



University of Pretoria Yearbook 2017

MOccTher Psychiatry (Coursework) (10258042)

Duration of study 2 years

Total credits 180

Admission requirements

- Subject to the stipulations of the General Regulations, the Bachelor's degree in Occupational Therapy or an equivalent qualification is required for admission as well as registration as occupational therapist with the Health Professions Council of South Africa.
- A student must have at least one year clinical experience in the proposed field of study (Community service year excluded).
- A student must hold at least a 15 hours per week position for the duration of study deemed applicable to the proposed field of study by the head of department.
- Fields of specialisation for the MOccTher degree with coursework are offered on an annual basis if at least five applicants apply for admission to a particular field of specialisation. The closing date for new applications is 31 October annually. Applicants will be notified as soon as possible after this date whether or not a particular field of specialisation will be presented in the subsequent year. Commencement of studies must therefore be discussed beforehand with the head of department.
- Contact department before application.

Additional requirements

Also consult the General Regulations.

Note:

Students must register for, and attend (TNM 802) Applied research methodology 802 satisfactorily. (Exemption will be granted if the module, BSN 701 Biostatistics and research methodology has been passed for the BOccTherHons degree.)

Examinations and pass requirements

- i. A continuous evaluation mark of at least 50% is required for admission to the examination in the major subject.
- ii. The sequence of the examinations in the prerequisite subjects will be determined by the head of department according to the major subject followed by the student.
- iii. In order to pass, a subminimum of 40% in the written and/or practical and/or clinical sections of the examination, and a final mark of at least 50%, is required in the major as well as the prerequisite subject.



Pass with distinction

The degree is conferred with distinction on a student who has obtained at least 75% in the major subject, and an average of at least 65% in the prerequisite subjects.



Curriculum: Year 1

Minimum credits: 180

Fundamental modules

Physiology 882 (FSG 882)

Module credits	15.00
Contact time	1 lecture per week
Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
Academic organisation	Physiology
Period of presentation	Year

Occupational therapeutic anatomy 805 (AAN 805)

Module credits	24.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	1 seminar per week, 4 lectures per week, 1 other contact session per week, 1 discussion class per week
Language of tuition	Afrikaans and English is used in one class
Academic organisation	Anatomy
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

Applied clinical anatomy of structures and systems as set out in the study guide for postgraduate anatomy courses.

Psychopathology 801 (PGP 801)

Module credits	28.00
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Academic organisation	Psychiatry
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

An indepth study of the psychopathology diseases applicable to psychiatry.

Core modules

Occupational therapy 804 (OTX 804)

Module credits	40.00
Language of tuition	Afrikaans and English is used in one class
Academic organisation	Occupational Therapy



Period of presentation Year

Module content

An in-depth study of occupational therapy as applicable to psychiatric disturbances in adults and/or children.

Mini-dissertation: Occupational therapy 891 (OTX 891)

Module credits 60.00

Language of tuition Afrikaans and English is used in one class

Academic organisation Occupational Therapy

Period of presentation Year

Applied research methodology 802 (TNM 802)

Module credits 0.00

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Academic organisation Health Sciences Dean's Office

Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Attendance module only.



Curriculum: Final year

Minimum credits: 180

Fundamental modules

Physiology 882 (FSG 882)

Module credits	15.00
Contact time	1 lecture per week
Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
Academic organisation	Physiology
Period of presentation	Year

Occupational therapeutic anatomy 805 (AAN 805)

Module credits	24.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	1 seminar per week, 4 lectures per week, 1 other contact session per week, 1 discussion class per week
Language of tuition	Afrikaans and English is used in one class
Academic organisation	Anatomy
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

Applied clinical anatomy of structures and systems as set out in the study guide for postgraduate anatomy courses.

Psychopathology 801 (PGP 801)

Module credits	28.00
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Academic organisation	Psychiatry
Period of presentation	Year

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Module content

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The information published here is subject to change and may be amended after the publication of this information. The [General Regulations \(G Regulations\)](#) apply to all faculties of the University of Pretoria. It is expected of students to familiarise themselves well with these regulations as well as with the information contained in the [General Rules](#) section. Ignorance concerning these regulations and rules will not be accepted as an excuse for any transgression.