



# CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY OF HEALTH AND ALLIED SCIENCES BUGANDO

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## DIRECTORATE OF POST GRADUATE STUDIES

### ADVERTISEMENT

#### APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION INTO POSTGRADUATE STUDIES

The Catholic University of Health and Allied Sciences is pleased to invite applications from qualified candidates to apply for Postgraduate studies in the following programmes at CUHAS. The University is located within Bugando Medical Centre premises in Mwanza, Tanzania.

1. **MASTER IN PUBLIC HEALTH (MPH)**
2. **MASTER OF MEDICINE IN INTERNAL MEDICINE AND SURGERY**
3. **MASTER OF SCIENCE IN PAEDIATRIC NURSING (MSc.PN)**
4. **DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (PhD)**

#### **A: MASTERS IN PUBLIC HEALTH**

1. PROGRAM: MASTERS IN PUBLIC HEALTH
2. DURATION: One year.

#### 3. ENTRANCE QUALIFICATIONS:

- 1) Holder of MD degree or its equivalent with a pass of B grade or above in community medicine and at least one year of working experience
- 2) Holder of B.Sc Nursing degree with a pass of B grade or above in community Medicine and at least one year of working experience
- 3) Holder of first degree in health related disciplines (Health Officer, Environmental Health, Pharmacy, or Laboratory sciences) passed with at least Lower second and have at least one year of working experience
- 4) Holder of Master degree in health related disciplines with at least one year of working experience.

#### **B: MASTER OF MEDICINE (INTERNAL MEDICINE AND SURGERY**

DURATION: Three years.

#### 4. ENTRANCE QUALIFICATIONS:

- 1) Holder of MD degree or its equivalent from recognized institution of higher learning.
- 2) Must have scored (during the undergraduate final examinations) a grade of B or higher in the specialty he/she wants to specialize.
- 3) Must have successfully completed internship and obtained a grade of B or higher in the specialty he/she wants to study.
- 4) Must have completed at least one year working experience as a medical practitioner in a recognized hospital.

### C: MASTER OF SCIENCE IN PAEDIATRIC NURSING

1. PROGRAM: MASTER OF SCIENCE IN PAEDIATRIC NURSING
2. DURATION: Two years.
3. ENTRANCE QUALIFICATIONS:
  - 1) Holder of Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSCN), or Bachelor of Science in Nursing Education (BScNE), or Bachelor of Science in Mental Health Nursing (BScM) or Bachelor of Science in Midwifery (BScMid) or Bachelor of Science in Nursing Management from a recognized institution of higher learning with a GPA of at least 2.7
  - 2) Must have a minimum of 2 years of working experience
  - 3) Must have a valid licence to practise as a registered nurse and midwife from Tanzania Nurses and Midwives Council (TNMC) or equivalent registering institution from the country of origin

### D: Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)

1. PROGRAM: DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY
2. DURATION: Three years.
3. ENTRANCE QUALIFICATIONS:
  - 1) Holder of a relevant Master degree (MSc or MMED) from a recognized institution of higher learning.
  - 2) Must demonstrate the capacity to carry out research independently and ability to pursue the study programme

### INSTRUCTIONS TO APPLICANTS:

Applicants must carefully read the information above before attempting to fill the application forms.

- a) Applicants must give full particulars of citizenship (including a copy of the birth certificate) and enclosing photocopies of their academic certificates.
  - b) Applicants must pay a non-refundable application fee of T.shs. fifty thousands only (50,000/=) into Catholic University College **Account Number: 01J1054045500 CRDB** (Bugando branch) and submit the original pay-in-slip together with the application forms. For foreign applicants who have to pay by dollar the **Account Number is: 02J1054045500 CRDB**
  - c) Applicants must ascertain themselves that they possess the minimum entrance qualifications before they pay fees as the fees will not be refunded under any circumstances.
- *Application form and other instructions are available in our web page ([www.bugando.ac.tz](http://www.bugando.ac.tz)).*
  - *The Fee structure for these programmes are available in our web site.*
  - *Deadline for receiving application forms is strictly at 3.00pm on 15<sup>th</sup> August, 2018.*