



KAMUZU UNIVERSITY
OF HEALTH SCIENCES

**CALL FOR APPLICATIONS MASTER OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS
EDUCATION (MHPE) AT KAMUZU UNIVERSITY OF HEALTH SCIENCES
(MARCH 2023 INTAKE)**

Kamuzu University of Health Sciences is inviting applications from suitably qualified candidates to undergo training in the Master of Health Professions Education programs for the March 2023 intake.

Health Professions Education is core to global health and the attainment of Sustainable Development Goals. To this end, Health Professional educators aim to deliver quality healthcare Education through sound educational strategies and current educational trends in health professions. The preparation of a future workforce in healthcare demands that their preparations meet the challenges of modern healthcare complexity by producing experts in health professions education who should shape practice in education. The Master of Health Professions Education (MHPE) will help health professional educators reach their goals, and ensure they are prepared to train the workforce of the future.

Scholarships:

The programme has multiple exits which are: **Master of Health Professions Education, Postgraduate Diploma in Health Professions Education, and Postgraduate Certificate in Health Professions Education.** We have a limited number of competitive scholarships (for tuition fees only) that are available for successful candidates for these programmes. The programmes are also open to self-sponsoring students who meet the admission requirements.

Mode of Delivery for the programme

The programme is full time. Course material will be delivered online via a Moodle platform and will include recorded lectures, live tutorials, and online learning resources including research articles, and discussion boards. A typical week consists of one or more formal, pre-recorded lecture which can be viewed online at a time convenient to the student. There will also be an online interactive, video tutorial where learners and a lecturer work together in real time. Normally, these will run for one hour or more depending on the topic under discussion. Learners are expected to attend the live tutorial sessions. Learners are expected to use self-directed learning, peer discussion boards (online), peer presentations and other online activities to help them engage with the course materials.

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Admission Requirements

- Minimum of a first degree, such as an MBBS, MBChB, BDS, Bachelor of Nursing and Midwifery, Bachelor of Science in Physiotherapy, Bachelor of Pharmacy, Bachelor of Science in Medical Laboratory Science, or similar equivalent health professional qualification from an accredited university.
- Additionally, the candidate should hold a teaching position at a higher-learning institution or hospital.

Other Requirements

Students are responsible to ensure they have good internet access, access to an internet enabled device and sufficient data which will allow them to access the course materials online.

Further information

Applicants interested and wishing to have more information about the course should contact Dr. Emma Thomson (ethomson@kuhes.ac.mw) or Mr. Ishmael Nyirenda (inyirenda@kuhes.ac.mw).

APPLICATIONS PACKAGE SHOULD INCLUDE:

1. A completed postgraduate application form. The forms are available at www.kuhes.ac.mw or our Blantyre and Lilongwe campuses.
2. Sealed or certified copies of academic transcripts
3. Authenticated copies of academic certificates (by a lawyer, magistrate, or Registrar of the awarding institution)
4. Letter of release from employers (if employed)
5. Duly filled reference forms (one academic and one professional) Forms can be found on the KUHeS website or at our Blantyre and Lilongwe Campuses. A non-refundable application fee of **MK10,000.00** for Malawians and **\$30.00** for non-Malawians.

Payment should be made to:

BANK NAME: NATIONAL BANK OF MALAWI
ACCOUNT NAME: KUHES FEES
BRANCH: CHICHIRI
ACCOUNT NUMBER:1008195923
SWIFT CODE: NBMAMWMW

Application forms that do not meet the requirements stated above will not be processed.

The complete application package should be sent to:

The Registrar (Postgraduate Application)
Kamuzu University of Health Sciences
P/BAG 360, Chichiri
Blantyre 3

KUHeS receives applications all year round. However, the deadline for applications for the March 2023 intake is **7th December 2022**.