



UNDERGRADUATE APPLICATION FORM FOR BACHELOR OF DENTAL SURGERY CANDIDATES

This form should be completed in **BLOCK LETTERS** and returned together with the required attachments to the **University Registrar, University Office, P.O. Box 278, Zomba, Malawi, Central Africa.**

Attach your
passport size
photo here

NOTE: CANDIDATES WHO WERE PREVIOUSLY WITHDRAWN FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF MALAWI OR ANY COMPARABLE INSTITUTION ON ACADEMIC GROUNDS AND THOSE ALREADY REGISTERED WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF MALAWI OR ANY COMPARABLE INSTITUTION AS GOVERNMENT OR SELF-SPONSORED STUDENTS ARE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR ADMISSION

A. PERSONAL DETAILS

1. Surname: _____ First Name: _____ Initials: _____
2. Date of Birth: ____/____/____ Sex: M ☐ F ☐ Nationality: _____
Home District: _____ T/A: _____ Village: _____
3. Contact Address: _____

Tel: _____ Mobile: _____ Email: _____
4. Next of Kin – Address: _____
Tel: _____ Mobile: _____ Email: _____

B. PROGRAMME APPLIED FOR (Use the abbreviated codes provided under **Section J** of this application form.)

Programme: Name

Code

C. QUALIFICATIONS RECORD (Tick/Indicate appropriately)

Strictly attach original academic transcript(s) and copy(s) of certificate(s)/statement of result(s) duly certified by a district commissioner or any commissioner of oaths.

i. Degree/Diploma: _____

School/Board: _____ Year: _____

ii. High/Secondary school (Fill in the gaps below with the relevant information)

1 st Attempt Grades		2 nd Attempt Grades		3 rd Attempt Grades	
Year: _____		Year: _____		Year: _____	
Qualification: _____		Qualification: _____		Qualification: _____	
Centre name: _____		Centre name: _____		Centre name: _____	
Centre #: _____		Centre #: _____		Centre #: _____	
Candidate #: _____		Candidate #: _____		Candidate #: _____	
Subject (Highest to Lowest)	Grade	Subject (Highest to Lowest)	Grade	Subject (Highest to Lowest)	Grade
1.		1.		1.	
2.		2.		2.	
3.		3.		3.	
4.		4.		4.	
5.		5.		5.	
6.		6.		6.	
7.		7.		7.	

iii. Other Relevant Qualifications

____ Year _____ School/Board _____

____ Year _____ School/Board _____

____ Year _____ School/Board _____

iv. Have you ever been registered as a student of the University of Malawi before or any other comparable institution elsewhere?

If yes, when: _____ Programme: _____ Institution: _____

Reason for leaving your previous institution: _____

D. CANDIDATES WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

State any physical impairment you have and any special assistance/facilities that you require: _____

E. EMPLOYMENT RECORD (attach a reference letter from each employer given below)

Name of Employer (start with the recent employer)	Post Held	Dates	
		From	To

F. APPLICATION FEE

All applicants are **STRICTLY** required to **DEPOSIT** a non-refundable application fee of **K12, 000.00** for Malawians and **US\$25.00** for international applicants to the following bank account:

	NATIONAL BANK OF MALAWI
Account Name	UNIMA Revenue Account
Account Number	1002239236
Branch	Zomba Branch
Swift Code	NBMAMWMW
Sort Code/Branch Code	006

Note: A copy of the deposit slip **bearing the name of the applicant** should be attached to the application form.

G. SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION FORM

A duly completed application form together with a bank deposit slip showing the name of the candidate and any other relevant attachments **should be sent to the address given below** and not to any constituent/affiliate College of the University of Malawi.

The University Registrar
University Office (Admissions Office)
P.O. Box 278
Zomba

**THE CLOSING DATE FOR RECEIVING APPLICATIONS IS
FRIDAY, 30th JUNE, 2019**

H. CHECKLIST

ITEM
I confirm that I have duly completed all the relevant sections of this application form and attached the following supporting documents:
1. Copies of all my relevant degrees/diplomas/certificates/academic transcripts duly certified by a commissioner of oaths
2. Original proof of availability of funds to finance my training i.e. official sponsorship letter or applicants bank statement(s)
3. Copy of a bank deposit slip showing the name of the applicant and proof of payment of an appropriate application fee.
4. Curriculum vitae (CV) with names and contact details of three traceable referees.
5. A clear specification of a programme applied for as well as the candidate's preferred mode of its delivery
6. Official reference letter(s) from the current and/or previous employer(s) showing proof of at least 2 years work experience.

I. DECLARATION

I _____ hereby
certify that all the information given on this form is true.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL BE DISQUALIFIED!**J. PROGRAMME INFORMATION AND ENTRY REQUIREMENTS**

Applications are therefore invited from suitably qualified individuals to join this new and exciting programme at COM. It is anticipated that this will be a highly competitive programme with 15 places each for foundation year and year one.

Entry at Foundation Year*Generic Entry:*

Six credits at MSCE or its equivalent including English and Mathematics plus a minimum of 4 points in Biology, Chemistry or Physical Science, Physics and Mathematics. The MSCE or equivalent must have been sat in the last two years in one sitting.

Mature Entry:

Six credits at MSCE including English and Mathematics and a recognised Diploma in Dental Therapy from a recognised institution plus at least two years working experience as a Dental Therapist providing oral care.

Entry at Year One*A-Level (or equivalent) Generic Entry:*

3 A-Level passes with a grade of at least 'C' in Biology, Chemistry and a third science subject like Mathematics or Physics obtained in the current year or the previous 2 years. *Candidates must have MSCE/O-Level **credit** passes in English and Mathematics if these two subjects were not done at A-Levels. Or*

Successful completion of the Foundation Year at College of Medicine in one sitting without any remedial work or supplementary examinations. **Or**

At least an average of 60% in Chemistry, Biology and a third Science subject like Mathematics, Physics or Statistics at the end of second year of a recognised Bachelor of Science/Education Science Degree programme. *Candidates must have MSCE/O-Level **credit passes** in English and Mathematics.*

Mature Entry

A recognized Bachelor of Science/Education Science Degree majoring in Biology and Chemistry.

All short listed candidates will be required to attend an interview. This is important for the first intake to ensure that we select applicants with the right motivation and qualities to successfully complete this new programme

Applicants MUST also meet the additional entry requirements for the programme as outlined in the write up below: