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THE ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONALS COUNCIL ACT

Regulations made by the Minister, after consultation with the Allied Health Professionals Council, under section 39 of the Allied Health Professionals Council Act

1. These regulations may be cited as the Allied Health Professionals Council (Amendment of Schedule) Regulations 2024.

2. In these regulations –

"Act" means the Allied Health Professionals Council Act.

3. The First Schedule to the Act is repealed and replaced by the First Schedule set out in the Schedule to these regulations.

4. These regulations shall come into operation on 12 August 2024.

Made by the Minister, after consultation with the Allied Health Professionals Council, on 9 August 2024.

SCHEDULE

[Regulation 3]

FIRST SCHEDULE

[Sections 2, 17 and 40]

1. The qualifications of an allied health professional specified in the second column of the hereunder table shall be as set out in the third column thereof -

SN	PROFESSION	QUALIFICATIONS	COUNTRY
1.	Audiologist	Bachelor of Speech and Hearing Science	
		and	
		Master of Audiology	
		or	
		Master of Clinical Audiology	
		or	Australia
		Master of Audiology Studies	
		or	
		Master of Hearing Science	
		or	
		Master of Clinical Audiology and Doctor of Philosophy	
		Bachelor in Audiology	
		Master in Audiology	Belgium

Masters of Science in Audiology	
or	
Maîtrise en audiologie	
or	Canada
Maîtrise professionnelle en audiologie	
or	
Maîtrise en sciences de l'audiologie	
Maîtrise en biotechnologie (audiologie et trouble du langage)	France
Bachelor of Science in Audiology and Speech Therapy	
or	
Bachelor of Speech and Hearing Science	
or	
Bachelor of Audiology and Speech Language Pathology	
or	
Bachelor of Science (Speech and Hearing)	India
or	
Bachelor of Science (Audiology and Speech Rehabilitation)	
or	
Bachelor of Science Hearing, Language and Speech	
or	
Bachelor of Arts Audiology and Speech Language Pathology	

Bachelor Degree in Audiology or Bachelor of Art in Audiology or Bachelor of Communication Pathology (Audiology) or Bachelor Speech-Language in Pathology and Audiology or Bachelor of Science in Audiology or Bachelor of Speech and Hearing Therapy or South Africa Bachelor of Arts in Speech and Hearing Therapy or Bachelor in Speech Therapy and Audiology or Bachelor of Art in Logopaedics (before 1965) or Bachelor of Science in Logopaedics (before 1965) or Bachelor in Logopaedics or Bachelor of Art in Speech and Hearing Therapy

Master Degree in Audiology Switzerland or Master in Audiological Science Bachelor of Arts Audiology or Bachelor of Science - Healthcare Science (Audiology) or Bachelor of Science in Audiology or United Master of Audiology Kingdom or Master in Advanced Hearing Therapy Practice or Master in Advanced Audiology Studies or Master of Philosophy in Audiology and Hearing Disability Research Master of Arts in Audiology (before 2010) or Master of Science in Audiology (before 2010) or United States of Master of Science in Speech Therapy America and Audiology (before 2010) or Doctor of Audiology or Doctor of Philosophy in Speech Language and Hearing Sciences

2. Chiropractor (1) General Chiropractor

Chiropractic degree (BAC or HSC + 5-6 years study) issued by an institution accredited by the Council on Chiropractic Education (CCE) Europe, USA, Canada or Australia

(2) Chiropractic Specialist

A General Chiropractor qualification

and

Post-graduate Diploma (2 years, issued by a recognised Board of Specialist Chiropractors)

or

Master's Degree (3 years) issued by an institution accredited by the Council on Chiropractic Education (CCE) Europe, USA, Canada or Australia

 Clinical Scientist Bachelor Degree in the field of Biochemistry, Haematology, Microbiology, Biomedical Sciences (Pathology field) or Medical Biosciences (Pathology field) or Medical Sciences

and

Master's Degree in the field of Medical/ Clinical Biochemistry, Haematology, Immunology, Medical Microbiology, Virology, Biomedical Sciences (Pathology field), Laboratory Medicine, Molecular and Cellular Biology (Pathology field) or Medical Sciences (Pathology field)

or

Bachelor Degree in the field of Biochemistry, Haematology, Microbiology, Biomedical Sciences (Pathology field) or Medical Biosciences (Pathology field) or Medical Sciences

and

MPhil (Res) Biochemistry/ Clinical Biochemistry, Clinical/ Medical Microbiology, Clinical/ Medical Virology or Haematology or Immunology or related field of pathology

or

Bachelor Degree in the field of Biochemistry, Haematology, Microbiology, Biomedical Sciences (Pathology field) or Medical Biosciences (Pathology field) or Medical Sciences

and

PhD in Medical Sciences, Biochemistry/Clinical Biochemistry, Medical/Clinical Virology, Medical/ Clinical Microbiology or haematology or Immunology or related field of pathology

Note –

All above qualifications must include at least 2 years of clinical training in the relevant field during or after academic years

4. Counsellor Bachelor Degree in Psychology or Social Work or Education or Nursing or Medicine Master's Degree course in Counselling (2 years' full time) with documented supervised clinical training of a minimum of 400 hours during their course

or

Bachelor Degree in Psychology or Social Work or Education or Nursing or Medicine

and

Master 2 or DESS level (BAC or HSC + 5 years' studies) in Counselling or Pastoral Care and Counselling (both of the above with documented supervised clinical training of a minimum of 400 hours during their course)

5. Dietitian Bachelor degree in Human Nutrition and Dietetics, or in Nutrition and Dietetics or in Dietetics

or

Bachelor degree in Home Science or a science subject with a postgraduate qualification in Dietetics or Diet Therapy

or

Bachelor degree in Food and Nutrition, with Dietetics integrated in the course

or

Bachelor Degree in Nutritional Sciences with specialisation in Dietetics

or

Brevet de Technicien Supérieur (BTS) Diététique (before 2021) et Licence Professionnelle spécialité Aliments – Santé

		Diplôme Universitaire de Technologie (DUT) Génie Biologique option Diététique (before 2021) et Licence Professionnelle spécialité Aliments – Santé
		or
		<i>Bachelier Universitaire de Technologie (BUT) Diététique et Nutrition</i> (2021 onwards)
		Note –
		Qualifications to include a minimum of 6 months or 700 hours of full-time structured and assessed clinical training
6.	Medical Imaging Technologist	Certificate in Diagnostic Radiography issued by the Ministry of Health and Wellness up to 2012
		or
		Diploma in Medical Imaging Technology
		or
		Diploma in Radiodiagnosis/ Radiodiagnostic Technology
		or
		Diploma in Radiography Technology
		or
		Diploma in Medical Radiography Technology
		or
		Diploma in Medical X-ray Technology
		or
		Bachelor of Science (Radiology and Imaging Technology)

Bachelor of Science in Radiology (lateral)

or

Bachelor of Radiologic Technology

or

Bachelor of Science Radiological Imaging Technology

or

Other qualification(s) in Medical Imaging Technology or Radiological Techniques and Procedures with equivalence to the Diploma in Medical Imaging Technology as approved by the Higher Education Commission (HEC), Mauritius

 Medical Bachelor Degree in Biomedical Sciences Laboratory (Pathology/Laboratory Medicine field) Technologist with one year's experience in a medical laboratory

or

Diploma in Medical Laboratory Technology from the University of Mauritius + 10 years' experience in a medical laboratory

or

Diploma in Biomedical Sciences + at least 5 years' experience in a medical laboratory provided registrants follow BSc upgrading from a recognised institution within a non – renewable 5-year period post-registration

or

Other foreign qualifications attested equivalent to the BSc Biomedical Sciences by the Higher Education Commission of Mauritius

8.	Nutritionist	Bachelor degree in Human Nutrition
		or Nutrition (core content focused on
		Human Nutrition)

or

BSc (Hons) Nutritional Sciences

or

Bachelor Degree in Home Science or Home Economics or Food Science with Human Nutrition as core content

or

(Brevet de Technicien Supérieur *(BTS) Diététique)* (before 2021)

or

Diplôme Universitaire de Technologie (DUT) Génie Biologique option Diététique (before 2021)

9. Occupational Diploma in Occupational Therapy Therapist Diploma in Occupational Therapy obtained before 2012 and recognised by the World Federation of Occupational Therapist

or

BSc Hons Degree (Occupational Therapy)

or

Diplôme d'Etat d'ergothérapeute conférant le grade de Licence (système LMD)

or

Bachelor of Occupational Therapy or

Bachelor of Applied Science (OT)

or

Bachelor of Health Science/Master of Occupational Therapy

Bachelor of Science (Occupational Therapy) or Continuum baccalauréat - Maîtrise en ergothérapie or Continuum Baccalaureate/Master Occupational Therapy (Bacc/MOT) or Bachelor of Science Rehabilitation Therapy (Occupational Therapy) or Bachelier en Ergothérapie Note -All qualifications recognised by WFOT and must include 1,000 hours of clinical training **10.** Prosthetist and Brevet de Technician Supérieur Orthotist Prothésiste Orthésiste (Orthopaedic or Technician) Diploma in Prosthetics and Orthotics (minimum of 3 years training) or Bachelor degree in Prosthetics and Orthotics or Master degree in Prosthetics and Orthotics Osteopath BSc (Hons) Osteopathic Medicine

or

11.

Bachelor of Osteopathy (B.Ost.)

or BSc (Hons) Osteopath or

Diploma in Osteopathy (D.O.) or

Master in Osteopathy (MSc Osteopathy) or

MSc. Osteopathic Medicine

or

Diplômée en Ostéopathie (D.O)

or

Diplomée en Medecine + Ostéopathie

or

a minimum of 4 years' study from a recognised University or osteopathic training school approved by the Ministry of Health of the country of studies

12. Physiotherapist Diploma in Physiotherapy before 1990

or

Bachelor of Science in Physiotherapy

or

Diplôme d'Etat de Kinésithérapeute

or

Diplôme d'Etat de Massok i n é s i t h é r a p e u t e/M a s s e u r kinésithérapeute

or

Diplôme en Physiothérapie

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		Bachelier or Master en Kinésithérapie
		or
		Bachelor's Qualification degree in Kinesytherapy
		or
		Bachelor of Health Science & Master in Physiotherapy practice
		or
		Bachelor of Science in Physical Therapy
		or
		Bachelor in Physiotherapy (BPT)
		or
		Bachelor Degree accredited by the World Physiotherapy
		Note –
		All above qualifications must include at least 1,000 hours of clinical training
13.	Podiatrist	Diplôme d'État de Pédicurie-Podologie
		or
		Bachelor Degree in Podiatry
		or
		Bachelier en Podologie-Podothérapie
14.	Psychologist	Bachelor Degree in Psychology
		and
		Master's Degree in Psychology (2 years), including documented supervised clinical training of a minimum of 400 hours during the course
		including documented supervised clinical training of a minimum of 400

and

Master's Degree in Psychology (one year), including documented supervised clinical training of a minimum of 200 hours

and

PhD Degree in Psychology, including documented supervised clinical training of a minimum of 200 hours

or

Licence/Bachelier en Psychologie (3 years)

and

Master 1 (Maitrise) en Psychologie and Diplôme d'Etudes Supérieures Spécialisées (DESS)/Master 2 level in Psychology together with documented supervised clinical training of a minimum of 400 hours during the course

15. Psychomotor Diplôme d'État de Psychomotricien Therapist

or

Bachelier en Psychomotricité

or

Licence en Psychomotricité

or

Bachelor Degree in Psychomotor Therapy

or

Certificate of Capacity in Psychomotricity

or

Maîtrise en Psychomotricité

 Psychotherapist Bachelor's Degree in Psychology, Education, Social Work, Nursing or Medicine

and

Master's degree in Psychotherapy from a recognised institution and a minimum of 400 hours of documented supervised clinical training

or

Bachelier dans les domaines des sciences de l'éducation ou sciences humaines et sociales ou la psychologie ou Nursing ou Médecine

and

900H de formation dans une école/ institution de psychothérapie enregistrée nationalement dans le pays d'origine (Ex: FF2P pour la France, BACP pour l'Angleterre et EAPTI) sur 4 à 5 ans incluant 400H pratique dont 250H supervisées

or

Maîtrise 2 en Psychologie

and

900H de formation dans une école/ institution de psychothérapie enregistrée nationalement dans le pays d'origine (E : FF2P¹ pour la France, BACP² pour l'Angleterre et EAPTI³) sur 4 à 5 ans incluant 400H pratique dont 250H supervisées

or	

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		Être certifiés du CEP (Certificat Européen de psychothérapie) délivré par l'EAP (European Association of Psychotherapy)
		FF2P ¹ – Fédération Française de Psychothérapie et Psychanalyse
		BACP ² – British Association for Counselling and Psychotherapy
		EAPTI ³ – European Accredited Psychotherapy Training Institute
17.	Speech and	Bachelor of Speech Pathology
1	Language	or
	Therapist	Bachelor of Speech and Language Pathology
		or
		Bachelor of Applied Science (Speech Pathology)
		or
		Bachelor of Allied Health Sciences (Speech Pathology)
		or
		Bachelor of Applied Science and Master of Speech Pathology
		or Australia
		Bachelor of Health Science/Master of Speech and Language Therapy
		or
		Bachelor of Speech and Language Sciences/Master of Speech Pathology
		or
		Master of Speech Pathology
		or
		Master of Speech and Language Pathology
		or
		Master of Speech and Language Therapy

<i>Graduat/Bachelier en logopédie</i> (If studies done in Hautes Ecoles)	
or	
Maîtrise <i>en logopédie</i> (If studies done in Universities)	Belgium
or	
Master in Speech-Language Pathology	
or	
Maitrise en orthophonie	Canada
or	
Master of Science in Speech-Language Pathology	China
or	
Bachelor of Speech and Hearing Science	
or	
Bachelor of Science (Speech and Hearing)	
or	
Bachelor of Science (Audiology and Speech Therapy)	
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Bachelor of Science (Audiology and Speech Rehabilitation)	India
or	
Bachelor of Science Hearing, Language and Speech (BSLH)	
or	
Bachelor of Audiology and Speech Language Pathology	
or	
Bachelor of Arts Audiology and Speech Language Pathology	

Bachelor Degree in Speech & Language Pathology	
or	
Bachelor in Logopaedics	
or	
Bachelor of Arts in Logopaedics (if obtained before 1965)	
or	
Bachelor of Science in Logopaedics (if obtained before 1965)	0 4 4 6 1
or	South Africa
Bachelor of Speech and Hearing Therapy	
or	
Bachelor of Arts in Speech and Hearing Therapy	
or	
Bachelor in Speech Therapy and Audiology	
or	
Master of Arts en logopédie	
Master of Arts in Speech and Language Therapy	Switzerland
or	

Bachelor of Science (Hons) Speech Sciences or Bachelor of Arts in Linguistics & Language Pathology or Bachelor of Science (Hons) Speech and Language Therapy or Bachelor of Science-Linguistics and Language Pathology or Bachelor of Science-Psychology and United Speech Pathology Kingdom or Bachelor of Medical Sciences (Hons) Speech and Language Therapy or Master of Science Speech and Language Sciences or Master of Science Speech and Language Therapy or Master of Medical Sciences Speech and Language Therapy

		Master of Arts in Speech-Language Pathology
		or
		Master of Science in Speech-Language Pathology
		or
		Master of Science in Speech Therapy and Audiology
		or United States of America
		Master of Science in Communication Disorders
		or
		Master of Arts in Communication Sciences and Disorders
		or
		Master of Science in Communication Sciences and Disorders
18.	Sports Therapist	Bachelor Degree in Sports Therapy
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		Bachelor Degree in Sports and Exercise Therapy
		or
		Bachelor Degree in Sports Rehabilitation
		Note –
		All qualifications must include Clinical Training

2. No qualifications set out in this Schedule shall be acceptable to the Council where a person has undergone only online courses.

3. Any person who has undergone only online courses may apply to the Council for registration within 6 months from the coming into operation of these regulations and the Council shall determine his application on being satisfied that the online course contents are to the satisfaction of the Council and that he also meets the requirements of section 17 of the Act.