



University of Pretoria Yearbook 2017

MSc Sports Medicine (Coursework) (10253141)

Duration of study	2 years		
Total credits	180		
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Programme information

In accordance with the stipulations of the General Regulations, the MSc degree is conferred by virtue of an examination, or an examination and a dissertation, or an examination and an essay, or a dissertation.

Also consult General Regulations.

Note:

All MSc students must register for, and attend (TNM 802) Applied research methodology 802 satisfactorily. (Exemption may be granted if the module has already been passed for the BScHons degree.)

All the stipulations pertaining to coursework master's degrees and postgraduate studies in accordance with the General Regulations apply. Subject to the stipulations of the General Regulations, the Chairperson of the School in question may, in consultation with the head of department, approve a fixed limited extension of the period on the grounds of extraordinary circumstances.

Admission requirements

A candidate for admission to studies for the MSc in Sports Medicine must be in possession of the MBChB degree of this University or a qualification deemed equivalent by the University for at least one year. Additionally the candidate must be registered as a physician with the Health Professions Council of South Africa.

Contact department before application.

Examinations and pass requirements

(aa) Examinations in the basic subjects FSG 880, SAN 880 and DTE 880 will take place at the end of the first semester.

(bb) The examination will comprise a two-hour written paper, with a subminimum of 40% required in the written examination. To pass in a module, a minimum final mark of 50% is required.

(cc) Should a student fail one of the basic subjects, he or she may be allowed to repeat the examination at the



end of the second semester.

(dd) Examinations (two papers of 3 hours each, an oral and a practical), as well as the mini-dissertation, may only take place/be submitted after completion of the basic subjects.

Pass with distinction

The MSc (Sports Medicine) will be conferred with distinction on students who obtain a mark of at least 75% in both the mini-dissertation (SGN 896) and SGN 800 Sports medicine.



Curriculum: Year 1

Core modules

Sports nutrition 880 (DTE 880)

Module credits	12.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	8 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Afrikaans and English is used in one class
Academic organisation	Human Nutrition
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Sports physiology 880 (FSG 880)

Module credits	12.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	Total of 15 lectures
Language of tuition	Afrikaans and English is used in one class
Academic organisation	Physiology
Period of presentation	Year

Sports anatomy 880 (SAN 880)

Module credits	12.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Academic organisation	Anatomy
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Sports medicine 800 (SGN 800)

Module credits	30.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 practicals per week, 4 discussion classes per week
Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
Academic organisation	Orthopaedics
Period of presentation	Year

Sports medicine 802 (SGN 802)

Module credits	24.00
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Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 practicals per week, 4 discussion classes per week
Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
Academic organisation	Orthopaedics
Period of presentation	Year

Mini-dissertation: Sports medicine 896 (SGN 896)

Module credits	90.00
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Academic organisation	Orthopaedics
Period of presentation	Year

Applied research methodology 802 (TNM 802)

Module credits	0.00
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Academic organisation	Health Sciences Dean's Office
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

*Attendance module only.



Curriculum: Final year

Core modules

Sports nutrition 880 (DTE 880)

Module credits	12.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	8 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Afrikaans and English is used in one class
Academic organisation	Human Nutrition
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Sports physiology 880 (FSG 880)

Module credits	12.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	Total of 15 lectures
Language of tuition	Afrikaans and English is used in one class
Academic organisation	Physiology
Period of presentation	Year

Sports anatomy 880 (SAN 880)

Module credits	12.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Academic organisation	Anatomy
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Sports medicine 800 (SGN 800)

Module credits	30.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 practicals per week, 4 discussion classes per week
Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
Academic organisation	Orthopaedics
Period of presentation	Year

Sports medicine 802 (SGN 802)

Module credits	24.00
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Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 practicals per week, 4 discussion classes per week
Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
Academic organisation	Orthopaedics
Period of presentation	Year

Mini-dissertation: Sports medicine 896 (SGN 896)

Module credits	90.00
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Academic organisation	Orthopaedics
Period of presentation	Year

Applied research methodology 802 (TNM 802)

Module credits	0.00
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Academic organisation	Health Sciences Dean's Office
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

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