

INFORMATION ABOUT THE CLINICAL ATTACHMENT PROGRAMME

Target Audience:

Dental graduates who are interested in a short attachment for first-hand experience of the postgraduate clinical residency training programme.

About the programme:

- 1. All requests are subject to availability of spaces and approval by the Head of Department or Residency Training Programme Director. Walk in applications will not be considered. An official application must be made on the prescribed form and sent via post or email at least 3 weeks prior to proposed period of attachment.
- 2. The period of attachment is up to a maximum of three weeks. Faculty will not be able to entertain requests during the Examination (in May) period and during term vacations. Dean's Office will inform applicant if request is successful.
- 3. Unless otherwise requested and approved, successful applicants will be rostered to attend the sessions conducted at the National University Hospital and National University of Singapore based on the following schedule:

| Periodontology | Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday only | |
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| Prosthodontics | Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday only | |
| Endodontics | Monday, Tuesday, and Friday only | |
| Orthodontics | Wednesday, Thursday and Friday only | |
| Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery | Monday to Friday only | |
| Paediatric Dentistry | Monday, Wednesday, Friday (Thursday attachment | |
| | to HPB will be subject to HPB approval) | |

Note: 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.

- 4. There will be NO HANDS ON EXPERIENCE in the clinics. Successful applicants will only be allowed to observe. Attachment will only be conducted in the National University Hospital teaching clinics.
- 5. This is a voluntary programme and there will be no remuneration paid for the duration of attachment.
- 6. A confirmation letter will be sent to successful applicants. Applicants will be required to make full payment of the administrative & attachment fees to secure confirmation of the attachment. If an invoice is required, applicants should inform the programme administrator at the contact listed below.
- 7. Participants will be required to make their own arrangements for accommodation and ensure that all immigration/ entry requirements are met. For more information on entry requirements, please refer to the Immigration and Controls Authority website at http://www.ica.gov.sg.
- 8. Participants will also be required to hold their own personal accident insurance valid for the period of their attachment. Those without such coverage will be required to apply for the NUS Group Medical Insurance Scheme before commencing with their attachment.



Faculty of Dentistry Academic Term (AY2024/2025):

| Term Dates AY 2024/2025 | Commencing | Ending |
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| Term I (Weeks 9) | 1 July 2024 | 30 August 2024 |
| Vacation (3 weeks) | 31 August 2024 | 22 September 2024 |
| Term II (10 weeks) | 23 September 2024 | 29 November 2024 |
| Vacation (5 weeks) | 30 November 2024 | 5 January 2025 |
| Term III (12 weeks) | 6 January 2025 | 28 March 2025 |
| Vacation (2 weeks) | 29 March 2025 | 13 April 2025 |
| Term IV (9 weeks) * | 14 April 2025 | 13 June 2025 |
| Vacation (3 weeks) | 14 June 2025 | 6 July 2025 |

Attachment Fees:

The following fees (including prevailing 9% GST) will be applicable for the clinical attachment.

| Administrative Fees: | S\$54.50 (for Singaporean/ Singapore Permanent Citizens) |
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| (non-refundable) | S\$163.50 (for International Students) |
| Attachment Fees: | S\$163.50 per day, charges will be based on actual attachment period |

Payment can be made via Paynow (for Singaporean/Singapore Permanent Residents) or Telegraphich Transfer (for International Students).The Faculty reserves the right to revise the fees. A confirmation letter will be sent to successful applicants. Please make payment upon receipt of the confirmation letter.

Application Procedures:

All interested applicants are to complete the "Application Form for Clinical Attachment" and submit with supporting documents to the following email address: azlia.aziz@nus.edu.sg

Programme Administrator:

Ms Azlia Aziz Tel: 65-67725258