



KENYA MEDICAL TRAINING COLLEGE

Training for Better Health



TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES 2024/2025 ACADEMIC YEAR (MARCH 2025 INTAKE) UPGRADING, HIGHER DIPLOMA AND SHORT COURSES APPLICATIONS

The Kenya Medical Training College invites applications from qualified candidates for admission into Medical Courses for the academic year 2024/2025 – MARCH 2025 UPGRADING HIGHER DIPLOMA AND SHORT COURSES INTAKES in our campuses situated in different parts of the country. The successful candidates will join the college in March 2025. All applications shall be made **ONLINE** in the KMTC admissions portal (admissions.kmtc.ac.ke) with an application fee of Kshs. 2072 payable via mobile money. A prompt will be sent to the applicants' phone to make payment. Should you require any clarification concerning the application process please call any of the following numbers 0736993813, 0736212060, 0723000429, 0723004516 or send an enquiry email to admissions@kmtc.ac.ke. You can also get help on the application process from the nearest KMTC campus.

UPGRADING COURSES (FROM CERTIFICATE TO DIPLOMA QUALIFICATIONS)

S/No	Course	Entry Requirements	Duration	Campus
DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSING				
1	Diploma in Community Health Nursing (Distance Learning)	Certificate in Community Health Nursing (KECN). Registration by the Nursing Council of Kenya 2 Years post-graduation experience	2 Years	Eldoret, Embu, Garissa, Kisii, Kisumu, Kitui, Lodwar, Meru, Mombasa, Muranga, Nakuru
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH				
2	Diploma in Public Health (Upgrading)	Certificate in Environmental Health Sciences Two years working experience	2 years	Embu, Karuri, Kuria, Kwale, Lake Victoria, Lugari, Manza, Nakuru, Othaya
DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAL LABORATORY SCIENCES				
3.	Diploma in Medical Laboratory Sciences (Upgrading)	Certificate in Medical Laboratory Sciences. Registration by the KMLTTB	2 years	Lake Victoria (Full Time)
DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAL ENGINEERING				
4.	Diploma in Medical Engineering (Upgrading)	Certificate in Medical Engineering.	2 years	Nairobi, Eldoret, Kilifi, Bomet, Makindu, Meru, Loitokitok, Kisumu, Kisii, Embu
DEPARTMENT OF NUTRITION & DIETETICS				
5.	Diploma in Nutrition & Dietetics (Upgrading)	Holder of a Certificate in Community Nutrition/Nutrition & Dietetics/Food Science & Nutrition KNEC Certificate in Nutrition & Dietetics for TVET graduates	2 years	Karen, Homa Bay, Thika, Nyandarua, Makueni - Mbuvo, Lodwar, Kapenguria, Kwale, Molo
DEPARTMENT OF ORTHOPEDIC & TRAUMA MEDICINE				
6.	Diploma in Orthopaedics and Trauma Medicine (Upgrading)	Certificate in Orthopaedics Plaster Technology/ Certificate in Orthopaedic Trauma Medicine 1 year post completion experience	2 Years	Bungoma, Kakamega, Kangundo, Kaptumo, Machakos, Makindu Makueni, Mbooni, Nairobi, Nakuru, Port Reitz, Sigowet, Thika
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH RECORDS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY				
7	Diploma in Health Records and Information (Upgrading)	Certificate in Health Records and Information Technology from KMTC OR from any other institution accredited by the Health Records and Information Management Board (HRIM) and completed in at least 2 years. Registration by the HRIM Board	2 years	Bondo, Chwele, Imenti, Isiolo, Kapenguria, Kapkatet, Kaptumo, Kitui, Kuria, Lamu, Lugari, Makueni - Mbuvo campus, Manza, Meru – Maua campus, Molo, Mombasa, Msambweni, Muranga, Nairobi, Nakuru, Nyamache, Nyeri, Othaya, Rachuonyo, Rera, Siaya, Tana River, Teso, Ugenya, Voi, Webuye



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH PROMOTION & COMMUNITY HEALTH				
8	Certificate in Community Health Assistant (Upgrading)	Foundations Course in Community Health Course or Community Health & Development Course	2 years	Lodwar
9	Diploma in Community Health (Upgrading)	Certificate in Community Health from KMTC	2 years	Embu, Imenti, Iten, Kabarnet, Kangundo, Kapenguria, Kuria, Lake Victoria, Lodwar, Lugari, Makindu, Makueni -Mbuvo campus, Mandera, Manza, Mbooni, Nairobi, Ndiwa, Chemolingot, Nyahururu, Nyamache, Othaya, Port Reitz, Rachuonyo, Sigowet, Tana River, Taveta, Teso, Trans-Mara, Ugenya, Webuye
DEPARTMENT OF CLINICAL MEDICINE				
10	Diploma in Mortuary Science (Upgrading)	Certificate in Mortuary Science from a recognized institution	2 Years	Kisumu, Nairobi, Mombasa
11	Diploma in Emergency Medical Technician (Upgrading)	Certificate in Emergency Medical Technician course from KMTC or any other recognized institution	2 years	Nairobi, Mombasa, Makindu, Kapenguria

HIGHER DIPLOMA/POST BASIC COURSES

S/No	Course	Minimum Entry Requirements	Course Duration	Campus
1. DEPARTMENT OF NURSING				
i.	Critical Care Nursing	Diploma in Nursing or in Community Health Nursing(KRN/ KRCHN), Diploma in Nursing (KRN/KRM) Registered by the Nursing Council of Kenya (NCK) and a holder of a valid practising licence 1 year post NCK licensing experience	2 years	Nairobi, Kilifi, Machakos
ii.	Paediatric Nursing			Mathare
iii.	Palliative Care (Distance Learning)			Nairobi
iv.	Family Health Nursing (Distance Learning)			Nairobi
v.	Kenya Registered Nurse Anaesthesia			Kisumu
vi.	Perioperative Nursing			Nairobi
vii.	Nephrology Nursing			Nairobi, Nakuru, Embu
viii.	Ophthalmic Nursing			Nairobi
ix.	Oncology Nursing			Mosoriot
2. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH				
Higher Diploma in Public Health:				
iv	Epidemiology	Diploma in Environmental Health Sciences, KRCHN, Clinical Medicine, Medical Laboratory Sciences, Pharmacy, Nutrition, Health Records & Information, Community Oral Health	2 years	Nairobi
v	Higher Diploma in Medical Social Work (Gender Based Violence)	Diploma in Medical Social Work from KMTC or from any other recognized institution or diploma in any other health related course from Kenya Medical Training College	2 years	Nairobi

3. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH PROMOTION & COMMUNITY HEALTH				
i.	Higher Diploma in Health Education and Promotion	Diploma in any one of the Health Care professions from KMTC or other recognized institutions OR Diploma in any Social Science from other accredited institutions	2 years	Nairobi
4. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS EDUCATION				
i.	Higher Diploma in Health Professions Education (Medical Education)	Diploma in any one of the Health Care professions, basic knowledge in Computer is applications	2 years	Nairobi
ii.	Higher Diploma in Health Systems Management (Distance Learning)	Diploma in a Health related course or a BSc. In health related course from a recognized institution	2 years	Nairobi
iii.	Higher Diploma in Health Administration	Diploma in a Health-related field or its equivalent from a recognized institution or a Diploma in a Management related field e.g. Business Administration or any other relevant field	2 years	Nairobi
5. DEPARTMENT OF CLINICAL MEDICINE & SURGERY				
Higher Diploma in Clinical Medicine & Surgery				
i.	Advanced Refraction and Low Vision	Diploma in Clinical Medicine & Surgery from KMTC and any other recognized institution · Registration with the Clinical Officers’ Council · Two years’ experience post-graduation in Clinical Medicine	2 years	Eldoret
ii.	Ophthalmology and Cataract Surgery		2 years	Eldoret
iii.	Higher Diploma in Addictive Sciences		2 years	Mathari
6. DEPARTMENT OF RADIOGRAPHY & IMAGING				
i	Higher Diploma in Radiography & Imaging - (Ultrasonography)	Diploma in Medical Imaging Sciences or its equivalent	2 years	Eldoret, Kisumu
ii	Higher Diploma in Radiography & Imaging – (Radiation Therapy)	Diploma in Radiotherapy or equivalent/Diploma in Radiography/MIS	2 years	Eldoret
iii.	Higher Diploma in Radiography & Imaging – (Computed Tomography)	Diploma in Radiography and Imaging (Medical Imaging Science) or its Equivalent from a recognized training institution	2 years	Eldoret
iv.	Higher Diploma in Radiography & Imaging – (Magnetic Resonance Imaging)	Diploma in Radiography and Imaging (Medical Imaging Science) or its Equivalent from a recognized training institution	2 years	Eldoret
7. DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAL ENGINEERING				
i.	Higher Diploma in Medical Engineering (Diagnostic Equipment)	Diploma in Medical Engineering from KMTC or any other recognized institution. MUST satisfy the common admission requirements for diploma in Medical Engineering at Kenya Medical Training College (KMTC)	2 years	Eldoret
ii.	Higher Diploma in Medical Engineering (Therapeutic Equipment)		2 years	Eldoret
lii.	Higher Diploma in Medical Engineering (Dialysis)		2 years	Eldoret
8. DEPARTMENT OF PHYSIOTHERAPY				
i.	Higher Diploma in Physiotherapy (Orthopedic Manual Therapy)	Bsc. Physiotherapy or Diploma in Physiotherapy	2 years	Nairobi, Homa Bay
ii.	Higher Diploma in Physiotherapy (Neurorehabilitation)	Diploma in Physiotherapy/BSc Physiotherapy		Nairobi
9. DEPARTMENT OF OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY				

i.	Higher Diploma in Occupational Therapy (Renal Rehabilitation)	Diploma in Occupational Therapy from a recognized institution	2 years	Nairobi
ii.	Higher Diploma in Occupational Therapy (Community Based Rehabilitation)		2 years	Nairobi
10. DEPARMTNT OF ORTHOPEDIC TECHNOLOGY				
i.	Higher Diploma in Orthopaedic Technology (Orthotics)	Diploma in Orthopaedic Technology	2 years	Nairobi
ii.	Higher Diploma in Orthopaedic Technology (Prosthetics)		2 years	Nairobi
11. DEPARTMENT OF PHARMCY				
i.	Higher Diploma in Renal Pharmacy	Diploma in Pharmacy OR Diploma in Pharmaceutical Technology from an institution recognized by the Pharmacy and Poisons Board Three Years Post Qualification Working Experience in the Medical Field Enrolled with the Pharmacy & Poisons Board Applicants must have met the Minimum Entry Requirements for a Diploma in Pharmacy/Pharmaceutical Technology	2 years	Nairobi
12. DEPARTMENT OF NUTRITION AND DIETETICS				
i.	Higher Diploma in Nutrition & Dietetics (Renal Nutrition)	Diploma in Nutrition & Dietetics /Diploma in Community Nutrition from KMTC or any other institution recognized by KMTC	2 years	Karen (Nairobi)
ii.	Higher Diploma in Nutrition Surveillance	Registration by the Kenya Nutritionists and Dieticians Institute (KNDI) and holder of a valid practising license from KNDI, 2 Years post Diploma experience		

SHORT COURSE

sno	Course	Description	Target Group	Campus	Duration	Fees (KES)
1.	HIV Training and Counseling services (HTS)	Prepares participants to provide comprehensive HIV Testing Services (HTS)-accredited by Nascop)	Individuals interested in working in HIV/AIDS programs, with minimum Certificate in any health-related course	Lake Victoria, Nairobi, Kisumu, Machakos, Homa Bay, Nakuru, Mwingi, Nyeri, Kaptumo, Meru	3 weeks fulltime	24,500
2.	Adherence Counseling	Equips participants with knowledge & skills to motivate persons living with HIV/AIDS to maintain their treatment and adhere to guidelines provided	Those with certificate in HTS, health or social sciences, counseling community health & development.	Nairobi Lake Victoria Machakos	1 Week full time + 1 month practicum/ mentorship	16,000
3.	Echocardiography	Participants acquire skills and competences in the generation and interpretation of images of the heart and blood vessels using ultrasound	Radiographers, Doctors Clinical officers and Nurses with minimum Diploma with professional registration	Nairobi	6 months (blended online & on campus)	150,000
4.	Point of Care Ultrasound	Prepares participants to obtain and interpret ultra sound images to help with obstetrics care	Doctors Nurses Clinical officers Minimum Diploma with professional registration	Nairobi	6 months (blended online & on campus)	120,000
5.	Monitoring & evaluation	Provides participants with requisite competences to design projects, ensure they are on track, evaluate and demonstrate accountability	Project Officers, health information officers and anyone involved in designing or monitoring interventions (minimum Diploma)	Nairobi Chwele Murang'a Siaya	6 weeks blended online and on campus with practicum.	60,000
6.	Safe Phlebotomy	Participants gain knowledge and skills to safely draw blood, handle equipment and avoid occupational exposure	Individuals interested in drawing blood for diagnostic purposes with a minimum D+(plus) in KCSE	Nairobi, Port Reitz, Lake Victoria, Nyeri Kitui, Machakos, Meru, Kisii	5 days full time	20,000
7.	Integrated BLS/First Aid	Empowers participants to prevent and manage life threatening emergencies.	Drivers, Police, Security personnel, healthcare workers, carers & anyone who maybe be required to attend to emergency	Nairobi	5 days full time	20,000
8.	Regional anaesthesia and Acute pain Management	Prepares participants to perform regional blocks, manage acute pain and improve perioperative care, while using point of care ultrasound.	HND in Anaesthesia (Clinical Medicine or Nursing)	Nairobi	6 months fulltime	120,000
9.	Upper Extremity Splinting in Occupational therapy	Prepares participants to manage injuries and conditions of the upper extremity through splinting	Practicing Occupational therapists (minimum Diploma)	Nairobi	2 weeks (blended online & on campus)	25,000
10.	Community Mental Health	Prepares participants to promote mental health, provide mental health 'first aid', refer clients, and support recovery & community integration	Community based workers, Community Health promoters & community gatekeepers. Minimum-KCPE/ability to read and write.	Mathari Port Reitz Muranga	12 weeks (blended- online & on campus)	25,000

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11.	Sign Language for Health workers	Prepares healthcare workers to communicate in sign language, helping the deaf access healthcare	Health workers interested in supporting the deaf; minimum requirement certificate	Bungoma, Nairobi, Makindu, Muranga, Kisii, Eldoret, Nakuru	6 months (3 fulltime & 3 practicum)	40,000
12.	Basic Occupational Health and Safety	Builds capacity of workers to enhance occupational health and safety in the workplace. Equivalent to workplace safety and health Course offered by DOSHS.	Workers involved in health & safety. Minimum qualification KCPE.	Nairobi	6 months (blended online and on-campus)	33,000
13.	NCLEX-RN [®]	Prepares Nurses to sit for the NCLEX-RN exam (review of nursing content and test taking strategies)	Registered nurses	Nairobi/Mathari	2 weeks, Online evening classes. Intake-bimonthly	25,000 USD 200 for non-EAC citizens
14.	Health Care Assistant	This course prepares trainees to provide hands-on care to patients/clients in a variety of settings, including hospitals, homes and other institutions of care	Individuals with a passion for patient care and have attained minimum, D plain in KCSE or its equivalent.	Bomet, Busia, Chuka, Marimanti, Chwele, Homa Bay - Mbita Satellite, Kabarnet, Kangema, Kinangop, Kitale, Kuria, Lamu, Lugari, Makindu, Makueni, Mandera, Marsabit, Mathari, Maua, Mbooni, Mbuvo, Makueni, Migori, Narok, Nyandarua, Port Reitz, Rachuonyo, Rarieda, Rera, Tana River, Taveta, Ugenya, Ugunja, Webuye, Voi, Mombasa, Makindu, Makueni	The duration of the program will be Six (6) months (equivalent of 22 weeks) The mode of study shall be Blended -Face to face classroom teaching integrated with practical sessions and online classes	60,000

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