

**NEPHROLOGY SUB-SPECIALIST: TRAINING NUMBER FOR SPONSORED CANDIDATE
CLOSING DATE: 03 February 2026**

Two (2) training numbers exist for training in the Sub-specialist discipline of Adult Nephrology at UKZN/DoH KZN for a fully sponsored candidate, funded by Mediclinic, to undertake the required training toward the Cert Nephrology Phys (SA) of the College of Physicians of SA at UKZN.

The inherent pre-requisites for the assignment of the number are as follows:

REQUIREMENTS:

1. The candidate must be registered with HPCSA as a specialist physician: FCP(SA)
2. The candidate must be a South African Citizen
3. Completion of a successful interview with the candidate, DOH, program management, UKZN representatives and bursary sponsor
4. The successful candidate should be willing to enter a binding agreement with commitment to work fulltime at Pietermaritzburg Medical Complex, KwaZulu-Natal, following the completion of the training period (for the equivalent duration of the training).

DUTIES:

- Experience and willing to acquire and apply cognitive and technical skills in the sub-specialty of Nephrology.
- This includes procedures related to the practice of Nephrology as directed by the Head of Clinical Unit.
- Regular attendance and participation in Nephrology teaching platforms both locally and nationally.
- Control and management of clinical services as delegated by the Head of Department and the Head of Clinical Unit.
- Maintain satisfactory clinical, professional and ethical standards related to these services.
- Maintain necessary discipline over staff under his/her control.
- Attend to administrative matters pertaining to the unit.
- Conduct, assist, collaborate and stimulate research.
- Provide training of undergraduate and postgraduate medical students and allied Health personnel.
- Participation in formal teaching and assessments as required by the department.
- Promote community orientated services and participation in departmental outreach programs / services.
- Conduct outpatient clinics and provide expert opinion where required.
- Contribute and participate in the academic program of the Division of Internal Medicine and Department of Nephrology
- Duties as directed by the Head of Clinical Unit when necessary.
- It is expected that the successful appointment will successfully attempt the Certificate in Nephrology examinations within, before, or on completion of 24 months of subspecialty training and in accordance with the CMSA rules and regulations.
- Completion of the relevant research component in accordance with the CMSA rules and regulations.

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