

BACHELOR OF HEALTH SCIENCES IN HOMOEOPATHY



FACULTY OF
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DEPARTMENT OF
HOMOEOPATHY

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Bachelor of Health Sciences in Homoeopathy

(3 years of study plus 1 year of internship)

NQF Level: 8

SAQA ID: 94553

Qualification Code: **BHHOM1 (Mainstream)**
BHHMF2 (ECP)

Location: Ritson Campus (Block L, 2nd Floor)

"A wise man ought to realize that health is his most valuable possession."
- Hippocrates 460 B.C.

Description of the Programme

Homoeopathy is a legally recognised profession and is becoming increasingly important in South African healthcare provision. It is a medical approach that respects the wisdom of the body, with the emphasis on holistic healthcare. Homoeopathy uses medicines that stimulate the body's own immune and defence systems to initiate the healing process. It is an approach that is widely recognised to be safe and it has the potential to be very effective in preventing and treating various acute and chronic diseases. As a primary-contact practitioner, a homoeopath manages all aspects of patient healthcare including diagnosis, treatment and management, as well as referral and communication with other healthcare professions and institutions.

The academic programme is designed to extend over five years, which will provide the future homoeopathic practitioner with a thorough grounding in traditional medical subjects with special emphasis on diagnostic skills. An extended curriculum that stretch over six years has been designed for students who are possibly at risk of not succeeding in the mainstream programme. The selection panel in the department will based their decisions for placements in this programme on matric marks, interview scores and placement tests in Mathematics and English.

Attendance at lectures and tutorials with corresponding laboratory and clinical work provide the foundation. In the final year of the BHSc: Homoeopathy as well as during the MHSc: Homoeopathy, emphasis is placed on the practical application of homoeopathic, herbal and naturopathic principles, including aspects such as preventative medicine, community health care and nutrition. The student will be guided to consider the patient as a whole and relate all peculiarities, reactions and modalities to the homoeopathic method of treatment. The academic offering at the Durban University of Technology is arguably the most extensive homoeopathic education.

Career Opportunities

The comprehensive nature of training allows graduates to find employment in the private sector as private practitioners, in the industrial sector, or in the public sector within multi- disciplinary and hospital-related environments. The comprehensive nature of training allows graduates to find employment primarily in the private sector as private practitioners, and to a lesser extent in the industrial sector, as well as some limited opportunities in the public sector within multi-disciplinary environments.

Degree Structure

The Bachelor of Health Sciences: Homoeopathy will be awarded after successful completion of the requirements of the degree. This will allow the candidate to exit and find employment in industry or the public sector, but in order for the candidate to be able to practice as a qualified Homoeopathic practitioner in private practice, registered with the Allied Health Professions Councils of South Africa (AHPCSA), the candidate will have to enrol into the Master of Health Sciences Homoeopathy (minimum 1 year; maximum 2 years) which has been implemented in 2020 at DUT. As of June 2020, the AHPCSA has instituted the compulsory internship programme for the Master's Degree students and graduates.

Explanation of Points scale:

| SENIOR CERTIFICATE (SC) | | |
|-------------------------|--------------|----------------|
| SYMBOL | HIGHER GRADE | STANDARD GRADE |
| A | 8 | 6 |
| B | 7 | 5 |
| C | 6 | 4 |
| D | 5 | 3 |
| E | 4 | 2 |
| F | 3 | 1 |

| NATIONAL SENIOR CERTIFICATE (NSC) | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|--------|
| % | LEVEL | POINTS |
| 90-100 | 8 | 8 |
| 80-89% | 7 | 7 |
| 70-79% | 6 | 6 |
| 60-69% | 5 | 5 |
| 50-59% | 4 | 4 |
| 40-49% | 3 | 3 |
| 30-39% | 2 | 2 |
| 20-29% | 1 | 1 |

Entry Requirements (BHS in Homoeopathy)

| NATIONAL SENIOR CERTIFICATE (NSC) 01 January 2009) | | SENIOR CERTIFICATE (SC) (PRE 2009) | | | NATIONAL CERTIFICATE VOCATIONAL (NCV) | |
|---|-----------------|--|----|----|--|------|
| NSC DEGREE ENTRY | | SENIOR CERTIFICATE (SC) A Senior Certificate with matric exemption. | | | (NCV) Level 4 | |
| Compulsory Subjects | NSC Rating Code | Compulsory Subjects | HG | SG | Compulsory Subjects | Mark |
| English (Home Language) OR English (1 st additional language) | 4 | English | D | B | English | 70% |
| Mathematics | 4 | Mathematics | D | B | Mathematics | 70% |
| Life Science OR Biology | 4 | Physical Sciences | D | B | Life Science OR Biology | 70% |
| Physical Sciences | 4 | Biology | D | B | Physical Science | 70% |
| And TWO 20 credit subjects, (not more than one language) | 4 | | | | | |
| Additional Entry Requirements: Prospective candidates will be required to attend an interview. Selection will take place at predetermined times at the Durban University of Technology. Applicants will be required to submit an assignment prior to the interview process. | | | | | | |
| Please note: First preference will be given to applicants with both Physical Sciences and Life Science or Biology | | | | | | |

Tuition Fees

To assist you with your planning, the **2025** fees have been indicated; an increase for next year to accommodate the inflation rate can be expected.

Please Note: DUT cannot be held liable for the fees in this brochure, as the **2026** fees are not yet final.

BHS in Homoeopathy

First Year Curriculum

| Name of Module | Module Code | HEQSF Level | SAQA Credits | 2025 Fees |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------------|
| Gross Anatomy I A | GRAN101 | 6 | 10 | R2570.00 |
| Gross Anatomy I B | GRAN103 | 6 | 10 | R2570.00 |
| Physiology IA | PHSY102 | 6 | 16 | R4630.00 |
| Physiology IB | PHSY103 | 6 | 8 | R4630.00 |
| Biological Principles I | BLGP101 | 5 | 16 | R5190.00 |
| Chemistry I | CHHC101 | 5 | 12 | R3900.00 |
| Cornerstone I | CSTN101 | 5 | 12 | R3910.00 |
| Physics I: Module 1 | PHHC111 | 5 | 8 | R3900.00 |
| Physics I: Module 2 | PHHC121 | 5 | 8 | R3900.00 |
| Personal and Professional Development | PPDV101 | 5 | 8 | R2600.00 |
| Materia Medica I | MMED102 | 6 | 8 | R3900.00 |
| Histology | HSTL101 | 6 | 12 | R3900.00 |
| TOTAL CREDITS | | | 128 | |
| TOTAL | | | | R45 600.00 |

| Second Year Curriculum | | | | |
|---|---------|---|------------|-------------------|
| Clinical Anatomy | CLANI01 | 7 | 16 | R5190.00 |
| Physiology IIA | PHCC201 | 7 | 16 | R2610.00 |
| Physiology IIB | PHGU201 | 7 | 8 | R2600.00 |
| Materia Medica II | MMED204 | 6 | 8 | R3900.00 |
| Basic Life Support | BLSP101 | 5 | 4 | R3900.00 |
| Biochemistry | BCHE101 | 6 | 8 | R2600.00 |
| Epidemiology: Immunology, Paras & Comm diseases | EPIPI01 | 7 | 16 | R2600.00 |
| Epidemiology: Public Health | EPPH101 | 7 | 8 | R1310.00 |
| Psychology | PSLY101 | 6 | 12 | R3900.00 |
| Personal and Professional Develop II | PPDV201 | 6 | 8 | R2600.00 |
| General Pathology | GPAT101 | 6 | 8 | R2600.00 |
| Gross Anatomy II | GRAN201 | 7 | 16 | R7790.00 |
| TOTAL CREDITS | | | 128 | |
| TOTAL | | | | R41 600.00 |
| Third Year Curriculum | | | | |
| Clinical ENT | CLENI01 | 7 | 12 | R5840.00 |
| Clinical Dermatology | CDRM101 | 7 | 8 | R3900.00 |
| Clinical Musculoskeletal and Haematology | CMHM101 | 7 | 12 | R5840.00 |
| Clinical Endocrinology & Ophthalmology | CLEO101 | 7 | 12 | R5840.00 |
| Systemic Pathology (Module A) | SYPT101 | 7 | 12 | R5850.00 |
| Systemic Pathology (Module B) | SPAT102 | 7 | 12 | R5850.00 |
| Pharmacology | PHYC102 | 6 | 16 | R7790.00 |
| Materia Medica III | MMED302 | 7 | 16 | R7790.00 |
| Adjunctive Therapies I | ADJT101 | 6 | 16 | R7790.00 |
| Clinical Practice I | CLPR101 | 8 | 8 | R2820.00 |
| Personal and Professional development III | PPDV301 | 7 | 8 | R2600.00 |
| TOTAL CREDITS | | | 132 | |
| TOTAL | | | | R61 910.00 |
| Fourth Year Curriculum | | | | |
| Clinical Respiratory | CRSPI01 | 8 | 12 | R5840.00 |
| Clinical Cardiovascular | CCRD101 | 8 | 12 | R5840.00 |
| Clinical Gastroenterology | CGST101 | 8 | 12 | R5840.00 |
| Clinical Nephrology and Neurology | CNNR101 | 8 | 12 | R5840.00 |
| Materia Medica IV | MMED402 | 8 | 16 | R7790.00 |
| Homoeopathic Pharmacy | HMPH101 | 8 | 16 | R7790.00 |
| Clinical Practice II | CLPR201 | 8 | 8 | R6490.00 |
| Research Methodology | RMHO101 | 8 | 16 | R7790.00 |
| Personal and Professional Development IV | PPDV401 | 8 | 8 | R3910.00 |
| Nutrition | NTRN101 | 7 | 8 | R3900.00 |
| Small Business Management | SMBM101 | 6 | 8 | R3900.00 |
| TOTAL CREDITS | | | 128 | |
| TOTAL | | | | R64 930.00 |

Application

Applicants who wish to enrol for the programme must apply through the CAO system by no later than 30 September of the previous year.

For CAO Online Application visit: <http://www.cao.ac.za>

CAO Contact Details

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CAO Code: BHSc: Homoeopathy: DUDHM4

Closing Date for Applications: 30 September 2025

For Further Information

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Financial Aid:

For Financial Aid application for a DUT programme please apply online at www.nsfas.org.za or call the NSFAS call centre on 0860 067 327.

For an explanation on how to fill out the application form, please go to www.nsfas.org.za or contact the call centre on the number above.

Please note that completing a form does not guarantee Financial Aid. For further assistance, please consult the Department of Financial Aid and Scholarships on (031)3732931/2557/2054.