

HEALTH PROFESSIONS EDUCATION

Postgraduate Certificate / Postgraduate Diploma / Master

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Invest into future generations by mastering the intricacies of health professions education

Embark on a programme tailor-made for health professions educators seeking to upskill and reskill pedagogical competencies guided by theoretical and contextual application. Designed to equip you with the latest teaching methodologies, curriculum development skills and assessment strategies tailored for the complexities of healthcare, it provides opportunities for learners to contribute to their institutions, addressing national and regional priorities. Our aim is to equip students with in-depth understanding of educational theories, principles and values related to contemporary learning environments. Arm yourself with the knowledge and competencies to be a 21st century health professions educators.

Degree / Duration

Postgraduate Certificate in Health Professions Education (IMU)*
6 months (Full-time)
1 – 4 years (Part-time)

Postgraduate Diploma in Health Professions Education (IMU)
1 year (Full-time)
1.5 – 5 years (Part-time)

Master in Health Professions Education (IMU)
2 years (Full-time)
3 – 6 years (Part-time)

Commencement

Mar (Conventional) / Sep (ODL)*

Partner University



◆ Assessments

Assessments vary throughout the programme from written assignments (critical reviews, reflection, case studies) to presentations. Regular feedback will be provided to enhance performance. Students in the Master programme are also required to submit a research proposal, conduct the research upon approval and write a dissertation.

◆ Programme Structure

This Health Professional Education (HPE) pathway offers 3 levels to accommodate varying interests and goals:

- Postgraduate Certificate
- Postgraduate Diploma
- Master

The pathway must be taken in order but students may exit after any level.

Postgraduate Certificate in Health Professions Education - 5 modules

- Educating 21st Century Healthcare Professionals
- Theories and Methods of Learning and Teaching in Health Professions Education
- E-Learning in Health Professions Education
- Work Based Learning in Health Professions Education
- Assessment and Feedback

Total of 20 Credit Hours (4 Credit Hours for Each Module)

Postgraduate Diploma in Health Professions Education - 8 modules

- Educating 21st Century Healthcare Professionals
- Theories and Methods of Learning and Teaching in Health Professions Education
- E-Learning in Health Professions Education
- Work Based Learning in Health Professions Education
- Assessment and Feedback
- Laying the Foundation of Research
- Curriculum Planning and Evaluation
- Management and Leadership in Health Professions Education

Total of 32 Credit Hours (20 Credit Hours from PG Certificate + 12 Credit Hours from PG Diploma)

Master in Health Professions Education - 10 modules

- Educating 21st Century Healthcare Professionals
- Theories and Methods of Learning and Teaching in Health Professions Education
- E-Learning in Health Professions Education
- Work Based Learning in Health Professions Education
- Assessment and Feedback
- Laying the Foundation of Research
- Curriculum Planning and Evaluation
- Management and Leadership in Health Professions Education
- Dissertation I
- Dissertation II

Total of 42 Credit Hours (20 Credit Hours from PG Certificate + 12 Credit Hours from PG Diploma + 10 Credit Hours at Masters Level)

◆ Entry Requirements

- A Bachelor's Degree in the field or related fields with a minimum CGPA of 2.50 or equivalent, as accepted by the University Senate; or
- A Bachelor's Degree in the field or related fields or equivalent with a minimum CGPA of 2.00 and not meeting a CGPA of 2.50, can be accepted subject to rigorous internal assessment

◆ English Language Requirements

For International Students (only one required)

1. IELTS : Band score 5.0; or
2. TOEFL (iBT) : Overall score of 42; or
3. Cambridge English : Advanced (CAE) : Overall score of 154; or
4. Cambridge English : Proficiency (CPE) : Overall score of 154; or
5. Cambridge Linguaskill : Overall score of 160; or
6. Pearson Test of English (PTE) : Overall score of 47;

The following categories of students are exempted from the above requirements:

1. International students from countries in which English is the first language.
2. International students who graduated from any Malaysian or other institutions where the curriculum is delivered in English.

Programme Fees

Fees Overview

All fees quoted are in Ringgit Malaysia unless stated otherwise.

Fee	Amount (RM)	
	Malaysian Student	International Student
Application Fee	150	500
Registration Fee	1,100	3,400
Refundable Caution Deposit	2,000	2,000
Student Association Fee per Semester	40	40

• All IMU Alumni who are self-funding their postgraduate studies and meet the eligibility criteria will be eligible for a bursary of 15%. • Application fee is payable upon submission of application. • Registration fee and refundable caution deposit is payable upon acceptance of the offer letter issued by the IMU Admissions Office. • Student must adhere to the "Policy on Payment of Fees". • For information on Student Visa Application fee, please refer to Visa and Immigration on the IMU website, www.imu.edu.my • Fee payable per semester are subject to the number of credits registered.

Tuition Fees

	Study Mode	No. of Credit Hour	Malaysian Student (RM)		International Student (RM)	
			Fee Per Credit Hour	Total Fee	Fee Per Credit Hour	Total Fee
Postgraduate Certificate	Conventional	20	1,100	22,000	1,125	22,500
	Open & Distance Learning (ODL)	20	900	18,000	900	18,000
Postgraduate Diploma	Conventional	12	1,100	13,200	1,125	13,500
Master	Conventional	10	1,100	11,000	1,125	11,250
	Total Credit Hours	42	Total (Conventional)	46,200	-	47,250
			Total (ODL + Conventional)	42,200	-	42,750
Credit transfer to Flinders University* Master of Clinical Education			Tuition Fee of AUD19,650			

*It is compulsory to complete the Postgraduate Diploma in Health Professions Education prior to embarking on this pathway.
• All IMU students transferring to Flinders University and meet the eligibility criteria will be eligible for a 20% discount.

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