MMed Clinical Pathology MMed (Clin Path)

Specific admission requirements

This programme does not have specific admission requirements. The general admission requirements for MMed programmes as mentioned in section 5.3.1 above are applicable.

Duration of programme

The programme extends over five years.

Programme content

First seven semesters

Chemical Pathology	872(70)
Haematology	873(70)
Medical Microbiology	874(70)
Medical Virology	871(70)
Molecular Pathology	875(10)
Research Methodology	873(10)

Final three semesters

Integrated Pathology	871(60)

Assignment

Choose one of the following assignments.

Assignment (Chemical Pathology)	811(120)
Assignment (Haematological Pathology)	811(120)
Assignment (Medical Microbiology)	811(120)
Assignment (Medical Virology)	811(120)

Assessment and examination

- Written papers and practical and oral examinations must be passed at the end of each
- If you do not pass two modules within a maximum period of three years, the Programme Committee may recommend that you suspend your studies.
- You must submit a portfolio of evidence as part of flexible assessment before you gain for admission to the assessment of the compulsory Integrated Pathology module or the Part II examination of the College of Pathology.
- Details of flexible assessment are provided in the study guide.
- The assignment must be completed and submitted for assessment before you will be admitted to the Part II examination of the Colleges of Medicine of South Africa.
- The HPCSA requires that you successfully complete the single exit examination to register as a specialist.
- The Division of Medical Microbiology acknowledges this examination as equivalent to and substituting the MMed (Clin Path) Part II examination.

- It, however, remains the responsibility of the head of the Division to confirm the following:
 - o successful completion of clinical training time;
 - o successful completion of the assignment according to the regulations of the University in this regard;
 - o submission of a complete portfolio of evidence; and
 - o continuous assessment.

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