

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQs)

1. What are the main criteria that can help me be selected for training?

Kindly refer to the **OMSB Residency Application and Interview Guide**.

2. How can I get my OMSB Selection Examination scores?

You will receive your OMSB selection examination score through your registered email.

3. Is there any equivalent examination to OMSB Selection Examination?

No. OMSB Selection Examination is the only entry examination to OMSB Residency Training Programs; for all training programs except General Dentistry and OMFS programs.

4. What is the prerequisite for applying to General Dentistry and OMFS Programs?

You have to successfully pass the MFDs.

5. How can apply for local Residency Training?

Click: "<https://hakeem.omsb.gov.om>" to apply for the Residency Programs available locally

6. What are the general requirements to apply for Local Residency?

a) Local Only: For Academic Year 2022-2023

- ✓ Application/Sponsorship Form (Form must be signed and stamped by sponsor/employer)
- ✓ Curriculum Vitae
- ✓ Scanned PDF copy of MD Certificate (if the medical school is outside Oman, obtaining verification and attestation of MD certificate is a MUST)
- ✓ Scanned PDF copy of MD Transcripts
- ✓ Scanned PDF copy of the internship certificate
- ✓ Scanned PDF copy of valid National Identity Card and Passport.
- ✓ Applicant Health Assessment (AHA) Form (all required test reports MUST be submitted within the application period)
- ✓ Photocopy of valid BLS and ACLS certificates (BLS and ACLS certificates should be valid at the start of the academic year of your rejoining)
- ✓ Any extra qualifications, certificates or publications
- ✓ For Dentists, the applicant must have a minimum experience of two (2) years and MFDS
- ✓ **For Non-Omani Applicants:** (1) Sponsorship letter from sponsoring organization, (2) Letter of Good Standing from the Medical Organization in the Country of Residence and Practice

7. What are the offered Local Residency Programs?

OMSB local training programs are:

1. Anatomical Pathology
2. Anesthesia
3. Clinical biochemistry
4. Dermatology
5. Emergency medicine
6. Family Medicine
7. General Dentistry
8. General Surgery
9. Hematopathology
10. Internal Medicine
11. Medical Microbiology
12. OBGYN
13. Ophthalmology
14. OMFS
15. Orthopedic Surgery
16. Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery
17. Pediatrics
18. Psychiatry
19. Radiology

8. How can apply for local Fellowship Training Programs?

Click: "<https://hakeem.omsb.gov.om>" to to apply for the Fellowship programs available locally

9. What are the minimum requirements to apply for fellowship?

- a) Completion of Residency Training Certificate
- b) Specialty Certificate

10. What are the Fellowship programs offered locally for academic year 2022-2023?

- a) Adult Cardiology Fellowship – Royal Hospital
- b) Otolaryngology Fellowship – Al Nahdha Hospital
- c) Medical Genetics Fellowship – Sultan Qaboos University Hospital
- d) Pediatrics Hematology/ Oncology Fellowship - Royal Hospital