# 5.3.1.8 MMed Neurology MMed (Neurol)

### 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 four years.

## **Programme content**

The programme consists of the following modules:

# Primary phaseNeuropathology872(30)Neuropsychiatry873(40)Neuroradiology871(40)

Final phase

Neurophysiology: EEG	874(60)
Neurophysiology: EMG	875(60)
General Neurology	876(130)
Research Assignment	837(120)

# Assessment and examination

Primary phase

- You must have the research protocol registered within one year of first registration as an MMed (Neurology) student.
- If you do not meet this requirement, you must vacate the registrar post and you will be excluded from the rest of the MMed (Neurology) programme.
- Only in exceptional cases and on submission of an appropriate motivation will the Postgraduate Programme Committee of the Division of Neurology consider continuation of your service in a registrar post and further attendance of the programme.
- You will not be allowed to continue with the programme if:
  - o you have failed two or more modules of the primary phase;
  - the departmental postgraduate committee has reviewed your overall performance at any stage and has made a recommendation to that effect to the Faculty Board; or
  - you are denied entry to the training platform by die chief executive officer of Tygerberg Hospital prior to completion of your four-year training (e.g. dismissal due to unprofessional conduct).

#### Final phase

- Assessment takes place by means of the final examination of the College of Neurologists of South Africa during the third or fourth year of study.
- The research assignment must be completed within three years of first registration for the MMed (Neurology) programme and must be submitted in the form of an article ready for publication. Successful completion of the research assignment is advisable for admission to the FC Neurol(SA) examination of the Colleges of Medicine of South Africa (CMSA).

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