kilometre |
| (iii)  | Travelling by air from his or her permanent place of residence to the venue of the meeting, and returning to his or her place of residence, subject thereto that the Council approves in writing such travelling by air and other expenses incurred by the member: |                     |
| (c) Allowances payable to a member in respect of accommodation and subsistence, in the event of attending the meeting, having to stay overnight in or at the city or town where the meeting is conducted : |  |                     |
|  |  | N\$500 per night    |

**Allowances payable to members of the Council acting as examiners or moderators**

3. The following allowances are payable by the Council to members of the Council who acts as examiners or moderators in connection with examinations and evaluations conducted by the Council in accordance with the Act :

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| (a) | Preparing and setting of written examination paper for theoretical examination or evaluation :<br>Per paper : | N\$500 |
| (b) | Moderating of examination paper referred to in paragraph (a) : Per paper :                                    | N\$400 |
| (c) | Preparation for practical examination or evaluation :<br>Per examination or evaluation :                      | N\$500 |

(d)	Conducting of practical examination or evaluation : Per hour :	N\$250
(e)	Invigilating of written examination : Per hour :	N\$100
(f)	Marking of written examination answers and scripts : Per paper or script :	N\$100
(g)	Moderating of examination answers or scripts referred in paragraph (f) : Per paper or script :	N\$100
(h)	Conducting of oral examinations : Per hour :	N\$250
(i)	Re-grading of examination answers or script : Per paper or script :	N\$500

#### **Payment of allowances**

4. (1) A member entitled to receive an allowance in accordance with these regulations must submit to the Council a claim form relating to such allowance, duly completed and signed by him or her, and accompanied by such vouchers and other documents as the Council may determine.

(2) A claim submitted to the Council in accordance with subregulation (1) must be in such form as the Council may determine and furnish to the member submitting the claim.

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### **MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

No. 149

2008

#### **REGULATIONS RELATING TO THE MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS OF STUDY FOR REGISTRATION AS AN OCULARIST: ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT, 2004**

The Minister of Health and Social Services, under section 55 of the Allied Health Professions Act, 2004 (Act No. 7 of 2004), read with section 19(1) of that Act, and on the recommendation of the Interim Allied Health Professions Council of Namibia, has made the regulations set out in the Schedule.

#### **SCHEDULE**

##### **Definitions**

1. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise indicates, a word or expression defined in the Act has that meaning, and -

“ocular practice” means the premises where an ocularist conducts a practice or practises his or her profession;

“student ocularist” means a person registered as such under the Act;

“the Act” means the Allied Health Professions Act, 2004 (Act No. 7 of 2004).

**Minimum requirements of study for registration as an ocularist**

2. Subject to compliance with the other requirements prescribed by or under the Act, the minimum requirements referred to in section 19(1) of the Act, insofar as such minimum requirements apply to the registration of any person as an ocularist, are -

- (a) a senior certificate, on IGCSE level or on HIGSE level, or a qualification regarded by the Council to be the equivalent of the certificate, which certificate or qualification must include Mathematics or Physical Science on that level; and
- (b) the successful training as a student ocularist for a period of not less than six thousand hours at an ocular practice, in such manner as may be prescribed and under the direct supervision of an ocularist, approved by the Council in writing for such purpose.

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**MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

No. 150

2008

**REGULATIONS RELATING TO THE ALLOWANCES PAYABLE BY THE  
MEDICAL AND DENTAL COUNCIL OF NAMIBIA :THE MEDICAL AND  
DENTAL ACT, 2004**

The Minister of Health and Social Services, under section 59 of the Medical and Dental Act, 2004 (Act No. 10 of 2004) and on the recommendation of the Interim Medical and Dental Council of Namibia, has made the regulations set out in the Schedule.

**SCHEDULE****Definitions**

1. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise indicates, a word or expression defined in the Act has that meaning, and -

“Council” includes the Interim Medical and Dental Council of Namibia established under section 63 of the Act;

“examiner” means any member of the Council involved in the conducting of any examination or evaluation in accordance with the Act;

“the Act” means the Medical and Dental Act, 2004 (Act No. 10 of 2004).

**Allowances payable to members of the Council and of Committees in respect of the attendance of meetings**

2. The following allowances are payable to a member of the Council or of a committee of the Council for services rendered by that member for or on behalf of the Council or of a committee of the Council:

**Allowances payable**

- (a) Attending Council Meeting or Committee Meeting :
- (i) allowances payable to the president or to the member acting as chairperson at the meeting : N\$ 750
- (ii) allowances payable to any member other than the president or the member acting as chairperson at the meeting : N\$ 500
- (b) Allowances payable to a member of the Council or of a committee in respect of travelling expenses incurred for the purpose of attending a meeting :
- (i) Travelling by motor vehicle from his or her place of permanent residence to the venue of the meeting, and returning to his or her place of permanent residence :
- (aa) If a member resides 25 kilometres or less from the venue where the meeting is conducted, no travelling allowances are payable;
- (ii) If a member resides more than 25 kilometres from the venue where the meeting is conducted, the following allowances are payable in respect of travelling to and from the venue where the meeting is conducted : N\$ 3 per kilometre
- (iii) Travelling by air from his or her permanent place of residence to the venue of the meeting, and returning to his or her place of residence, subject thereto that the Council approves in writing such travelling by air and other expenses incurred by the member:
- (c) Allowances payable to a member in respect of accommodation and subsistence, in the event of attending the meeting, having to stay overnight in or at the city or town where the meeting is conducted : N\$500 per night

**Allowances payable to members of the Council acting as examiners or moderators**

3. The following allowances are payable by the Council to members of the Council who acts as examiners or moderators in connection with examinations and evaluations conducted by the Council in accordance with the Act :

- (a) Preparing and setting of written examination paper for theoretical examination or evaluation :  
Per paper : N\$500

(b)	Moderating of examination paper referred to in paragraph (a) : Per paper :	N\$400
(c)	Preparation for practical examination or evaluation : Per examination or evaluation :	N\$500
(d)	Conducting of practical examination or evaluation : Per hour :	N\$250
(e)	Invigilating of written examination : Per hour :	N\$100
(f)	Marking of written examination answers and scripts : Per paper or script :	N\$100
(g)	Moderating of examination answers or scripts referred in paragraph (f) : Per paper or script :	N\$100
(h)	Conducting of oral examinations : Per hour :	N\$250
(i)	Re-grading of examination answers or script : Per paper or script :	N\$500

#### **Payment of allowances**

4. (1) A member entitled to receive an allowance in accordance with these regulations must submit to the Council a claim form relating to such allowance, duly completed and signed by him or her, and accompanied by such vouchers and other documents as the Council may determine.

(2) A claim submitted to the Council in accordance with subregulation (1) must be in such form as the Council may determine and furnish to the member submitting the claim.

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### **MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

No. 151

2008

#### **REGULATIONS RELATING TO THE ALLOWANCES PAYABLE BY THE SOCIAL WORK AND PSYCHOLOGY COUNCIL OF NAMIBIA: THE SOCIAL WORK AND PSYCHOLOGY ACT, 2004**

The Minister of Health and Social Services, under section 56 of the Social Work and Psychology Act, 2004 (Act No. 6 of 2004) and on the recommendation of the Interim Social Work and Psychology Council of Namibia, has made the regulations set out in the Schedule.

#### **SCHEDULE**

##### **Definitions**

1. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise indicates, a word or expression defined in the Act has that meaning, and -

“Council” includes the Interim Social Work and Psychology Council of Namibia established under section 60 of the Act;

“examiner” means any member of the Council involved in the conducting of any examination or evaluation in accordance with the Act; and

“the Act” means the Social Work and Psychology Act, 2004 (Act No. 6 of 2004).

**Allowances payable to members of the Council and of Committees in respect of the attendance of meetings**

2. The following allowances are payable to a member of the Council or of a committee of the Council for services rendered by that member for or on behalf of the Council or of a committee of the Council:

**Allowances payable**

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|-----|--|---------------------|
| (a) | Attending Council Meeting or Committee Meeting :   |                     |
|     | (i) allowances payable to the president or to the member acting as chairperson at the meeting :  | N\$ 750             |
|     | (ii) allowances payable to any member other than the president or the member acting as chairperson at the meeting :  | N\$ 500             |
| (b) | Allowances payable to a member of the Council or of a committee in respect of travelling expenses incurred for the purpose of attending a meeting :  |                     |
|     | (i) Travelling by motor vehicle from his or her place of permanent residence to the venue of the meeting, and returning to his or her place of permanent residence :   |                     |
|     | (aa) If a member resides 25 kilometres or less from the venue where the meeting is conducted, no travelling allowances are payable;  |                     |
|     | (ii) If a member resides more than 25 kilometres from the venue where the meeting is conducted, the following allowances are payable in respect of travelling to and from the venue where the meeting is conducted :   | N\$ 3 per kilometre |
|     | (iii) Travelling by air from his or her permanent place of residence to the venue of the meeting, and returning to his or her place of residence, subject thereto that the Council approves in writing such travelling by air and other expenses incurred by the member: |                     |
| (c) | Allowances payable to a member in respect of accommodation and subsistence, in the event of attending the meeting, having to stay overnight in or at the city or town where the meeting is conducted :   | N\$500 per night    |

**Allowances payable to members of the Council acting as examiners or moderators**

3. The following allowances are payable by the Council to members of the Council who act as examiners or moderators in connection with examinations and evaluations conducted by the Council in accordance with the Act :

(a)	Preparing and setting of written examination paper for theoretical examination or evaluation : Per paper :	N\$500
(b)	Moderating of examination paper referred to in paragraph (a) : Per paper :	N\$400
(c)	Preparation for practical examination or evaluation : Per examination or evaluation :	N\$500
(d)	Conducting of practical examination or evaluation : Per hour :	N\$250
(e)	Invigilating of written examination : Per hour :	N\$100
(f)	Marking of written examination answers and scripts : Per paper or script :	N\$100
(g)	Moderating of examination answers or scripts referred in paragraph (f) : Per paper or script :	N\$100
(h)	Conducting of oral examinations : Per hour :	N\$250
(i)	Re-grading of examination answers or script : Per paper or script :	N\$500

**Payment of allowances**

4. (1) A member entitled to receive an allowance in accordance with these regulations must submit to the Council a claim form relating to such allowance, duly completed and signed by him or her, and accompanied by such vouchers and other documents as the Council may determine.

(2) A claim submitted to the Council in accordance with subregulation (1) must be in such form as the Council may determine and furnish to the member submitting the claim.

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**MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

No. 152

2008

REGULATIONS RELATING TO THE MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS OF STUDY  
FOR REGISTRATION AS MEDICAL REHABILITATION WORKER:  
ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT, 2004

The Minister of Health and Social Services, under section 55 of the Allied Health Professions Act, 2004 (Act No. 7 of 2004), read with section 19(1) of that Act, and on

the recommendation of the Interim Allied Health Professions Council of Namibia, has made the regulations set out in the Schedule.

## SCHEDULE

### Definitions

1. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise indicates, a word or expression defined in the Act has that meaning, and -

“the Act” means the Allied Health Professions Act, 2004 (Act No. 7 of 2004).

### Minimum requirements of study for registration as a medical rehabilitation worker

2. The minimum requirements referred to in section 19(1) of the Act, insofar as such minimum requirements apply to the registration of any person as a medical rehabilitation worker, are a certificate in medical rehabilitation obtained at an educational institution after the full time study for a period of not less than two years at such educational institution, which study for such diploma must include -

<b>Subject</b>	<b>Minimum hours theoretical training</b>	<b>Minimum hours practical training</b>
Introduction to Primary Health Care, including Health and Development; the Concept of Primary Health Care; the Implementation of Primary Health Care in Namibia; the History of Health Care in Namibia; Community Health Assessment; and Integrated Health Care :	35	35
Health Education, including Health information, education, communication and motivation; Educational Techniques and Materials; Training Skills; and Conducting of Health Education :	40	10
Sociology, including the relevance of Sociology in Health and Health Care Delivery; Concepts of Sociology; Culture, Health and Illness; Human Development and Crisis Points; Sociology of Normal and Deviant Behaviour; Sociology of the Family and Community :	40	8
First Aid, including Managing of External Bleeding; Managing of Wounds, including Burns; Treatment of Shock; Managing of Fractures; Resuscitation Techniques;		



Managing of Unconscious Persons; Managing of Poisoning in Persons; Handling and Transportation of Injured Persons; Managing Emergency Deliveries :	10	30
Management, including the Introduction to Management; Planning of Health Care Activities and Resources; Organising Health Care Activities and Resources; Leadership and Supervisory Skills in Health Care; Controlling of Resources in Health Care; Monitoring and Evaluation of Health Care Activities in the Hospital, Health Centre, Clinic and Community; The Prosthetic and Orthotic Supply System :	30	30
Research Methods relating to Medical Rehabilitation Workers, including Managing of Existing Data, including the collection compilation, analyses, interpretation and use of Data :	25	25
Food and Nutrition relating to Medical Rehabilitation :	25	25
Basic Medical Sciences relating to Medical Rehabilitation :	113	27
Community Based Rehabilitation (Medical Rehabilitation) :	157	131
Psychology and Counselling relating to Medical Rehabilitation :	40	40
Respiratory Disorders and Appropriate Interventions :	35	65
Communication Disorders and Interventions for Children :	90	30
Child Development :	141	259
Basic Rehabilitation Skills and Directed Techniques :	193	217
Visual Disorders and the Training of People with Visual Disabilities :	80	31
Strange Behaviour in People and Appropriate Intervention :	65	35

Neuromuscular Disorders and Interventions :	189	81
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## MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

No. 153

2008

### REGULATIONS RELATING TO THE REGISTRATION OF MEDICAL REHABILITATION WORKERS, AND TO THE RESTORATION OF A NAME TO A REGISTER: THE ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT, 2004

The Minister of Health and Social Services, under section 55 of the Allied Health Professions Act, 2004 (Act No. 7 of 2004), read with sections 24 and 26 of that Act, and on the recommendation of the Interim Allied Health Professions Council of Namibia, has made the regulations set out in the Schedule.

#### SCHEDULE

#### ARRANGEMENT OF REGULATIONS

##### PART I DEFINITIONS

1. Definitions

##### PART II REGISTRATION OF MEDICAL REHABILITATION WORKERS

2. Application for registration as medical rehabilitation worker
3. Additional examinations
4. Additional education, tuition and training

##### PART III REGISTERS AND RESTORATION OF NAME TO REGISTER

5. Register of medical rehabilitation workers
6. Restoration of name to register

##### PART IV GENERAL

7. Language of forms and documents

##### PART I DEFINITIONS

#### **Definitions**

1. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise indicates, a word or expression defined in the Act has the same meaning, and -

“the Act” means the Allied Health Professions Act, 2004 (Act No. 7 of 2004).

PART II  
REGISTRATION OF MEDICAL REHABILITATION WORKERS

**Application for registration as a medical rehabilitation worker**

2. (1) An application for the registration of a person as a medical rehabilitation worker must be made in accordance with section 20 of the Act.

(2) An application referred to in subregulation (1) must be accompanied, in addition to the documents and particulars specified in section 20(2) of the Act, by -

- (a) a certified copy of the identity document or passport of the applicant;
- (b) if the qualification upon which the applicant relies for registration as a medical rehabilitation worker is a qualification referred to in section 22(1)(a) of the Act, the original certificate of registration to practise as a medical rehabilitation worker in the country where the applicant obtained the qualification, issued by the relevant registration authority of such country.

(3) If the applicant is not registered with the registration authority referred to in subregulation (2)(b) the applicant must submit, together with the application for registration -

(a) a certificate, issued by that registration authority, certifying that the qualification or qualifications of which the applicant is the holder, entitles him or her to registration as a medical rehabilitation worker in the country where the applicant obtained such qualification or qualifications; or

- (b) if the applicant had been registered previously, a certificate issued by that registration authority, specifying the reasons why the applicant is not registered any more,

(4) If the qualification upon which the applicant relies for registration has been awarded by an educational institution at which the medium of instruction is not the English language, the Council may require the applicant to provide, in such manner as the Council may determine, the Council with proof of the applicant's proficiency in the English language.

**Additional examinations**

3. (1) The additional examinations referred to in section 22(1)(b)(ii) of the Act must consist of written or oral or practical examinations, or of written and oral and practical examinations, in such disciplines as the Council may determine in respect of every person who is to be examined as required by that section, in order to determine whether that person possesses the knowledge, skills and competence required to be possessed by any person who holds the qualification prescribed under section 19(1) of the Act, and which prescribed qualification so held entitles a person to be registered as a medical rehabilitation worker under section 21 of the Act.

(2) The Council may appoint, subject to such conditions as it may determine, a suitable person or persons to conduct the examinations referred to in subregulation (1).

**Additional education, tuition and training**

4. (1) If the Council registers a person conditionally under subsection (2)(a) of section 22 of the Act, the Council must determine the additional education, tuition

or training, referred to in subsection (1)(b)(i) of that section of the Act, required by the person so conditionally registered before he or she may be registered as a medical rehabilitation worker under the Act.

(2) Particulars of additional education, tuition or training contemplated in subregulation (1) must be endorsed by the Council upon the certificate of conditional registration issued by the Council in the name of that person under section 22(2)(b) of the Act.

### PART III REGISTERS AND RESTORATION OF NAME TO REGISTER

#### **Register of medical rehabilitation workers**

5. The register of medical rehabilitation workers established and kept in accordance with subsection (2) of section 24 of the Act, must contain, in addition to the particulars specified by subsection (3) of that section, particulars of the specialities and additional qualifications entered against the name of the medical rehabilitation worker concerned in accordance with section 32(4) of the Act, including any change in any of the particulars recorded in the register.

#### **Restoration of name to register**

6. (1) Any person whose name has been removed from a register in accordance with section 25 of the Act and who wishes to have his or her name restored to such register in accordance with section 26 of the Act, must apply to the Council for such restoration in accordance with section 26(1) of the Act.

(2) An application referred to in subregulation (1) must comply with section 26(2) of the Act and with subregulation (3).

(3) The following documents must accompany an application referred to in subregulation (1):

- (a) the original registration certificate issued under section 21(4)(b) of the Act, or if for any reason the original certificate cannot be submitted, proof to the satisfaction of the Council that the applicant was so registered; and
- (b) a declaration by two medical rehabilitation workers confirming the identity and good character of the applicant in such form as the Council may determine.

### PART IV GENERAL

#### **Language of forms and documents**

7. (1) Any form or document required to be submitted to the Council or to the registrar in terms of these regulations must be, subject to subregulation (2), in the English language.

(2) Any form or document referred to in subregulation (1) that is not in the English language must be accompanied by a sworn translation of the form or document in English, which translation must be acceptable to the Council.

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**MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

No. 154

2008

**REGULATIONS RELATING TO THE REGISTRATION OF  
OCULARISTS AND STUDENT OCULARISTS AND TO THE  
RESTORATION OF A NAME TO A REGISTER:  
THE ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT, 2004**

The Minister of Health and Social Services, under section 55 of the Allied Health Professions Act, 2004 (Act No. 7 of 2004), read with sections 24 and 26 of that Act, and on the recommendation of the Interim Allied Health Professions Council of Namibia, has made the regulations set out in the Schedule.

**SCHEDULE****ARRANGEMENT OF REGULATIONS****PART I  
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1. Definitions

**PART II  
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2. Application for registration as ocularist
3. Additional examinations
4. Additional education, tuition and training

**PART III  
STUDENT OCULARISTS**

5. Registration and training of student ocularist before registration as ocularist
6. Period and manner of training by student ocularist and agreement of tuition and training
7. Cancellation or cession of tuition and training and change of name
8. Completion of tuition and training

**PART IV  
REGISTERS AND RESTORATION OF NAME TO REGISTER**

9. Register of ocularists
10. Register of student ocularists
11. Restoration of name to register

**PART V  
GENERAL**

12. Language of forms and documents

## ANNEXURE

PART I  
DEFINITIONS**Definitions**

1. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise indicates, a word or expression defined in the Act has that meaning, and -

“approved ocularist” means an ocularist approved by the Council for the purpose of the tuition and training of a student ocularist;

“ocular practice” means the premises where an ocularist conducts or practises his or her profession;

“student ocularist” means any person registered as such under the Act for the purpose of completing training as a student ocularist;

“the Act” means the Allied Health Professions Act, 2004 (Act No. 7 of 2004).

PART II  
REGISTRATION OF OCULARISTS**Application for registration as an ocularist**

2. (1) An application for the registration of a person as an ocularist must be made in accordance section 20 of the Act.

(2) An application referred to in subregulation (1) must be accompanied, in addition to the documents and particulars specified in section 20(2) of the Act, by -

- (a) a certified copy of the identity document or passport of the applicant;
- (b) a certificate issued by the Council in such form as the Council may determine, certifying that the applicant has passed the evaluation referred to in section 21(3) of the Act, if applicable; and
- (c) if the qualification upon which the applicant relies for registration as an ocularist is a qualification referred to in section 22(1)(a) of the Act, the original certificate of registration to practise as an ocularist in the country where the applicant obtained the qualification, issued by the relevant registration authority of such country.

(3) If the applicant is not registered with the registration authority referred to in subregulation (2)(c), the applicant must submit, together with his or her application for registration as an ocularist -

- (a) a certificate, issued by that registration authority, certifying that the qualification or qualifications of which the applicant is the holder, entitles him or her to registration as an ocularist in the country where the applicant obtained such qualification or qualifications; or
- (b) if the applicant had been registered previously, a certificate issued by that registration authority, specifying the reasons why the applicant is not registered any more.

(4) If the qualification upon which the applicant relies for registration has been awarded by an educational institution at which the medium of instruction is not the English language, the Council may require the applicant to provide, in such manner as the Council may determine, the Council with proof of the applicant's proficiency in the English language.

### **Additional examinations**

3. (1) The additional examinations referred to in section 22(1)(b)(ii) of the Act must consist of written or oral or practical examinations, or of written and oral and practical examinations, in such disciplines as the Council may determine in respect of every person who is to be examined as required by that section, to determine whether that person possesses the knowledge, skills and competence required to be possessed by any person who holds the qualification prescribed under section 19(1) of the Act, and which prescribed qualification so held entitles a person to be registered as an ocularist under section 21 of the Act.

(2) The Council may appoint, subject to such conditions as it may determine, a suitable person or persons to conduct the examinations referred to in subregulation (1).

### **Additional education, tuition and training**

4. (1) If the Council registers a person conditionally under subsection (2)(a) of section 22 of the Act, the Council must determine the additional education, tuition or training, referred to in subsection (1)(b)(i) of that section of the Act, required by the person so conditionally registered before he or she may be registered as an ocularist under the Act.

(3) Particulars of additional education, tuition or training referred to in subregulation (1) must be endorsed by the Council upon the certificate of conditional registration issued by the Council in the name of that person under section 22(2)(b) of the Act.

## PART III STUDENT OCULARIST

### **Registration and training of student ocularist before registration as ocularist**

5. (1) Any person who holds a senior certificate, on IGCSE level or on HIGSE level, or a qualification regarded by the Council to be the equivalent

thereof, which certificate or qualification must include Mathematics or Physical Science, must undertake, subject to subregulation (7), after obtaining such qualification and before he or she is entitled to registration as an ocularist, training as a student ocularist for the period of time and in the manner prescribed by regulation 6.

(2) An application for the registration of a person as a student ocularist must be made and be submitted to the registrar in such form as the Council may determine.

(3) An application form submitted to the registrar in accordance with subregulation (2) must be accompanied by -

- (a) a certificate, or a certified copy of the certificate acceptable to the Council, as proof that the applicant is the holder of a qualification referred to in subregulation (1);
- (b) if the applicant had been registered previously in a country other than Namibia as a student ocularist or as an ocularist, or is still so registered, a certificate of good standing from the registration authority with which the applicant had been so registered or is still so registered, which certificate must have been issued not more than 120 days before the date of the submission of the application for registration to the registrar in accordance with subregulation (2);
- (c) a certified copy of the identity document or of the passport of the applicant;
- (d) such additional documents and information as the Council may determine; and
- (e) payment of the application fees, determined by the Council under section 27(1) of the Act, relating to the registration of any person as a student.

(4) The registrar must submit an application for registration as a student ocularist submitted to him or her in terms of subregulation (2) to the Council for its decision.

(5) The Council, after having considered the application for registration, and the documents and other information referred to in subregulation (3) -

- (a) must grant the application for the registration of the applicant as a student ocularist if the Council is satisfied that the applicant -
  - (i) meets the requirements relating to the registration of a student ocularist;
  - (ii) has complied with all the requirements of subregulation (3); and



- (iii) is proficient in the English language;
- (b) must refuse the application for the registration of the applicant as a student ocularist if the Council is satisfied that the applicant -
  - (i) does not meet the requirements relating to the registration of a student ocularist; or
  - (ii) has not complied with all the requirements of subregulation (3); or
  - (iii) is not proficient in the English language.
- (6) The Council must -
  - (a) inform the applicant in writing of the decision of the Council under subregulation (5);
  - (b) issue to the applicant, if the application for registration is granted, a certificate relating to such registration in such form as the Council may determine, and enter the name of the applicant into the relevant register;
  - (c) inform the applicant in writing, if the application for registration is refused, as soon as practicable of the reasons for such refusal.
- (7) Upon the submission to the Council of an application by a person in accordance with subregulation (2) for registration as a student ocularist, and if that person submits documentary proof to the satisfaction of the Council that he or she has -
  - (a) completed tuition and training as a student ocularist substantially equivalent to the applicable tuition and training referred to in regulation 6, in another country under the direct supervision of a person registered as an ocularist in that country; or
  - (b) practised in another country as an ocularist by virtue of the qualification referred to in paragraph (a) for such period and under such circumstances as may afford him or her experience and training substantially equivalent to the applicable training referred to in regulation 6,

the Council may exempt, on such conditions as it may determine, that person from the requirements of registration, tuition and training as a student ocularist in Namibia, or may reduce the prescribed period of training, as the case may be, by such period of time as the Council may determine, if the Council is satisfied with the completion of such training or the practising as an ocularist, as the case may be, by the applicant, and that the completion of such training or the practising as an ocularist is substantially equivalent to the training as a student ocularist to in regulation 6.

**Period and manner of training by student oculoarist and agreement of tuition and training**

6. (1) A student oculoarist must complete, in accordance with these regulations, tuition and training as a student oculoarist for a period of not less than six thousand hours under the direct supervision of an oculoarist, approved by the Council in writing for such purpose.

(2) If the training referred to in subregulation (1) is interrupted at any point in time for any reason, including any leave or sick leave taken or any other absence by an student oculoarist from the internship training, whether with or without the written permission of the approved oculoarist, the actual training must consist of periods which, when added together, are not less than six thousand hours in total.

(3) The six thousand hours of tuition and training of a student oculoarist referred to in subregulation (1) must be completed within a period of five years after the date of the first registration of the relevant person as a student oculoarist.

(4) If a student oculoarist fails to comply with subregulation (3), his or her registration as a student oculoarist must be regarded as cancelled, subject to subregulation (5), as from the date upon which the five year period prescribed by subregulation (3), is exceeded.

(5) The Council may extend in writing, on good cause shown, the period of five years referred to in subregulation (3), within which the student oculoarist must complete the tuition and training.

(6) Before any person commence with his or her tuition and training as a student oculoarist, he or she must -

- (a) register with the Council as a student oculoarist in accordance with the Act and these regulations;
- (b) enter into a written agreement of service with the approved oculoarist under whose direct supervision he or she has to receive the prescribed tuition and training, in such form and containing such conditions as the Council may determine; and
- (c) obtain from the Council a written approval of the agreement referred to in paragraph (b).

(7) If at any time during the period of tuition and training of a student oculoarist referred to in this regulation, the Council considers any tuition and training approved for such purpose to be inadequate or unsatisfactory for any reason, the Council may withdraw its approval of the written agreement of service prescribed by subregulation (6)(c) by means of a written notice to both the approved oculoarist and the student oculoarist, after having afforded both the approved oculoarist and the student oculoarist the opportunity to be heard.

(8) Unless the Council otherwise determines, on good cause shown, any period of tuition and training completed by a student oculoarist under an agreement of service cancelled in terms of these regulations, is void.

(9) If a student oculoarist enters into an agreement of employment with the Ministry of Health and Social Services for the purpose of receiving tuition and training as a student oculoarist, subregulations (6)(b) and (c), (7) and (8) of this regulation, and regulation 7(1)(b), do not apply to the student oculoarist or to his or her tuition and training.

(10) The Council must furnish a student oculoarist, before he or she commences with his or her tuition and training as a student oculoarist, with copies of all the rules of professional conduct applicable to oculoarists.

(11) A student oculoarist is subject, during his or her period of tuition and training as a student oculoarist, to all the rules of professional conduct applicable to oculoarists referred to in subregulation (10).

(12) The tuition and training to be completed by a student oculoarist in terms of these regulations are specified in the Annexure to these regulations.

#### **Cancellation or cession of agreement of tuition and training and change of name**

7. (1) If an student oculoarist terminates his or her internship at an approved oculoarist, he or she must notify the Council in writing of such termination, and must submit to the Council documentary proof thereof, within a period of 30 days of such termination.

(2) If an student oculoarist intends to terminate his or her internship at an approved oculoarist and to commence internship at another approved oculoarist, he or she must notify the Council in writing, not less than 30 days before the intended date of commencement of the internship at the other approved oculoarist, and submit to the Council -

- (a) proof of the cancellation of the existing agreement of internship; and
- (b) a certified copy of the agreement of internship entered into by and between the student oculoarist and the approved oculoarist at which the internship is to be completed, for approval by the Council,

and pay to the Council the fees determined by the Council relating to an application for cession of the internship.

(3) If the name of an student oculoarist is changed for any reason, he or she must inform the Council in writing of such change of name within a period of 30 days after the occurrence thereof, and submit to the Council documentary proof of such change of name and such other particulars relating to such change of name as the Council may require in writing.

### **Completion of tuition and training**

8. (1) Upon the completion of the tuition and training undertaken by a student ocularist in accordance with these regulations, he or she must submit proof to the Council, by way of a certificate issued by the approved ocularist or approved ocularists, as the case may be, with whom he or she completed the tuition and training, to the satisfaction of the Council, that he or she has undertaken and completed the tuition and training concerned.

(2) The certificate prescribed by subregulation (1) must be in such form, and contain such particulars, as the Council may determine.

(3) A student ocularist must not be registered as an ocularist unless he or she has submitted the certificate prescribed by subregulation (1) to the Council.

## **PART IV**

### **REGISTERS AND RESTORATION OF NAME TO REGISTER**

#### **Register of ocularists**

9. The register of ocularists established and kept in accordance with subsection (2) of section 24 of the Act, must contain, in addition to the particulars specified by subsection (3) of that section, particulars of the specialities and additional qualifications entered against the name of the ocularists concerned in accordance with section 32(4) of the Act, including any change in any of the particulars recorded in the register.

#### **Register of student ocularist**

10. The register of physiotherapy interns established and kept in accordance with subsection (2)(c) section 24 of the Act must contain, in addition to the particulars specified by subsection (3) of that section, particulars of the approved facility where the physiotherapy intern is completing his or her internship, and the date upon which such internship commenced and is to be completed, including any change in any of the particulars recorded in the register.

#### **Restoration of name to register**

11. (1) Any person whose name has been removed from a register in accordance with section 25 of the Act and who wishes to have his or her name restored to such register in accordance with section 26 of the Act, must apply to the Council for such restoration in accordance with section 26(1) of the Act.

(2) An application referred to in subregulation (1) must comply with section 26(2) of the Act and with subregulation (3).

(3) The following documents must accompany an application referred to in subregulation (1):

- (a) the original registration certificate issued under section 21(4)(b) of the Act, or if for any reason the original certificate cannot be submitted, proof to the satisfaction of the Council that the applicant was so registered; and
- (b) a declaration by two ocularists confirming the identity and good character of the applicant in such form as the Council may determine.

PART V  
GENERAL

**Language of forms and documents**

**12.** (1) Any form or document required to be submitted to the Council or to the registrar in terms of these regulations must be, subject to subregulation (2), in the English language.

(2) Any form or document referred to in subregulation (1) that is not in the English language must be accompanied by a sworn translation of the form or document in English, which translation must be acceptable to the Council.

ANNEXURE

**CRITERIA PERTAINING TO THE SIX THOUSAND HOUR PERIOD  
STUDENT OCULARISTSHIP TRAINING PROGRAMME**  
*(Regulation 6(12))*

The training of a student ocularist prescribed by regulation 6(12) must include tuition and training in the following subjects or fields of study:

- (a) The anatomy of the eye;
- (b) the anatomy of the orbit and surrounding tissue of the eye, including the eyelids;
- (c) diseases and conditions of the eye, congenital and contracted, resulting in the loss or blindness of the eye;
- (d) traumas to both the eye and orbit structure and the resulting effects thereof upon the eye or orbit;
- (e) the surgical procedures utilised when removing an eye or when retaining a blind phtisical or non-phtisical eye;
- (f) orbital re-constructive surgical procedures and the related bio-compatible materials utilised in orbital re-construction, including the individual assessment of the best surgical procedure for such re-construction;
- (g) surgical procedures to be carried out on blind eyes if necessary for the comfortable wearing of a haptic shell;

- (h) applied surgical procedures for the correction of soft tissue and eyelid surgery to address eyelid conditions not conducive to good orbital health, and for the fitting of an acceptable artificial eye or a haptic lens, including the observation of corrective surgical procedures performed by an ophthalmologist in an operation theatre;
- (i) orbital implants, the different types of implants, the advantages and disadvantages of such implants and the determining of the necessity thereof;
- (j) the examination and assessment of the orbit of the blind eye for pathological conditions, as prescribed by these regulations, which may not present anatomical conditions for the best results to be achieved with the necessary custom moulded prosthesis or haptic shell;
- (k) the assessment and recognition of possible infections or cystic erosions, and the best form of treatment thereof;
- (l) all the stages of the manufacturing and fitting of custom moulded artificial eyes and haptic shells, which haptic shells are fitted over blinded eyes, including the correct anatomically symmetrical shaping of an artificial eye, the tinting and veining of the sclera, and the colouring or painting of the iris;
- (m) the correct use of materials, and the chemical properties of all the materials, used in the manufacturing of an artificial eye or a haptic shell;
- (n) the correct use of all the equipment needed for the manufacturing of an artificial eye or a haptic shell;
- (o) the medical terminology required for communication with ophthalmologists, maxillo-facial surgeons, plastic surgeons and medical practitioners; and
- (p) professional patient liaison and ethics.

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**MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

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REGULATIONS RELATING TO REGISTRATION OF DENTISTS;  
QUALIFICATIONS THAT MAY BE REGISTERED AS SPECIALITIES AND  
ADDITIONAL QUALIFICATIONS; MAINTAINING OF REGISTERS OF  
DENTISTS AND RESTORATION OF NAME TO REGISTER: MEDICAL AND  
DENTAL ACT, 2004

The Minister of Health and Social Services, under section 59 of the Medical and Dental Act, 2004 (Act No. 10 of 2004), read with sections 23, 25 and 31 of that Act, and on the recommendation of the Medical and Dental Council of Namibia -

- (a) makes the regulations set out in the Schedule; and

- (b) repeals the regulations made under Government Notices Nos. R2269, 2273, 2274, 2275, 2276, 2277 and 2278 of 3 December 1976, and No. R 1829 of 16 September 1977, insofar as they apply to dentists.

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#### PART I

#### PRELIMINARY

### Definitions

1. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise indicates, a word or expression defined in the Act has that meaning, and -

“additional qualification” means an additional qualification referred to in section 31(1)(a) of the Act, awarded by an educational institution and prescribed by regulation 10;

“branch of dentistry” means a branch of dentistry prescribed as a speciality by Annexure A;

“certified” means certified as a true copy of the original by a commissioner of oaths appointed under section 5, or designated under section 6, of the Justices of the Peace and Commissioners of Oaths Act, 1963 (Act No. 16 of 1963);

“general dentist” means a person registered as a dentist under the Act, but not registered as a specialist;

“specialist dentist” means a dentist in whose name a speciality is registered, and “specialist” has a corresponding meaning;

“speciality” means a speciality in dentistry referred to in section 31(1)(b) of the Act and prescribed by regulation 4;

“training facility” means a facility providing the education, tuition and training for the purpose of specialist registration, and recognised or approved for such purpose by the registering authority of the country in which it is situated, and “training hospital” has a corresponding meaning; and

“the Act” means the Medical and Dental Act, 2004 (Act No. 10 of 2004).

## PART II REGISTRATION OF DENTISTS

### **Application for registration as dentist**

2. (1) An application for the registration of a person as a dentist under section 19 of the Act must be accompanied, in addition to the documents, particulars and payments specified in subsection (2) of that section, by -

- (a) a certified photocopy of the identity document or of the passport of the applicant; and
- (b) if the qualification upon which the applicant relies for registration as a dentist is a qualification referred to in section 21(1)(a) of the Act, the original certificate of registration to practise as a dentist in the country where the applicant obtained the qualification, issued by the relevant registration authority of that country.

(2) If the applicant referred to in paragraph (b) of subregulation (1) is not registered with the registration authority referred to in that paragraph, he or she must submit to the registrar, together with his or her application for registration -

- (a) a certificate, issued by that registration authority, certifying that the qualification or qualifications of which the applicant is the holder, entitles him or her to registration as a dentist in that country; or
- (b) if he or she had been so registered previously, a certificate issued by that registration authority, specifying that the applicant had been so registered previously, that his or her name had been removed from the register and the grounds for such removal.



(3) The Council may require the applicant to furnish proof, in such manner as the Council may determine, of the applicant's proficiency in the English language.

#### **Additional education, tuition and training**

3. (1) The Council must determine, when registering a person conditionally under section 21(2)(a) of the Act, the additional education, tuition or training to be undertaken by the person so conditionally registered in order for him or her to qualify for registration as a dentist.

(2) Particulars of the additional education, tuition or training determined by the Council under subregulation (1), must be endorsed upon the certificate of conditional registration issued by the Council, under section 21(2)(b) of the Act, in the name of the person registered conditionally.

### PART III REGISTRATION OF SPECIALITIES AND ADDITIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

#### **Registrable specialities**

4. For the purposes of section 31(1)(b) of the Act, any branch of dentistry mentioned in Annexure A is a speciality which may be registered, subject to compliance with these regulations, against the name of a dentist.

#### **Qualification for specialist registration**

5. (1) An applicant for specialist registration in a speciality is qualified for registration in that speciality if -

- (a) the applicant is registered to practise as a general dentist under the Act;
- (b) a period of not less than seven years has elapsed since the applicant obtained the primary qualification which entitled him or her to registration as a general dentist;
- (c) the applicant actively practised as a dentist for a period, or for periods in the aggregate, of not less than three years immediately before the applicant commenced with the course of study for the qualification on which the applicant relies for registration in the speciality applied for; and
- (d) the applicant holds a post-graduate qualification approved by the Council for registration in the relevant speciality in accordance with subregulation (3).

(2) Paragraphs (b) and (c) of subregulation (1) do not apply to the speciality of oral pathology.

(3) For the purposes of subregulation (1)(d), the Council may approve a post-graduate qualification only if -

- (a) in relation to -
  - (i) the specialities Community Dentistry, Oral Medicine and Periodontics, Orthodontics or Prosthodontics, the Council is

satisfied that the successful completion of the course of study for the qualification required not less than -

- (aa) three years full-time study, if the applicant, after registration as a general dentist and before commencing with the course of study for the post-graduate qualification, had first successfully completed a course or courses of study and training in the primary subjects anatomy, physiology and pathology at an educational institution or training facility recognised by the Council; or
  - (bb) four years full-time study if the applicant had not first so completed a course or courses of study in those primary subjects, but the course of study for the post-graduate qualification obtained by the applicant included tuition and training in those primary subjects in the first year of study for the qualification;
- (ii) the speciality Oral Pathology, the Council is satisfied that the successful completion of the course of study for the qualification required -
- (aa) not less than four years full-time study, if the applicant, after registration as a general dentist and before commencing with the course of study for the post-graduate qualification, had first successfully completed a course or courses of study and training in the primary subjects anatomy, physiology and pathology at an educational institution or training facility recognised by the Council; or
  - (bb) not less than five years full-time study if the applicant had not first so completed a course or courses of study in those primary subjects, but the course of study for the post-graduate qualification obtained by the applicant included tuition and training in those primary subjects in the first year of study for the qualification; and
  - (cc) the period of full-time study referred to in subparagraph (i) or (ii) included tuition and training of not less than two years in the department of Anatomical Pathology of a training hospital or other training facility;
- (iii) the speciality Maxillo-facial and Oral Surgery, the Council is satisfied that the successful completion of the course of study for the qualification required -
- (aa) not less than four years full-time study, if the applicant, after registration as a general dentist and before commencing with the course of study for the post-graduate qualification, had first successfully completed a course or courses of study and training in the primary subjects of anatomy, physiology and pathology at an educational institution or training facility recognised by the Council; or
  - (bb) not less than five years full-time study if the applicant had not so first completed a course or courses of study in those

primary subjects, but the course of study for the post-graduate qualification obtained by the applicant included tuition and training in those primary subjects in the first year of study for the qualification;

- (b) the qualification entitles the holder thereof to registration as a specialist dentist in the branch of dentistry applied for by the applicant in the country where the applicant obtained the qualification; and
- (c) the post-graduate qualification is an adequate qualification for specialist registration in the branch of dentistry applied for by the applicant.

(4) For the purposes of subregulation (3)(b), in deciding whether a post-graduate qualification is adequate for specialist registration, the Council may have regard to the advice and recommendations of -

- (a) an entity recognised by the Council as competent to assess qualifications in the speciality;
- (b) an entity responsible for accrediting courses, or accrediting training facilities for the education, tuition and training of persons in the speciality;
- (c) the attributes of the course leading to the applicant's qualifications; and
- (d) any other relevant issue.

#### **Limitation on the practising of speciality**

6. A dentist may not practise more than one speciality at any point in time.

#### **Commencement of speciality practice**

7. A specialist dentist who commences with the conducting of his or her practice must inform the registrar in writing, within a period of 30 days after the commencement of the conducting of such practice, of the physical address at which the practice is being conducted, and the postal address, telephone numbers, facsimile number and e-mail address of the specialist.

#### **Conditions applicable to the practising of speciality**

8. (1) A specialist dentist may charge fees for conducting examinations or procedures relating to patients if such examination or procedures are recognised by the Council as generally accepted practice in the speciality for which the specialist dentist is registered.

(2) The examinations and procedures referred to in subregulation (1) must be conducted only for, or for the benefit of, the bona fide patients of the specialist dentist.

(3) A specialist dentist must restrict his or her practice to the speciality registered in his or her name.

(4) A specialist dentist may treat any person who consults him or her directly, without a referral by any general dentist, other specialist dentist or medical practitioner.

(5) A specialist dentist who is consulted by a patient, or who treats a patient, must keep the general dentist who normally treats that patient reasonably informed of the treatment of the patient.

### **Cessation of speciality practice**

9. A specialist dentist who discontinues practising a speciality must notify the registrar in writing thereof within a period of 30 days after the date upon which he or she so discontinued to practise that speciality.

### **Registrable additional qualifications**

10. (1) The qualifications prescribed by Annexure B are the additional qualifications referred to in section 31(1)(a) of the Act, which additional qualifications may be registered, subject to these regulations, against the name of a dentist.

(2) An additional qualification prescribe by Annexure B may not be registered against the name of a dentist unless the registration authority of the country where the applicant obtained the qualification recognises that qualification as an additional qualification that may be registered as such in that country.

### **Requirements for registration of an additional qualification**

11. An application referred to in subsection (2) of section 31 of the Act must be accompanied, in addition to the documents and particulars specified in subsection (3) of that section, by -

- (a) a certified photocopy of the identity document or of the passport of the applicant; and
- (b) proof, to the satisfaction of the Council, that the registration authority of the country where the applicant obtained the qualification recognises that qualification as an additional qualification that may be registered as such in that country.

## **PART IV**

### **REGISTERS AND RESTORATION OF NAME TO REGISTER**

#### **Register of dentists**

12. The register of dentists established and kept in accordance with subsection (2) of section 23 of the Act, must contain, in addition to the particulars specified by subsection (3) of that section, particulars of -

- (a) the specialities and additional qualifications entered against the name of the dentist concerned in accordance with subsection (4) of section 31 of the Act; and
- (b) any change in any of the particulars referred to in paragraph (a).

#### **Restoration of name to register**

13. An application in accordance with section 25 of the Act for the restoration of the name of a person to a register, in addition to the documentation referred to in subsection (2) of that section, must be accompanied by -

- (a) the original registration certificate issued under section 20(4)(b) of the Act in the name of the applicant, or if for any reason the original certificate cannot be submitted, proof to the satisfaction of the Council that the applicant was so registered; and
- (b) a certified photocopy of the identity document or of the passport of the applicant.

PART V  
GENERAL

**Language of forms and documents**

14. (1) Subject to subregulation (2), any form or document required to be submitted to the Council or to the registrar in terms of these regulations must be in the English language.

(2) Any form or document referred to in subregulation (1) that is not in the English language must be accompanied by a translation thereof into that language, acceptable to the Council.

ANNEXURE A

REGISTRABLE SPECIALITIES  
(Regulation 4)

<b>Speciality</b>	<b>Designation</b>
Community Dentistry	Specialist in Community Dentistry
Maxillo-facial and Oral Surgery	Maxillo-facial and Oral Surgeon
Oral Medicine and Periodontics	Specialist in Oral Medicine and Periodontics
Oral Pathology	Oral Pathologist
Orthodontics	Orthodontist
Prosthodontics	Prosthodontist

ANNEXURE B

REGISTRABLE ADDITIONAL QUALIFICATIONS  
(Regulation 10)

<b>Examining authority</b>	<b>Qualification</b>	<b>Abbreviation for registration</b>
<i>Adelaide, University of</i>	Doctor of Dental Science	DDSc Adelaide
	Master of Dental Surgery	MDS Adelaide
	Bachelor (Honours) of Dental Surgery	BDS (Hons) Adelaide
<i>Belfast, University of (Queens' University)</i>	Master of Dental Surgery	MDS Belf

<i>Birmingham, University of</i>	Master of Dental Surgery	MDS Birm
<i>Boston University</i>	Master of Science in Dentistry	MSD Boston
	Certificate of Advanced Graduate Study in Orthodontics	CAGS Orth Boston
	Certificate of Advanced Graduate Study in Periodontics	CAGS Periodont Boston
<i>Bristol, University of</i>	Master of Dental Surgery	MDS Bristol
	Master of Science in Oral Medicine	MSc Oral Med Bristol
<i>Columbia, University of</i>	Certificate in Endodontics	Cert in Endodontics Columbia
<i>Dundee, University of</i>	Diploma in Public Dentistry	DPD Dundee
<i>Durham, University of</i>	Master of Dental Surgery	MDS Durh
<i>Dublin, University of</i>	Master of Dental Science	M Dent Sc Dubl
<i>Erlangen, University of</i>	Doctor of Dentistry	DMD Erlangen
<i>Groningen, University of</i>	Doctor of Medicine	MD Groningen
<i>Harvard, University of</i>	Clinical Fellow in Orthodontics	F Orth Harvard
	Master of Public Health	MPH Harvard
<i>Illinois, University of</i>	Master of Science in Orthodontics	MS (Orth) Illinois
<i>Ireland (National University), University of</i>	Master of Dental Surgery	MDS N U Irel
<i>Leeds, University of</i>	Master of Dental Surgery	MChD Leeds
<i>Liverpool, University of</i>	Master of Dental Surgery	MDS Lpool
<i>London, University of</i>	Master of Dental Surgery	MDS Lond
	Master of Science in Children's Dentistry	MSc Children's Dent Lond
	Master of Science in Dentistry (Conservative Dentistry)	MSc Conservative (Conservative) Lond
	Master of Science in Dental Public Health	MSc DPH Lond

	Master of Science (Dental Radiology)	MSc (Dental Radiology) Lond
	Master of Science in Oral Surgery	MSc Oral Surg Lond
	Master of Science (Orthodontics)	MSc (Orth) Lond
	Master of Science in Periodontology	MSc (Periodontology) Lond
	Diploma in Bacteriology	D Bact Lond
<b><i>London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine</i></b>	Doctor of Philosophy	PhD(Experimental Pathology)
	Master of Science in Community Health in Developing Countries	MSc (Com H in Dev Countries) LSHTM
	Master of Science (Public Health)	MSc (Public Health) Lond
<b><i>Louisiana State University</i></b>	Certificate in Orthodontics	Cert Orthodontics Louisiana
<b><i>Manchester, University of (Victoria University)</i></b>	Master of Surgery	MDS Man
<b><i>Medical University of Southern Africa</i></b>	Doctor of Dental Surgery	DChD Medunsa
	Doctor of Dentistry	DDent Medunsa
	Master of Dental Science	MDS Medunsa
	Master of Dental Science	MDent Medunsa
	Master of Dental Surgery	MChD Medunsa
	Master of Dental Surgery	MDS Medunsa
	Master of Dental Surgery (Community Dentistry)	MChD (Community Dentistry) Medunsa
	Master of Dental Surgery (Maxillo-facial and Oral Surgery) (Dental)	MChD (MFOS)(Dent) Medunsa
	Master of Dentistry	MDent Medunsa

	Bachelor (Honours) of Dental Surgery	BChD (Hons) Medunsa
	Bachelor of Dental Therapy (Honours)	BDent Ther (Hons) Medunsa
	Advanced Diploma in Community Dentistry	Adv Dip Comm Dent Medunsa
	Diploma in Public Health (Dentistry)	Dip PH (Dent) Medunsa
<i>Melbourne, University of</i>	Doctor of Dental Science	DDSc Melbourne
<i>Michigan, University of</i>	Master of Science (Restorative Dentistry)	MSc (Restorative Dentistry) Michigan
<i>Newcastle-upon-Tyne, University of</i>	Doctor of Dental Science	DDSc Ncle
<i>Northwestern University, Chicago</i>	Master of Science in Dentistry	MSD Northwestern
<i>Orange Free State, University of the</i>	Diploma in Health Administration	DHA Orange Free State
<i>Pennsylvania, University of</i>	Certificate in Endodontics	Cert Endodontics Pennsylvania
<i>Pretoria, University of</i>	Doctor of Dental Surgery	DChD Pret
	Doctor of Philosophy	PhD Pret
	Doctor of Scientiae (Odontology)	DSc (Odont) Pret
	Master of Dental Science	MDent Pret
	Master of Dental Surgery	MChD Pret
	Master of Dental Surgery in Community Dentistry	MChD in Community Dentistry Pret
	Master of Dental Surgery (Maxillo-facial Surgery Medicus)	MChD (Chir Max Fac-Med) Pret
	Master of Science (Odontology)	MSc (Odont) Pret
	Bachelor of Dentistry with Honours.	BChD (Hons) Pret
	Diploma in Community Health (Dent)	DCH (Dent) Pret



	Diploma in Dental Public Health	DDPH Pret
	Diploma in Health Administration (Dentistry)	DHA (Dent) Pret
	Diploma in Odontology	Dip Odont Pret
<i>Sheffield, University of</i>	Master of Dental Surgery	MDS Sheff
	Master of Medical Science	MMed Sc Sheff
<i>St Andrews, University of</i>	Diploma in Public Dentistry	DPD St And
<i>Stellenbosch, University of</i>	Doctor of Dental Surgery	DChD Stell
	Doctor of Philosophy	PhD Stell
	Doctor of Philosophy (Odontology)	PhD (Odont) Stell
	Doctor of Scientiae (Odontology)	DSc (Odont) Stell
	Master of Science in Dental Sciences	MSc (Dent Sciences) Stell
	Master of Science (Odontology)	MSc (Odont) Stell
	Master of Dental Surgery	MChD Stell
	Bachelor (Honours of Dentistry)	BChD (Hons) Stell
	Diploma in Community Health	DCH Stell
	Postgraduate Diploma in Dentistry	PDD Stell
<i>St Louis, University of</i>	Certificate in Orthodontics	Cert in Orth St Louis
<i>Sophia, University of</i>	Doctor of Philosophy	DPh Sophia
<i>Temple University</i>	Certificate of Endodontology	Cert Endodontology Temple
<i>Toronto, University of</i>	Diploma in Orthodontics	DOrth Toronto
<i>Wales, University of</i>	Philosophiae Doctor	PhD Wales
<i>Western Cape, University of the</i>	Doctor of Philosophy	PhD Western Cape
	Master of Dental Surgery	MChD Western Cape
	Master of Science (Dentium)	MSc (Dent) Western Cape

	Philosophiae Doctor	PhD Western Cape
	Doctor of Scientiae (Odontology)	DSc (Odont) Western Cape
	Magister Chirurgiae (Dentium)	MChB Western Cape
	Magister Scientiae (Dentium)	MSc (Dent) Western Cape
	Postgraduate Diploma in Dentistry	PDD Western Cape
<i>Witwatersrand, University of the</i>	Doctor of Dental Surgery	DDS Witwatersrand
	Doctor of Philosophy in Dentistry	PhD (Dent) Witwatersrand
	Doctor of Science in Dentistry	DDS Witwatersrand
	Master of Dental Science	MDS Witwatersrand
	Master of Dentistry	MDent Witwatersrand
	Master of Dental Science (If awarded in a discipline recognised in terms of the Act)	MDent Witwatersrand
	Master of Dental Surgery	MDS Witwatersrand
	Master of Science (If awarded in a discipline recognised in terms of the Act)	MSc Witwatersrand
	Master of Science in Dentistry	MSc (Dent) Witwatersrand
	Bachelor of Science in Oral Biology (Dentistry)	BSc (Oral Biol) (Dent) Witwatersrand
	Diploma in Health Services Management	DHSM Witwatersrand
	Diploma in Maxillo- Facial and Oral Surgery	DMFOS Witwatersrand
	Diploma in Oral Pathology	Dip Oral Path Witwatersrand

	Diploma in Orthodontics	DOrth Witwatersrand
	Diploma in Periodontics and Oral Medicine	DPOM Witwatersrand
	Diploma in Prosthodontics	DPros Witwatersrand
	Diploma in Public Dentistry	DPD Witwatersrand
	Higher Diploma in Dentistry	HDDent Witwatersrand
<b>Colleges</b>		
<i>Baylor College of Dentistry</i>	Certificate in Endodontics	Cert Endodontics Baylor
<i>College of Dentistry of South Africa</i>	Fellow (Maxillo-facial and Oral Surgery)	FCD (SA) MFOS
	Fellow (Oral Medicine and Periodontics)	FCD (SA) OMP
	Fellow (Orthodontics)	FCD (SA) ORTHOD
	Fellow (Prosthodontics)	FCD (SA) PROS
	Diploma in Dentistry	Dip Dent (SA)
	Fellow (Oral Medicine and Periodontics)	FCD (SA) OMP
<i>College of Medicine of South Africa</i>	Fellow of the Faculty of Dentistry	FFD (SA)
	Fellow of the Faculty of Dentistry (Maxillo-facial and Oral Surgery)	FFD (SA) MFOS
	Fellow of the Faculty of Dentistry (Oral Medicine and Periodontics)	FFD (SA) (Oral Medicine and Periodontics)
	Fellow	FFD (SA) OMP
	Fellow of the Faculty of Dentistry (Orthodontics)	FFD (SA) Orth
	Fellow of the Faculty of Dentistry (Prosthodontics)	FFD (SA) Prosthodontics
	Diploma in Dentistry	Dip Dent (SA)

	Diploma in Forensic Odontology	DFO (SA)
<i>College of Pathologists of South Africa</i>	Fellow (Oral Pathology)	FCD (SA) Pros
<i>Royal Australasian College of Dental Surgeons</i>	Fellow	FRACDS
<i>Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Glasgow</i>	Fellow in Dental Surgery	FDS RCPS Glasg
	Higher Dental Diploma	HDD RCPS Glasg
	Diploma in Dental Orthopaedics	DDO RCPS Glasg
<i>Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh</i>	Fellow in Dental Surgery	FDS RCS Edin
	Fellow in Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery	FRCS Edin
	Higher Dental Diploma	HOD RCS Edin
<i>Royal College of Surgeons of England</i>	Fellow in Dental Surgery	FDS RCS Eng
	Master of Orthodontics	MOrth RCS Eng
	Diploma in Dental Public Health	DDPH RCS Eng
	Diploma in Orthodontics	DOrth RCS Eng
<i>Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland</i>	Fellow of the Faculty of Dentistry	FFD RCS Irel
<i>Royal Faculty of Physicians and Surgeons of Glasgow</i>	Higher Dental Diploma	HDD RFPS Glasg
	Diploma in Dental Orthopaedics	DDO RFPS Glasg

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## General Notice

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### PHARMACY COUNCIL OF NAMIBIA

No. 174

2008

#### AMENDMENT TO FEES PAYABLE TO PHARMACY COUNCIL OF NAMIBIA: PHARMACY ACT, 2004

Under section 28(3) of the Pharmacy Act, 2004 (Act No. 9 of 2004), I make known that the Pharmacy Council of Namibia, with the written approval of the Minister of Health and Social Services, has amended the fees payable to that Council as set out in the Schedule.

**D. TJIPURA**  
**PRESIDENT**  
**PHARMACY COUNCIL OF NAMIBIA**

Windhoek, 4 June 2008

## SCHEDULE

**Amendment of General Notice No. 67 of 15 March 2007**

1. General Notice No. 67 of 15 March 2007 is amended by the insertion after paragraph 5 of the following paragraph :

**“Fees payable to Council by pharmacist’s assistant students**

5A. The application fees payable to the Council in terms of the Act by a pharmacist’s assistant student are as follows :

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| (a)  | in terms of section 21(2)(f) of the Act relating to an application by any person to be registered as a pharmacist’s assistant student: | N\$ 100-00  |
| (b)  | in terms of section 27(2)(f) of the Act relating to an application for the restoration of his or her name to a register:               |             |
| (i)  | if removed from the register at his or her own request:  | N\$ 50-00   |
| (ii) | if removed from the register for any reason other than his or her own request:   | N\$ 100-00” |
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