

# HUBERT KAIRUKI MEMORIAL UNIVERSITY



## ADMISSIONS ANNOUNCEMENT FOR POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMMES FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2024/2025

Hubert Kairuki Memorial University (HKMU), is an accredited University, recognized by the Government of the United Republic of Tanzania, through the Tanzania Commission for Universities (TCU).

Applications for admission are invited from qualified candidates wishing to pursue postgraduate studies at HKMU for the academic year 2024/2025 in the following programmes:

### **1. MASTER OF MEDICINE (MMeD):**

HKMU offers Master of Medicine programme in the following specialties:

- i) Surgery**
- ii) Internal Medicine**
- iii) Obstetrics and Gynecology**
- iv) Paediatrics and Child Health**

#### **Eligibility for MMeD:**

Holders of Doctor of Medicine or Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery or equivalent qualifications, with at least 'B' grade in the subject intended for specialisation or a minimum GPA of 2.7. In addition, a candidate MUST have completed one year of internship and registered with the Medical Council of Tanganyika or Zanzibar. International students must be registered with their respective professional councils. All applicants must have a minimum of 1-year post-internship working experience.

**Duration of the programme:** 3 years.

### **2. MASTER OF SCIENCE IN PUBLIC HEALTH (MScPH):**

The MScPH has strong components of clinical research, non-communicable Diseases (NCDs), and International/Global Health, an addition to topics covered in the conventional Master of Public Health (MPH) programme. In-depth coverage of approaches to scientific clinical research, NCDs and international/global health imparts the scientific basis and takes the course steps higher than the conventional MPH course. Graduates from MScPH will respond appropriately to the changing epidemiology of communicable and non-communicable diseases, through the scientific evidence base. In this regard, they will be well-equipped to face current health challenges and will be highly marketable regionally and globally.

#### **Eligibility for MScPH:**

- i. Holders of Doctor of Medicine (MD), Doctor of Dental Surgery or equivalent, Bachelor of Science in Nursing, Bachelor of Science in Environmental Health, Bachelor of Science in Laboratory Technology or equivalent, and Bachelor of Pharmacy or equivalent. Holders of classified degrees must have at least lower second class.

- ii. Graduates from recognized University with at least upper second class in health-related fields of study such as sociology, anthropology, health statistics, health economics, epidemiology, demography, biology, nutrition, food science and health information sciences. Working experience with communities in health-related fields at a district or higher level would be advantageous.

**Duration of the programme:** 18 months.

### **MODE OF APPLICATION**

All applications must be submitted online through the link [osim.hkmu.ac.tz](http://osim.hkmu.ac.tz) available at [www.hkmu.ac.tz](http://www.hkmu.ac.tz)

To be considered for entrance an applicant must attach the following:

- i. Proof of citizenship (including a copy of the birth certificate).
- ii. Certified copies of relevant certificates including form four certificate, form six certificate, certificate and academic transcript of first degree, internship certificate and practicing license (where applicable). EAC and international applicants must be registered by their respective professional councils and attach a certificate of good standing.
- iii. Applicants with foreign awards (form four, form six, first degree) must attach a certificate of recognition from the relevant authority (NECTA & TCU).
- iv. An up-to-date Curriculum Vitae, letter from employer and three recommendation letters.
- v. Verification letter of sponsorship/scholarship.

Successful applicants shall be required to submit original copies of certificates and transcripts for verification at the time of admission.

### **APPLICATION FEE**

Application fee is **TZS 50,000/=** for Tanzanian applicants and **US\$ 50** for foreign applicants paid to the University. For local applicants this can be paid through Tigo Pesa, m-pesa, Airtel Money, CRDB Bank, or CRDB Wakala using a control number generated automatically during the filling of personal particulars process. EAC and International students must pay directly to HKMU BOA Bank Account with details below.

Account Name	Hubert Kairuki Memorial University
Bank	BOA BANK TANZANIA LTD, NDC Branch
Swift Code	EUAFTZTZ
Account Number	0200721012

For more information, please visit the University website [www.hkmu.ac.tz](http://www.hkmu.ac.tz) or pay a visit to HKMU Admissions Office or contact the Director of Postgraduate Studies and Research at Hubert Kairuki Memorial University using the following details:

**Mobile: +255 769 724 636 / +255 654 724 636/ +255 659 371 234**

**Email: [admissions@hkmu.ac.tz](mailto:admissions@hkmu.ac.tz) or [secvc@hkmu.ac.tz](mailto:secvc@hkmu.ac.tz)**

**New students will be admitted in October of every year.**