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MEDICAL AND DENTAL PROFESSIONS BOARD

GUIDELINES FOR APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF QUALIFICATION NOT PRESCRIBED FOR REGISTRATION (FOREIGN QUALIFICATION) AS MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS AND MEDICAL SPECIALISTS

These guidelines are developed in compliance with the following:

1. HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT 56 OF 1974

2. REGULATIONS RELATING TO THE REGISTRATION OF PERSONS WHO HOLD QUALIFICATIONS NOT PRESCRIBED FOR REGISTRATION

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3. REGULATIONS RELATING TO PERFORMANCE OF COMMUNITY SERVICE BY PERSONS REGISTERING IN TERMS OF THE HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT, 1974

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Foreign qualified medical practitioners/medical specialists can apply for registration in the appropriate category with the Health Professions Council of South Africa. The qualification must have been awarded by an institution listed in the World Directory of Medical Schools (www.wdoms.org)

Applicants should submit the required information, meet the minimum requirements for registration as specified by the Board and, if required, successfully complete the Board Examination for foreign qualified medical practitioners/specialists before registration.

Verification of credentials forms part of the predetermined requirements for registration. The Medical and Dental Professions Board recognises a verification report issued by the Education Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates (ECFMG) for applicants wishing to register as foreign qualified medical practitioners/medical specialists or any other verification process approved by the board from time to time.

Foreign Qualified **Medical Practitioners / Medical specialists** should first apply with ECFMG International Credentials Services (EICS) to have their credentials verified at applicant's own cost.

The EICS is required to verify the following documents:

- undergraduate medical degree;
- transcript of the medical degree;
- internship where applicable;
- Post graduate medical degree (specialty registration) where applicable;
- Transcript for post graduate degree (specialty registration) where applicable;
- registration with the regulator where the applicant is practising.

The applicant is required to ensure that the EICS submits the ECFMG **Verification report** to the HPCSA **prior to considering the application** for registration with HPCSA. The ECFMG (EICS) may be reached at the following address:

ECFMG International Credentials services (EICS)
4th Floor
3624 Market Street
Philadelphia, PA 19104
USA

For any questions regarding the ECFMG application process, please contact EICS at + 215-823-2274 or email enquiry to ecfmgics@ecfmq.org.

Applicants who are Non-South African citizens or permanent residents are required to first obtain a letter from the Foreign Work Force directorate of the National Department of Health in Pretoria, permitting application to be considered for registration with the HPCSA. *Please note that this is permission only for the applicant to apply for registration and does not guarantee the applicant or entitle them to a post within the public health sector. If the applicant is successfully registered with the HPCSA further endorsements may be required for employment. The National Department of Health does not encourage the recruitment of foreign health professionals who are citizens of developing countries.*

1. REGISTRATION IN THE CATEGORY PUBLIC SERVICE

Applicants with foreign qualifications will first have their qualifications and experience assessed by the Board. Applicants may then be categorised either in the non-exam or exam track. Applicants in the exam track shall be required to write the board examination for medical practitioners or the board examination for specialists conducted by the Colleges of Medicine of South Africa, as the case may be. Applicants may also be required to perform internship or supervised practice before they are registered as medical practitioner in public service.

1.1 REGISTRATION AS MEDICAL PRACTITIONER PUBLIC SERVICE

Documents required for evaluation are as follows:-

- i. proof of the applicant holding an appropriate qualification in medicine in the country of origin (attach a copy of degree certificate certified by a Notary Public and (if applicable) a sworn translation thereof in English);
- ii. Certified copy of identity document or passport;
- iii. A detailed *curriculum vitae*.
- iv. verification of credentials by the Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates International Credentials Services (to be obtained by the applicant at own cost);
- v. a recent original Certificate of Status (Certificate of Good Standing), not older than 6 months, issued by the foreign Regulatory Authority;
- vi. Full details and documentary evidence to be provided in the form of certified copy of intern duty certificate;
- vii. the application form for registration, duly completed;
- viii. the prescribed registration fee and *pro rata* annual fee as advised on the HPCSA website.

1.1.1 GUIDELINES FOR BOARD EXAMINATION FOR MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS IN THE CATEGORY (PUBLIC SERVICE)

Each attempt at the board examination consists of

a. Theory section (MCQ)

- Has two parts: A medical section and an ethics section
- The overall pass rate shall be 50% percent for the theory section with a subminimum of 45% each for medical section and ethics section. If the ethics examination is conducted separately it shall be valid for the period indicated.

b. Practical section (OSCE)

- Should the candidate pass the theory section, the candidate qualifies for the practical section. Two opportunities shall be offered to the candidate for the practical section. The second opportunity at the practical section should be within one year after the first opportunity;
- One attempt is thus one opportunity at theory section followed by two opportunities at the practical section.

Number of attempts

- The candidate shall be offered three attempts to be successful in the board exam.
- A fourth attempt may be considered at the discretion of the Board one year after the unsuccessful third attempt.
- Board examination shall be conducted twice a year, May/June and October/November.

NB: Non-exam track candidates who have not been in active clinical practice for ten years or more will be required to write the board exam.

1.1.2 GUIDELINES FOR INTERNSHIP TRAINING/SUPERVISED PRACTICE FOR REGISTRATION IN THE CATEGORY (PUBLIC SERVICE)

- a. South African Citizens with foreign qualifications who do not provide satisfactory proof of internship and/or are not registered as medical practitioners outside South Africa shall be required to perform internship.
- b. Foreign nationals who have provided proof of internship or similar training or experience obtained outside South Africa and are registered as a medical practitioner in a country outside South Africa , shall have to perform 12 months of supervised practice.
- c. Permanent residents, asylum seekers, refugees and those covered by government to government agreements who do not provide satisfactory proof of internship and/or are not registered as medical practitioners outside South Africa shall be required to perform internship.
- d. Facilities and requirements for such training:
 - i. Internship training shall be performed in South Africa in accredited internship training facilities as set out in the internship training guidelines. A log book will be provided for practitioners to be completed and signed off by the supervisors
 - ii. Supervised practice shall be performed in public health facilities in South Africa. A log book will be provided for practitioners, and these are to be completed and signed off by the supervisor/s in the domains included in the log book
 - iii. In instances where a practitioner has a foreign specialist qualification or has extensive experience in specific domain/domains, supervised practice may be restricted to that domain/domains provided the employer indicates in the job offer that the practitioner shall be limited to perform his/her duties in that specific domain/domains
- e. Extension of Internship Training/Supervised Practice

Refer to internship guidelines for those who perform internship.

For practitioners in supervised practice, the supervising facility can, if necessary, extend the period of supervised practice to a maximum of 12 more months to assess the required competencies.

If the practitioner fails to achieve the required competencies even after an additional 12 months, the practitioner shall be deregistered.

1.2 REGISTRATION AS MEDICAL SPECIALIST PUBLIC SERVICE

The following process shall be followed for all foreign qualified specialist applications seeking to register in the category specialist (public service). The applicants have to qualify to be registered in the category medical practitioner (public service) to be considered for specialist (public service) registration.

1. Documents required for evaluation of specialist qualification and experience include :
 - i. Certified detailed and official Curriculum and log book of the specialist training received outside South Africa together with evidence that the hospital is a teaching hospital;
 - ii. Portfolio of experience obtained as a specialist post qualification
 - iii. Notarised copy of the specialist qualification together with academic curriculum obtained outside South Africa;
 - iv. Certified copy of the registration with the relevant medical council as specialist;
 - v. ECFMG verification of the basic and specialist qualifications and registration with the relevant medical council as specialist;
 - vi. Original form 21 duly completed;
 - vii. A detailed curriculum vitae
 - viii. Certificate of good standing, not older than 6 months
 - ix. certified copy of ID/ passport
 - x. FWMP endorsement letter

The Board shall then assess the application on a case by case basis and determine whether the applicant qualifies for the following tracks:

- i. **Non-exam track:** The applicant shall be registered after peer review evaluation, in the category specialist (Public Service). This track shall be considered only for applicants who have already achieved the required competencies in their speciality and is equivalent to the education and training standard and duration of study of a similar qualification awarded by accredited South African educational institutions
- ii **Exam and Supervised practice track**

Medical specialist applicants who do not qualify after peer review to be in the non-exam track shall be considered to be evaluated in the exam and supervised practice track provided the board is satisfied with the information provided by the applicant.

The applicant shall be permitted to sit for the exam for specialists in the relevant speciality conducted by the Colleges of Medicine of South Africa, on behalf of the board. If successful, the applicant shall be registered in the category specialist (public service) after successfully completing a year of supervised practice.

For practitioners in supervised practice, the supervising facility can, if deemed necessary, extend the period of supervised practice to a maximum of 12 more months to achieve the required competencies. If the practitioner fails to achieve the required competencies even after an additional 12 months, the matter must be referred back to the board for an appropriate determination on the way forward.

Non-exam track candidates who have not been in active clinical practice for ten years or more will be required to write the board exam.

2.REGISTRATION IN THE CATEGORY MEDICAL PRACTITIONER/SPECIALIST EDUCATION

Registration is restricted to the specific purpose of registration and is time limited

Such an application should further be supported by the Foreign Workforce Management Programme of the National Department of Health.

Applications must be accompanied by –

- i. proof of the applicant holding an appropriate qualification in medicine in the country of origin (attach a copy of degree certificate certified by a Notary Public and (if applicable) a sworn translation thereof in English);
- ii. verification of credentials by the Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates International Credentials Services (to be obtained by the applicant at own cost);
- iii. a recent original Certificate of Status (Certificate of Good Standing), not older than 6 months, issued by the foreign Regulatory Authority;
- iv. a recommendation on the applicant's registrability submitted by the Head of the relevant department and the Dean of the University/research institution based on –
 - a. the institution's assessment of the applicant's *curriculum vitae*;
 - b. an assessment of his/her abilities to practise successfully in South Africa as an educator/trainer/researcher;
 - c. the applicant having complied with all the requirements of the institution for employment as an educator/trainer/researcher;
- v. the application form for registration, duly completed;
- vi. the prescribed registration fee and *pro rata* annual fee as advised on the HPCSA website.

Please note that persons with registration in the category Education are only permitted to practice in accordance with their appointment at the relevant educational institution.

3. REGISTRATION IN THE CATEGORY POSTGRADUATE STUDY

Applications for such registration should be recommended by the Dean of the School of Medicine or Health Sciences of a South African University.

Such application should further be supported by the Foreign Workforce Management Programme of the National Department of Health.

Applications must be accompanied by –

- i. proof of the applicant holding a basic qualification in medicine in the country of origin (attach a copy of degree certificate certified by a Notary Public and a sworn translation thereof in English);
- ii. a letter submitted by the Dean of the School of Medicine or Health Sciences of a South African University confirming that the applicant would be appointed in a self - funded post as well as a recommendation for registration in the said category specifying -
 - a. the nature of the proposed study; if applicant is registering for a course recognized for specialist or subspecialist registration, the applicant may be required to pass a competence examination as required by the Board;
 - b. the level of such study;
 - c. the expected duration of the proposed study;
- iii. a letter issued by the Department of Health confirming that all requirements and contractual arrangements have been complied with, to permit the applicant to undergo the proposed postgraduate study in South Africa and that the applicant agreed in writing that he or she would, on completion of his or her education and training, return to their country of origin. If the applicant subsequently wishes to stay in the country, he/she will have to comply with all the requirements for the registration category that the applicant is applying for.
- iv. A recent original Certificate of Status (Certificate of Good Standing), not older than 6 months, issued by the foreign Regulatory Authority;
- v. Verification of credentials by the Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates(ECFMG) with the following being verified, at applicant's own cost:
 - a. Medical Diploma
 - b. Academic Transcript
 - c. Medical Registration with your Council
 - d. Post Graduate training certificates if applicable
- vi. the attached application form for registration, duly completed;
- vii. The prescribed registration fee and *pro rata* annual fee – rates applicable at time of registration are obtainable on the HPCSA website.

4. REGISTRATION AS A MEDICAL PRACTITIONER IN THE CATEGORY MILITARY SERVICE

Registration restricted to the specific purpose of registration and is time limited and confined to military health care services

The application should be supported by the Foreign Workforce Management Programme of the National Department of Health

The application must be accompanied by –

- v. proof of the relevant practitioner holding an appropriate qualification in medicine in the country of origin (attach a copy of degree certificate certified by a Notary Public and a sworn translation thereof in English);
- vi. a recent original Certificate of Status (Certificate of Good Standing), which is not older than 6 months, issued by foreign Regulatory Authority;
- vii. a recommendation for registration issued by the Surgeon-General based on –
 - aa. the Surgeon-General's assessment of the practitioner's *curriculum vitae*;
 - bb. an assessment of the practitioner's abilities to practise successfully in South Africa;
 - cc. the period for which the practitioner will require such registration;
- vi. the attached application for registration, duly completed;
- iv. the prescribed registration fee as advised on the HPCSA website.

5. REGISTRATION AS A MEDICAL PRACTITIONER IN THE CATEGORY VOLUNTEER SERVICES

Registration in this category allows applicant to “participate in a healthcare relief or assistance programme of a temporary nature at the recommendation and under the supervision of a South African healthcare provider agency or any organisation recognised by the professional board concerned.”

Registration is short-term in nature (one year or less) and does require an endorsement letter from the Foreign Workforce Management Programme of the National Department of Health

The application must be accompanied by –

- i. proof of the relevant practitioner holding an appropriate qualification in medicine in the country of origin (attach a copy of degree certificate certified by a Notary Public and a sworn translation thereof into English);
- ii. a recent original Certificate of Status (Certificate of Good Standing), not older than 6 months, issued by foreign Registration Authority;
- iii. a recommendation for registration by the South African Health Care Provider Agency based on –
 - aa. the Agency's assessment of the practitioner's *curriculum vitae*;
 - bb. an assessment of the practitioner's abilities to practise successfully in South Africa;
 - cc. the period for which the practitioner will require such registration;
 - dd. an undertaking by the South African Health Care Provider Agency to supervise the practitioner during the said period of registration;

- iv. an affidavit, issued by the South African Health Care Provider Agency confirming that the applicant would only be employed as a volunteer for the duration of such registration without being remunerated.
- v. The attached application form for registration in the Category Volunteer Services duly completed
- vi. The prescribed registration fee and *pro rata* annual fee as advised on the HPCSA website.
- vii. A notarised copy of Passport.

Registration in the category Volunteer Services will be for an initial maximum period of one year only. Such registration could, however, be extended by the Board on a year-to-year basis. In case of registration for a period longer than 6 months, the applicant must have their qualifications verified by ECFMG International Credential Services. If extension of registration beyond six months is contemplated, the practitioner should make the appropriate application for verification of credentials with ECFMG, within the initial six months.

6.REGISTRATION UNDER GOVERNMENT-TO-GOVERNMENT AGREEMENT

Registration in this category is provided for in terms of a government to government agreement between South Africa and the country from which applicant comes from. Registration is restricted to a period agreed upon by the two countries and such registration may further be restricted to an agreed upon field of practice.

Application is strictly per recommendation from the National Department of Health after the necessary professional competence evaluations are conducted, in general terms, in the applicant's country of origin.

The individual applicant is subjected to peer review by South African reviewers/counterparts, mainly to assess language competence.

ECFMG credential reports may not be necessary.

If the applicant subsequently wishes to stay in the country, he/she will have to comply with all the requirements for the registration category that the applicant is applying for.

7. REGISTRATION IN THE CATEGORY INDEPENDENT PRACTICE

In order to obtain registration in the category **INDEPENDENT PRACTICE**, persons registered in the category Public Service must have:

- (a) complied with the qualification requirements for registration in terms of regulation 2(2) of the Regulations relating to the registration of persons who hold qualifications not prescribed for registration;
- (b) (i) complied with the requirements of section 25(3A) of the Act; which requires the applicant to be a South African citizen or has attained permanent residence status in terms of the immigration Act 2002 (Act no. 13 of 2002);
(ii) in the case of a foreign qualified South African citizen, performed community service in terms of section 24A of the Act in respect of a profession to which community service applies;
- (c) passed the applicable examination as determined by the board for registration in the category of independent practice. For those required to write the Board Examination (Medical practitioners/Specialists) and were successful there will be no further requirement to pass any other applicable examination, and
- (d) complied with such other requirements as may be determined by the professional board concerned, for registration in the category, Independent Practice.

These requirements include:

- i. applicant must have completed the period of service specified in the Foreign Workforce Management Programme endorsement letter in public service (including 12 months of community service where applicable) in the category public service;
 - ii. If such a specification is not made the applicant must have served in public service in the registration category of public service (including 12 months of community service where applicable) for a minimum period of 5 years (60 months).
- (e) Complied with CPD requirements.

OTHER REQUIREMENTS FOR REGISTRATION

All the documents, **correctly notarised/certified** as per the requirements of the Board should be submitted **in one batch**.

Non-compliant applications will be rejected.

All documentation required by the Board should be submitted in English. Only original translations of the required documents done by a sworn translator and duly sealed and notarised by an attorney in his/her capacity as a Notary Public will be accepted.

In addition to such English translations, legible copies of the original documents, certified and duly sealed by a Notary Public should also be submitted.

HPCSA will not accept copies certified by a Commissioner of Oaths or Justice of the Peace in place of a Notarized Copy where such is specifically requested for, per application form or these guidelines.

Please feel free to write to the Council should you require further information. Inquiries may be directed to MDBBoard@hpcsa.co.za.

GUIDELINES FOR REGISTRATION OF FOREIGN QUALIFIED MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS AND MEDICAL SPECIALISTS

These guidelines are intended to assist an applicant who wishes to apply for registration with the Medical and Dental Professions Board.

The following procedure should be followed by foreign qualified Medical practitioners:

- Step 1: Submission of application for verification of primary source credentials to the ECFMG International Credentials services (EICS) for medical practitioners
- Step 2 Upon receipt of confirmation of completed verification by EICS, apply to the Board for registration by submitting the relevant documentation, including the endorsement letter issued by FWMP,
- Step 3: Assessment of qualification, curriculum and experience by the Board;
- Step 4 **In the case of exam track medical practitioner applicant upon approval**, to sit for the Board examination, obtain information on the date and venue of the examination pay the prescribed examination fee and complete applicable form. Proof of payment and the form should be sent to MDBBoard@hpcsa.co.za.
- Step 4(b) **In the case of exam track medical specialists** applicants sit for the exam conducted by the Colleges of Medicine of South Africa.
- Step 5 Sit for the examination and allow two weeks for the results to be made available.
- Step 6: If successful and on receipt of written confirmation of your success from the Board, obtain a letter of endorsement towards **employment and allocation of post** from the National Department of Health. Specialists receive a letter confirming success of the examination from the Colleges of Medicine of South Africa.
- Step 7: Pay the prescribed fee for the issuance registration certificate of the approved category e.g. Internship, supervised practice, public service etc.

APPLICATION

Please note that **separate** applications of the required supporting documents should be prepared and submitted to –

- the Health Professions Council of South Africa;
- the National Department of Health
- the Education Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates: International Credentials Services (ECFMG), Philadelphia, United States of America.

The following documents must be submitted to the Board for attention the Registrar, P O Box 205, Pretoria, 0001 or 553 Madiba Street, Arcadia, Pretoria, 0083:

- the complete verification report ECFMG International Credentials services (EICS);
- the applicable form, duly completed and original application form submitted to the HPCSA;
- copy of degree certificate or other basic qualification and a sworn translation in English (Copies will **only be accepted if certified by an attorney in his/her capacity as a notary public and bearing the official stamp**. Copies certified by a Commissioner of Oaths **will not be accepted**. Only original translations of the required documents done by a sworn translator and duly sealed and notarised will be accepted. In addition to such English translations, legible copies of the original documents, certified and duly sealed by a Notary Public should be submitted;
- documentary proof of internship training or equivalent training/experience, issued by the relevant institution(s). See attached document (Form 10A) for guidance;
- foreign qualified Health Practitioners who obtained their medical qualifications in any other language except in English should submit their certificate from International English Language Testing System (IELTS); Must achieve Level 7 in each of the modules (listening, reading, academic writing, speaking)
- A recent original Certificate of Status (Certificate of Good Standing) not older than six months from the date of issue, indicating that the applicant is in good standing, issued by the foreign registration authority where the applicant is currently registered;
- A certified copy of a valid Passport or Identity Document as proof of current citizenship, duly certified;
- A letter of endorsement in support of the application for registration issued by the Department of Health. Applications should be directed to The Program Manager, **Department of Health, National Department of Health, Private Bag X828, Pretoria, 0001, RSA**. Applicants who fail to secure the support of the Department of Health towards an application for registration or employment will not be eligible for registration.
- A certified copy of the official and detailed academic curriculum of the applicant's course of study, specifying courses, content of education (theory) and training (practical/clinical), duration and mode of examination/evaluation.
- Updated and detailed curriculum vitae.



NB: NON COMPLIANT APPLICATIONS WILL BE REJECTED

**APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF FOREIGN
FOR F QUALIFIED AS MEDICAL PRACTITIONER / MEDICAL SPECIALIST**

CATEGORY wishing to register in: INTERN SUPERVISED PRACTICE MEDICAL
 PRACTITIONER (PUBLIC SERVICE)
 POST GRADUATE STUDIES EDUCATION SPECIALIST (PUBLIC SERVICE) MILITARY SERVICE
 VOLUNTEER SERVICE

NB: All medical qualifications obtained outside South Africa need to be verified by the Education Commission of Foreign Medical Graduates (ECFMG) prior to the application for registration. The ECFMG primary source verification report should include the verification of the following:

- ❖ Medical qualification.
- ❖ Transcript of that qualification.
- ❖ Proof of registration with another regulatory body where applicant was practising.

1. Title (Prof, Dr): Surname:

2. Maiden Name (if applicable):

3. First name(s):

4. Date of birth: Birth Place:

5. Postal address:

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Tel. (Work): (Home):

Cell: Fax:

E-mail Address:

*Marital Status: Divorced Married Single Other *Gender: Male Female Other

*Race (Popn Group) African Asian Coloured White Other *Country of origin:

*Citizenship:

* For statistical purposes only – Information required by the National Department of Health.

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS PER CATEGORY	INTERN	PUBLIC SERVICE MED PRACT	POST GRAD	VOLUNTEER	MILITARY SERVICE	EDUCATION	PUBLIC SERVICE SPECIALIST
Notarised Undergraduate Bachelor Certificate	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Certified Identity Document / Passport	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Original Certificate of Status not older than 6 months (Affidavit in case of re-registration)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Supporting letter from the Deans of the faculty			X			X	
Supporting letter from the Military					X		
FWMP endorsement letter	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
ECFMG verification Report	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Health Care Provider letter				X			

Certified copy of Intern duty certificate		X	X	X	X	X	X
Registration Fees and pro rata annual fee Paid	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Valid Job Offer – from Employer	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Detailed Curriculum Vitae	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
ECFMG verification of the specialist qualification						X	X
Notarised copy of specialist qualification together with a detailed academic curriculum.						X	X
Original duly completed form 21,						X	X
proof of registration as a specialist with a regulatory body where you are practising your speciality						X	X
Documentary evidence that the hospital where specialist training was conducted is a teaching hospital and indicating the period of training and training exposure.						X	X

7. Qualifications:

Name of Degree	University or Institution where degree/qualification was obtained	From		To	
		Month	Year	Month	Year

8. Internship (Full details and documentary evidence to be provided in the form of certified copy of intern duty certificate).

Clinical Domains	Name of Institution	From		To	
		Month	Year	Month	Year
General Medicine					
General Surgery					
Obstetrics and Gynaecology					
Paediatrics					
Family Medicine					
Mental Health					
Orthopaedics					
Orthopaedic Trauma					
Primary Health Care					
Anaesthetics					
Number of general anaesthetics personally administered					
Other:					

9. Professional Experience (in chronological order)

Name of Institution	Nature of appointment held	From		To	
		Month	Year	Month	Year

10. DECLARATION BY APPLICANT APPLYING FOR REGISTRATION IN TERMS OF THE HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT, 1974

I,.....hereby declare under oath as follows:

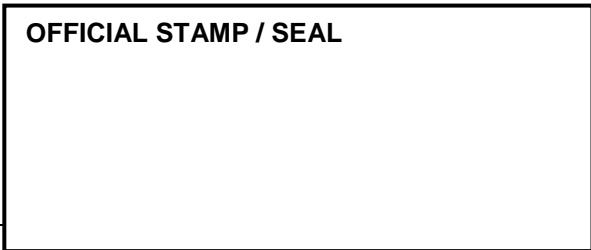
- a. I am the person referred to in the accompanying certificate(s) of qualification(s) which I submit in support of my application to be registered as a Medical Practitioner in the Republic of South Africa.
- b. The said qualification(s) was/were granted to me after examination and is/are my own lawful property, and entitle me as far as professional qualifications are concerned, to practise as a Medical Practitioner in the country of its/their origin, namely -
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- c. The course of study in professional subjects which I underwent, covered a period of academic years. The last academic years of professional study for admission to the examination for the qualification(s) in respect of which I apply for registration, were taken at (Insert name of University or Medical School).
- d. I have never been convicted in any country of any offence against the law or been debarred from practice by reason of misconduct and, to the best of my knowledge and belief, no proceedings involving or likely to involve a charge of any such nature are pending against me in any country at present*.
- e. I further accept that my application may be delayed should I fail to submit all the required documentation.

Signature

SWORN before me at thisday
of..... 201....

Signature:

Justice of the Peace or Commissioner of Oaths

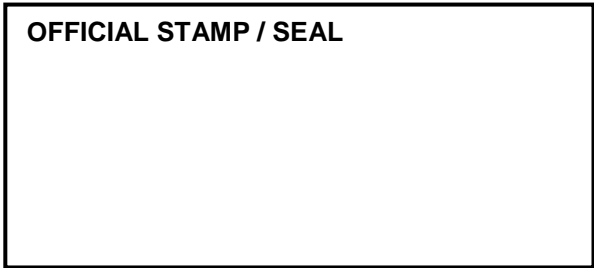


I, the undersigned**
of hereby declare under oath:
I personally know
whose signature appears above. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the statements in his/her declaration are true.

I consider him/her to be a fit and proper person to be registered as a Medical Practitioner.

Signature: Profession or calling

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Signature:

Justice of the Peace or Commissioner of Oaths
District of

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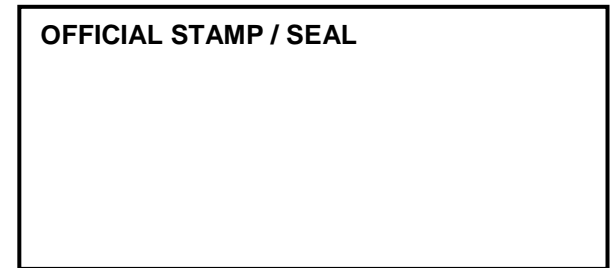
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* If the applicant is unable to make the declaration above, the Council, in order to consider the application, will require full particulars of the reasons for his or her inability.

** The signatories should preferably be Medical Practitioners..

11. Any other relevant facts which the applicant wishes to bring to the attention of the Board and attached the relevant documents.

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COMMENT:

