

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2021

DMed Geriatrics (10260042)

Department Internal Medicine

Minimum duration of study 2 years

Total credits 360

NQF level 10

Programme information

The DMed degree is conferred by virtue of a thesis and, if the Dean deems it necessary, an examination on the field of study of the thesis.

Also consult General Regulations.

Admission requirements

1. MMed degree **or** PhD degree **or** relevant degree following an MBChB degree (at NQF-level 9)

Research information

A complete research protocol regarding the proposed thesis (as well as the curriculum vitae of the candidate) must be submitted for approval to the Postgraduate Committee and if necessary, also to the Ethics Committee. The thesis must deal with a problem from any field of study in Medicine and must satisfy the supervisor and the examiners that it represents advanced original research and/or creative work in the field of Medicine. It must give an overview of the literature that was used on the topic and contain a description of the observations made and experiments done by the student, as well as a discussion of the conclusions reached.



Curriculum: Year 1

Core modules

Thesis: Geriatrics 990 (GER 990)

Module credits	360.00
NQF Level	10
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Internal Medicine
Period of presentation	Year

Curriculum: Final year

Core modules

Thesis: Geriatrics 990 (GER 990)

Module credits	360.00
NQF Level	10
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Internal Medicine
Period of presentation	Year

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