
University of Pretoria Yearbook 2016

MSc Applied Human Nutrition (10253341)

Duration of study 1 year

Admission requirements

A recognised bachelor's degree in Medicine or in a supplementary health service profession; or a recognised and applicable bachelor honours degree of equivalent status as the BDietetics degree with regard to Physiology and Biochemistry.

Additional requirements

All MSc students must register for, and attend (TNM 800) Applied research methodology 800 satisfactorily. (Exemption may be granted if the module has already been passed for the BScHons degree.) Also consult General Regulations.

Other programme-specific information

Subject to the stipulations of the General Regulations, the Chairperson of the School may, in consultation with the head of department, approve a fixed limited extension of the period on the grounds of extraordinary circumstances.

Pass with distinction

The MSc in Applied Human Nutrition is conferred with distinction on a student who obtains an average of at least 75% in all the abovementioned modules and for the essay.

Curriculum: Final year

Core modules

Early childhood nutrition intervention 884 (DEK 884)

Module credits	20.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	1 discussion class per week
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Human Nutrition
Period of presentation	Semester 1 or Semester 2

Human nutrition 885 (DEK 885)

Module credits	12.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	1 discussion class per week
Language of tuition	Double Medium
Academic organisation	Human Nutrition
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Diet therapy 886 (DEK 886)

Module credits	12.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	1 discussion class per week
Language of tuition	Double Medium
Academic organisation	Human Nutrition
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Applied nutrition 887 (DEK 887)

Module credits	12.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	1 discussion class per week
Language of tuition	Double Medium
Academic organisation	Human Nutrition
Period of presentation	Semester 1



Two literature studies 888 (DEK 888)

Module credits	12.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Language of tuition	Double Medium
Academic organisation	Human Nutrition
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Essay: Dietetics 895 (DEK 895)

Module credits	120.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Language of tuition	Double Medium
Academic organisation	Human Nutrition
Period of presentation	Year

Applied research methodology 800 (TNM 800)

Module credits	5.00
Prerequisites	BOS 870
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	School of Health Syst & Public
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

*Attendance module only

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