

Clinical Attachment Programme

Frequently Asked Questions

1. When can I apply for the programme?

Applicants for the programme should note that we are only able to facilitate clinical attachments during term time.

Term Dates AY 2010/2011	Commencing	Ending
Term I (9 weeks) Vacation (3 weeks)	5 July 2010 4 September 2010	3 September 2010 26 September 2010
Term II (10 weeks) Vacation (4 weeks)	27 September 2010 4 December 2010	3 December 2010 2 January 2011
Term III (12 weeks) Vacation (2 weeks)	3 January 2011 26 March 2011	25 March 2011 10 April 2011
Term IV (9 weeks) Vacation (3 weeks)	11 April 2011 11 June 2011	10 June 2011 3 July 2011

A confirmed schedule will be sent along with the confirmation letter.

2. How much do I have to pay? When and How do I pay?

Our fee structure is as follows:

Administrative Fee

Singaporean/ SPR applicants	S\$5.35
International applicants	S\$107.00

Attachment Fee

Fee per week	S\$133.75
(pro-rated based on actual attachment period)	

For example, for a 2 week attachment, it will be \$107 + \$133.75x2. However, actual amount will depend on duration of attachment.

Your application is subject to approval and availability of places. A confirmation letter will be sent to you and you can make payment upon receipt of the letter. You are required to make payment of at least the administrative fee to confirm your application. You may pay the attachment fees upon your arrival to Singapore. We accept cash or cheque payment.

3. What is the structure of the Clinical Attachment Programme?

Successful applicants will be attached to ongoing sessions of the Residency Training Programme in the chosen specialty. There will be no hands on, only observership.

Endodontics/ Periodontology/ Orthodontics/ Prosthodontics

Successful applicants are rostered to attend the sessions conducted at the National University Hospital and National University of Singapore based on the following schedule:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Endodontics Prosthodontics	Endodontics Periodontology Prosthodontics	Orthodontics Prosthodontics	Orthodontics Periodontology	Orthodontics Endodontics Periodontology

There will be free time for the days which do not have any active sessions. These days will be not counted towards the attachment fee.

Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery

The Residency Training Programme for Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery is ongoing throughout the year as residents follow a posting schedule.

4. Will the University provide me with accommodation?

No. You will have to arrange for your own accommodation with the relevant offices.

Please visit the following links for information on accommodation options –

- Off Campus Accommodation:
<http://www.nus.edu.sg/osa/housing/downloads/shorterterm.pdf>
- Visitor Information:
<http://www.nus.edu.sg/corporate/visitors/index.html>
- Guest Rooms at Halls of Residences:
<http://www.nus.edu.sg/osa/housing/guest.htm>

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