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### Government Notices

#### MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

No. 45

2010

#### REGULATIONS RELATING TO THE SCOPE OF PRACTICE OF A BIOKINETICIST: THE ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT, 2004

Under section 55 of the Allied Health Professions Act, 2004 (Act No. 7 of 2004), and on the recommendation of the Allied Health Professions Council of Namibia, I have made the regulations set out in the Schedule.

**R.N. KAMWI**  
**MINISTER OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

Windhoek, 24 February 2010

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## SCHEDULE

### Definitions

1. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise indicates, a word or expression defined in the Act has that meaning, and -

“final phase rehabilitation” means the period or phase in the rehabilitation process in which the physical activity and conditioning constitutes the primary therapeutic modality; and

“the Act” means the Allied Health Professions Act, 2004 (Act No. 7 of 2004).

### Scope of practice of biokineticists

2. (1) A biokineticist is concerned with the -

- (a) preventative health care;
- (b) maintaining of physical conditions and physical abilities; and
- (c) final phase functional rehabilitation,

of humans by means of scientifically based physical activity and sport programmes.

(2) The acts especially pertaining to a biokineticists are -

- (a) the promotion of physical abilities and performance, prevention and rehabilitation of medical ailments, the physical selection, body composition analysis, wellness intervention and functional restoration of the patient in the domains of -
  - (i) musculo-skeletal and orthopaedic disease, disability and injury;
  - (ii) neuromuscular disorders and disease;
  - (iii) cardiovascular disorders and disease;
  - (iv) pulmonary disease;
  - (v) metabolic disorders and disease;
  - (vi) immunological and haematological disorders;
  - (vii) psychological disorders;
- (b) the evaluation of a patient by -
  - (i) the recording of his or her general history with a view to determining the risks (if any) of exercising for the patient;
  - (ii) the determining of his or her physical work capacity with the aid of a cycle ergometer or treadmill, and monitoring and available associated equipment, to arrive at and determine the effective and safe exercising level for an exercising programme prescription, by means of the -
    - (aa) monitoring, with an electrocardiograph or heart rate monitor, the heart rate during multistage workloads;

- (bb) measuring of blood pressure and other physiological responses before, during and after work;
- (cc) measuring of the range of motion muscle strength and specific functions;
- (dd) evaluating the body posture and composition;
- (ee) measuring of lung function and capacity by means of specialised spirometry equipment;
- (ff) evaluation of body posture, alignment and body composition; and
- (gg) assessment of joint stability;
- (iii) the prescribing of a specific exercising programme, including the follow-up and guidance relating to that programme;
- (iv) the physical selection, including the evaluation of an exercising programme for different groups and professions;
- (c) final phase rehabilitation (musculoskeletal and neuromuscular systems) of the patient, including -
  - (i) functional ergological assessment, consisting of the assessment of the affected limb or body part to determine the functional limitations, with the aid of the -
    - (aa) specific history of the condition and previous treatment, and a general medical history;
    - (bb) specific assessment of the affected limb or body part, including the manual determining of -
      - (ab) the range of motion;
      - (ac) muscle strength; and
      - (ad) flexibility;
    - (cc) analysis of posture;
    - (dd) specialised tests for muscle strength, activation and exhaustion, and the range of motion in all planes of joints by means of the assessment of torque, muscle, work, ratios between antagonistic muscle groups with regard to torque and work, bilateral comparisons with regard to torque and work, range of motion and extent and position of restriction resulting from injury or deviation of the following joints:
      - (ab) Knee;
      - (ac) ankle;
      - (ad) shoulder;

- (ae) elbow;
  - (af) hip;
  - (ag) wrist; and
  - (ah) spinal column;
- (ii) rehabilitation programme prescription and sessions, both chronic and orthopaedic, including -
- (aa) an orthopaedic final phase rehabilitation programme prescription and taking the patient through the rehabilitation programme prescription;
  - (bb) an orthopaedic final phase functional rehabilitation session;
  - (cc) a rehabilitation session on specialised equipment, including final phase functional rehabilitation with the aid of -
    - (ab) electronic-hydraulic isokinetic systems;
    - (ac) stability equipment and exercise;
- (d) an exercising programme prescription, including the prescription, follow-up and guidance of specific exercising programmes;
- (e) a physical selection, including the evaluation of an exercising programme prescription for special groups and professions;
- (f) final phase functional rehabilitation by means of hydrotherapy;
- (g) gait assessment, analysis and exercising programme;
- (h) final phase rehabilitation of medical conditions, including -
- (i) functional assessment, including -
    - (aa) general history with a view to determine the risks of exercise for the patient; and
    - (bb) physical work capacity test, including the determining of physical work capacity with the aid of a cycle ergometer or treadmill, monitor equipment and available associated equipment to determine an effective and safe final phase rehabilitation programme prescription, including -
      - (ab) monitoring the heart rate by means of an electrocardiograph or heart rate monitor during multistage workloads; and
      - (ac) measuring of blood pressure and other physiological responses before, during and after workloads; and
- (ii) rehabilitation programme prescription, including final phase rehabilitation programme prescription for specific medical conditions;

- (i) sport specific performance, including -
  - (aa) improvement of functional ability;
  - (bb) scientifically designed, final phase rehabilitation programmes;
  - (cc) enhancing of sport performance;
  - (dd) sport specific training programmes to enhance individual and team performance;
  - (ee) promotion of high performance physical activity;
  - (ff) implementation of sport specific programmes;
  - (gg) implementation of long term development of sport specific programmes for athletes; and
  - (hh) structured pre-season, in-season and post-season training programmes; and
- (j) testing, including -
  - (aa) scientifically based exercise testing;
  - (bb) specific physiological profiles for each athlete; and
  - (cc) fitness testing and re-evaluation.

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**MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

No. 46

2010

REGULATIONS RELATING TO CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT  
APPLICABLE TO REGISTERED PERSONS: THE ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONS  
COUNCIL OF NAMIBIA: THE ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT, 2004

Under section 55 of the Allied Health Professions Act, 2004 (Act No. 7 of 2004), read with section 33(2) of that Act, and on the recommendation of the Allied Health Professions Council of Namibia, I have made the regulations set out in the Schedule.

**R.N. KAMWI**  
**MINISTER OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

Windhoek, 24 February 2010

SCHEDULE

**Definitions**

**1.** In these regulations, unless the context otherwise indicates, a word or expression defined in the Act has that meaning, and -

“the Act” means the Allied Health Professions Act, 2004 (Act No. 7 of 2004).

**Continuing professional development applicable to a registered person**

2. The continuing professional development determined by the Council under subsection (1) of section 33 of the Act in respect of a registered person or class of registered persons is applicable to that registered person or class of registered persons, and he or she or they must comply therewith.

**Failure to comply with continuing professional development**

3. (1) If a registered person fails to comply with the continuing professional development determined by the Council under subsection (1) of section 33 of the Act and applicable to him or her, the Council may -

- (a) refuse to maintain the registration of that registered person under section 27 of the Act; or
- (b) grant, on good cause shown, that registered person an extension of time for a period of not more than one year, subject to paragraph (a) of subregulation (2), to comply with the continuing professional development applicable to him or her; or
- (c) require that registered person to write an examination determined by the Council, subject to paragraph (b) of subregulation (2), which examination must determine the professional knowledge and skills of that registered person relating to the continuing professional development that he or she has failed to comply with.

(2) A registered person who has failed to comply with the continuing professional development referred to in subregulation (1), may apply to the Council in writing, in such form as the Council may determine, for -

- (a) the extension of time prescribed by paragraph (b); or
  - (b) the writing of an examination prescribed by paragraph (c),
- of subregulation (1).

(3) An application in accordance with subregulation (2) must -

- (a) explain in detail the reasons why the registered person failed to comply with the continuing professional development referred to in subregulation (1); and
- (b) be accompanied by -
  - (i) the information and documents determined by the Council; and
  - (ii) payment of the examination fees determined by the Council under section 27(1)(a) of the Act, if applicable.

(4) The Council, after having considered an application made in accordance with subregulations (2) and (3), may -

- (a) grant the application for -
  - (i) the extension prescribed by paragraph (b); or
  - (ii) the writing of the examination prescribed by paragraph (c),

of subregulation (1), if it is satisfied that the failure by the registered person to comply with the continuing professional development referred to in that subregulation, is due to circumstances beyond his or her control; or

(b) refuse the application for -

(i) the extension prescribed by paragraph (b); or

(ii) the writing of the examination prescribed by paragraph (c),

of subregulation (1), if it is satisfied that the failure by the registered person to comply with the continuing professional development referred to in that subregulation, is not due to circumstances beyond his or her control.

(5) The Council must -

(a) inform the registered person in writing of any decision of the Council under subregulation (4);

(b) furnish the registered person in writing with particulars of the extension granted under subparagraph (i), or the examinations that must be written as determined under subparagraph (ii), as the case may be, of paragraph (a) of subregulation (4), and the period of time within which the examination must be written, if applicable; or

(c) inform the registered person in writing, if the application for extension is refused under paragraph (b) of subregulation (4), as soon as practicable of the grounds for the refusal.

(6) If a registered person fails to -

(a) complete the continuing professional development referred to in subregulation (1) within the period of extension granted under subregulation (4)(a)(i); or

(b) comply with a decision of the Council under subregulation (4)(a)(ii) that he or she must write an examination as determined by the Council within the period of time so determined, or fails to pass that examination,

he or she must be regarded as having failed to comply with the continuing professional development referred to in subregulation (1).

(7) The Council may apply the provisions of subregulation (1) of regulation 3 in respect of a registered person referred to in subregulation (6) of this regulation.

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**MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

No. 47

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REGULATIONS RELATING TO THE MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS OF STUDY FOR  
REGISTRATION AS A DIAGNOSTIC RADIOGRAPHER, A NUCLEAR MEDICINE  
RADIOGRAPHER, A THERAPEUTIC RADIOGRAPHER, AN ULTRASOUND  
RADIOGRAPHER AND A RADIOGRAPHY ASSISTANT:  
THE ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT, 2004

Under section 55 of the Allied Health Professions Act, 2004 (Act No. 7 of 2004), read with section 19(1) of that Act, and on the recommendation of the Allied Health Professions Council of Namibia, I have -

- (a) made the regulations set out in the Schedule; and
- (b) repealed. the Rules made under Government Notice No. R. 1851 dated 16 September 1977.

**R.N. KAMWI**  
**MINISTER OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

Windhoek, 24 February 2010

SCHEDULE

**Definitions**

**1.** In these regulations, unless the context otherwise indicates, a word or expression defined in the Act has that meaning, and -

“the Act” means the Allied Health Professions Act, 2004 (Act No. 7 of 2004).

**Minimum requirements of study for registration as a diagnostic radiographer**

**2.** Subject to compliance, to the satisfaction of the Council, with the other requirements prescribed by or under the Act, any one of the following qualifications entitles the holder thereof to registration as a diagnostic radiographer :

- (a) a four year degree in diagnostic radiography; or
- (b) a three year diploma in diagnostic radiography,

awarded by any one of the following educational institutions or examining authorities after the full-time education, tuition and training of the holder of that qualification for the periods of time prescribed by paragraph (a) and (b) respectively :

**Educational institution or  
Examining Authority,  
and Qualification :**

**Abbreviation for  
Registration**

**REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA**

**University of Namibia:**

Diploma in Radiography (Diagnostic)

Dip in Rad (Diag) UNAM



National Diploma in Radiography (Diagnostic)	NRAD (Diagnostic) UNAM
Bachelor Degree in Radiography (Diagnostic)	BRAD (Diagnostic) UNAM

**REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA**

**Department of National Education:**

National Diploma in Diagnostic Radiography (obtained before 1 January 1980)	Nat Dip Diag Rad (SA)
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National Diploma in Radiography (obtained before 7 March 1962)	Nat Dip Rad (SA)
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**South African Medical and Dental Council**

Examination in Diagnostic Radiography (obtained before 7 March 1962)	Exam SAMDC
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Examination in Radiography (obtained before 7 March 1962)	Exam Rad SAMDC
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**Durban Institute of Technology  
(Formerly Technikon Natal)**

National Diploma : Radiography (Diagnosis)	Nat Dip Rad (Diagnosis) Technikon Natal
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National Diploma : Radiography (Diagnosis)	Nat Dip Rad (Diagnosis) Durban Inst of Technology
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National Higher Diploma : Radiography (Diagnosis)	NHD Rad (Diagnosis) Technikon Natal
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National Higher Diploma : Radiography (Diagnosis)	NHD Rad (Diagnosis) Durban Inst of Technology
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Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography (Diagnosis)	B Tech Radiography (D) Technikon Natal
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Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography (Diagnosis)	B Tech Radiography (D) Durban Inst of Technology
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**Central University of Technology,  
Free State  
(Formerly Technikon Orange Free State)**

National Diploma : Radiography (Diagnosis)	Nat Dip Rad (Diagnosis) Central Univ of Technology, Free State
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National Diploma : Radiography (Diagnosis)	Nat Dip Rad (Diagnosis) Technikon OFS
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National Higher Diploma : Radiography (Diagnosis)	NHD Rad (Diagnosis) Central Univ of Technology, Free State
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National Higher Diploma : Radiography (Diagnosis)	NHD Rad (Diagnosis) Technikon OFS
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Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography (Diagnosis)	B Tech Radiography (D) Central Univ of Technology, Free State
Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography (Diagnosis)	B Tech Radiography (D) Technikon OFS
<b>Cape Peninsula University of Technology</b> (Formerly Peninsula Technikon)	
National Diploma : Radiography (Diagnosis)	Nat Dip Rad (Diagnosis) Cape Peninsula Univ of Technology
National Diploma : Radiography (Diagnosis)	Nat Dip Rad (Diagnosis) Peninsula Technikon
National Higher Diploma : Radiography (Diagnosis)	NHD Rad (Diagnosis) Cape Peninsula Univ of Technology
National Higher Diploma : Radiography (Diagnosis)	NHD Rad (Diagnosis) Peninsula Technikon
Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography (Diagnosis)	B Tech Radiography (D) Cape Peninsula Univ of Technology
Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography (Diagnosis)	B Tech Radiography (D) Peninsula Technikon
<b>Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University</b> (Formerly Port Elizabeth Technikon)	
National Diploma : Radiography (Diagnosis)	Nat Dip Rad (Diagnosis) Nelson Mandela Port Elizabeth
National Diploma : Radiography (Diagnosis)	Nat Dip Rad (Diagnosis) Port Elizabeth Technikon
Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography (Diagnosis)	B Tech Radiography (D) Nelson Mandela Port Elizabeth
Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography Port Elizabeth Technikon	B Tech Radiography (D)
<b>Tshwane University of Technology</b> (Formerly Technikon Pretoria)	
National Diploma : Radiography (Diagnosis)	Nat Dip Rad (Diagnosis) TUT Pretoria
National Diploma : Radiography (Diagnosis)	Nat Dip Rad (Diagnosis) Technikon Pretoria
Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography (Diagnosis)	B Tech Radiography (D) TUT Pretoria
Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography Port Elizabeth Technikon	B Tech Radiography (D) Technikon Pretoria

**University of Johannesburg****(Formerly Technikon Witwatersrand)**National Diploma : Radiography  
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(Diagnosis)Nat Dip Rad (Diagnosis)  
Technikon WitwatersrandNational Higher Diploma : Radiography  
(Diagnosis)NHD Rad (Diagnosis)  
University of JohannesburgNational Higher Diploma : Radiography  
(Diagnosis)NHD Rad (Diagnosis)  
Technikon WitwatersrandBachelor Technologiae : Radiography  
(Diagnosis)B Tech Radiography (D)  
University of JohannesburgBachelor Technologiae : Radiography  
(Diagnosis)B Tech Radiography (D)  
Technikon Witwatersrand**University of Limpopo****(Formerly Medical University of South Africa)**

Bachelor of Diagnostic Radiography

B Rad (Diag) Limpopo

Bachelor of Diagnostic Radiography

B Rad (Diag) Medunsa

Diploma in Diagnostic Radiography

Dip Diag Rad Limpopo

Diploma in Diagnostic Radiography

Dip Diag Rad Medunsa

**University of Pretoria**

Bachelor of Radiography (Diagnosis)

B Rad (Diag) Pret

Honours Bachelors Degree in Radiography  
(Diagnosis)B Rad Hons (Diagnosis)  
Pret

Diploma in Diagnostic Radiography

Dip Diag Rad Pret

Diploma in Radiography  
(obtained before 7 March 1962)

Dip Rad Pret

**University of the Free State**

(Formerly University of the Orange Free State)

Bachelor of Radiography (Diagnostic)

B Rad (Diag) Free State

Bachelor of Radiography (Diagnostic)

B Rad (Diag) Orange Free State

Diploma in Diagnostic Radiography

Dip Diag Rad Free State

Diploma in Diagnostic Radiography

Dip Diag Rad Orange Free State

Diploma in Radiography  
(obtained before 7 March 1962)

Dip Rad Orange Free State

**AUSTRALIA****Australasian Institute of Radiography**

Diploma of Qualification of the Conjoint Board  
of the Royal Australian College of Radiologists  
and the Australasian Institute of Radiography

Dip Radiography  
Australasian Conjoint  
Board

**HONG KONG****Hong Kong Diagnostic Radiographers' Association**

Diploma in Diagnostic Radiography  
(obtained before 30 June 1962)

Dip Diag Rad Hong Kong  
Assoc

**Institute of Medical and Health Care**

Professional Diploma in Diagnostic  
Radiography  
(obtained before 30 June 1962)

Prof Dip Diag Rad Hong  
Kong

**KINSHASA****Higher Institute of Medical Technology Kinshasa**

Diploma in Radiography

Dip Rad Kinshasa

**THE NETHERLANDS****Nederlandse Vereniging voor Electrologie en Röntgenologie**

Diploma

Dip Nederlandse Ver Voor  
Electro en Röntgen

**Nederlandse Vereniging voor Radiologie**

Diploma in Radiotherapie

Dip Nederlandse Ver Voor Radiologie

**SWITZERLAND****Schweizerischen Schule für technische  
Röntgen –assistentinnen und - assistenten**

Diploma

Dip Swit Teg Röntgen Ast

**UNITED KINGDOM****College of Radiographers, London**

Final Qualifying Diploma in Diagnosis

DCR (D) London

**Society of Radiographers, London**

Final Qualifying Certificate or Diploma  
in Diagnosis

DSR (D) London

Final Qualifying Certificate or Diploma  
(Diagnosis and Therapy)

DSR (R) London

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA****American Registry of Radiologic Technologists**

Diploma

Dip American Reg Rad Teg

**ZAMBIA****Examinations Council, Zambia**

Diploma in Radiography

Dip in Rad Zambia

**Minimum requirements of study for registration as a nuclear medicine radiographer**

3. Subject to compliance, to the satisfaction of the Council, with the other requirements prescribed by or under the Act, any one of the following qualifications entitles the holder thereof to registration as a nuclear medicine radiographer :

- (a) a four year degree in nuclear medicine; or
- (b) a three year diploma in nuclear medicine,

awarded by any one of the following educational institutions or examining authorities after the full-time education, tuition and training of the holder of that qualification for the periods of time prescribed by paragraph (a) and (b) respectively :

**Educational institution or  
Examining Authority,  
and Qualification :**

**Abbreviation for  
Registration**

**REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA****Department of National Education**

National Diploma in Nuclear Medicine  
(obtained before 1 January 1980)

Nat Dip Nuclear Med (SA)

**South African Medical and Dental Council**

Examination in Nuclear Medicine

Exam SAMDC

**Technikon Natal**

National Diploma : Radiography (Nuclear  
Medicine)

Nat Dip (Nucl Med)  
Technikon Natal

National Higher Diploma : Radiography  
(Nuclear Medicine)

NHD Rad (Nucl Med)  
Technikon Natal

Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography  
(Nuclear Medicine)

B Tech Radiography (NM)  
Technikon Natal

**Central University of Technology, Free State  
(Formerly Technikon Free State)**

National Diploma : Radiography  
(Nuclear Medicine)

Nat Dip Rad (Nucl Med)  
Central Univ of Technology, Free State

National Diploma : Radiography  
(Nuclear Medicine)

Nat Dip Rad (Nucl Med)  
Technikon OFS

National Higher Diploma : Radiography  
(Nuclear Medicine)

NHD Rad (Nucl Med)  
Central Univ of Technology, Free State

National Higher Diploma : Radiography  
(Nuclear Medicine)

NHD Rad (Nucl Med)  
Technikon OFS

Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography (Nuclear Medicine)	B Tech Radiography (Nucl Med) Central Univ of Technology, Free State
Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography (Nuclear Medicine)	B Tech Radiography (Nucl Med) Technikon OFS
<b>Cape Peninsula University of Technology</b> (Formerly Peninsula Technikon)	
National Diploma : Radiography (Nuclear Medicine)	Nat Dip Rad (Nucl Med) Cape Peninsula Univ of Technology
National Diploma : Radiography (Nuclear Medicine)	Nat Dip Rad (Nucl Med) Peninsula Technikon
National Higher Diploma : Radiography (Nuclear Medicine)	NHD Rad (Nucl Med) Cape Peninsula Univ of Technology
National Higher Diploma : Radiography (Nuclear Medicine)	NHD Rad (Nucl Med) Peninsula Technikon
Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography (Nuclear Medicine)	B Tech Radiography (Nucl Med) Cape Peninsula Univ of Technology
Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography (Nuclear Medicine)	B Tech Radiography (NM) Peninsula Technikon
<b>University of Johannesburg</b> (Formerly Technikon Witwatersrand)	
National Diploma : Radiography (Nuclear Medicine)	Nat Dip Rad (Nucl Med) University of Johannesburg
National Diploma : Radiography (Nuclear Medicine)	Nat Dip Rad (Nucl Med) Technikon Witwatersrand
National Higher Diploma : Radiography (Nuclear Medicine)	NHD Rad (Nucl Med) University of Johannesburg
National Higher Diploma : Radiography (Nuclear Medicine)	NHD Rad (Nucl Med) Technikon Witwatersrand
Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography (Nuclear Medicine)	B Tech Radiography (NM) University of Johannesburg
Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography (Nuclear Medicine)	B Tech Radiography (NM) Technikon Witwatersrand
<b>University of the Free State</b> (Formerly University of the Orange Free State)	
Bachelor of Radiography (Hons) (Nuclear Medicine)	B Rad (Nucl Med) Free State
Bachelor of Radiography (Hons) (Nuclear Medicine)	B Rad (Nucl Med) Orange Free State

**University of Pretoria**

Diploma in Nuclear Medicine

Dip Nuclear Medicine Pret

Honours Bachelors Degree in Radiography  
(Nuclear Medicine)B Rad Hons (Nuclear Med)  
Pret**CANADA****Canadian Society of Radiological Technicians**Certificate in Nuclear Medicine Technology  
(obtained before 30 June 1996)Cert Nucl Med Canadian Soc  
Rad Technicians**UNITED KINGDOM****College of Radiographers, London**

Final Qualifying Diploma in Nuclear Medicine

DCR (NM) London

**Minimum requirements of study for registration as a therapeutic radiographer**

4. Subject to compliance, to the satisfaction of the Council, with the other requirements prescribed by or under the Act, any one of the following qualifications entitles the holder thereof to registration as a therapeutic radiographer :

- (a) a four year degree in therapeutic radiography; or
- (b) a three year diploma in therapeutic radiography,

awarded by any one of the following educational institutions or examining authorities after the full-time education, tuition and training of the holder of that qualification for the periods of time prescribed by paragraph (a) and (b) respectively :

**Educational institution or  
Examining Authority,  
and Qualification :**

**Abbreviation for  
Registration**

**REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA****Department of National Education**National Diploma in Radiography  
(obtained before 7 March 1962)

Nat Dip Rad (SA)

National Diploma in Therapeutic Radiography  
(obtained before 1 January 1980)

Nat Dip Ther Rad (SA)

**South African Medical and Dental Council**

Examination in Radiography

Exam Rad SAMDC

Examination in Therapeutic Radiography

Exam SAMDC

**Technikon Natal**

National Diploma : Radiography (Therapy)

Nat Dip Rad (Therapy)  
Technikon NatalNational Higher Diploma : Radiography  
(Therapy)NHD Rad (Therapy)  
Technikon Natal

Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography (Therapy)	B Tech Radiography (T) Technikon Natal
<b>Cape Peninsula University of Technology</b> (Formerly Peninsula Technikon)	
National Diploma : Radiography (Therapy)	Nat Dip Rad (Therapy) Cape Peninsula Univ of Technology
National Diploma : Radiography (Therapy)	Nat Dip Rad (Therapy) Peninsula Technikon
National Higher Diploma : Radiography (Therapy)	NHD Rad (Therapy) Cape Peninsula Univ of Technology
National Higher Diploma : Radiography (Therapy)	NHD Rad (Therapy) Peninsula Technikon
Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography (Therapy)	B Tech Radiography (Therapy) Cape Peninsula Univ of Technology
Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography (Therapy)	B Tech Radiography (T) Peninsula Technikon
<b>University of Johannesburg</b> (Formerly Technikon Witwatersrand)	
National Diploma : Radiography (Therapy)	Nat Dip Rad (Therapy) University of Johannesburg
National Diploma : Radiography (Therapy)	Nat Dip Rad (Therapy) Technikon Witwatersrand
National Higher Diploma : Radiography (Therapy)	NHD Rad (Therapy) University of Johannesburg
National Higher Diploma : Radiography (Therapy)	NHD Rad (Therapy)
<b>University of the Free State</b> (Formerly University of the Orange Free State)	
Bachelor of Radiography (Hons) (Oncotherapeutic Radiography)	B Rad (Therapy) Free State
Bachelor of Radiography (Hons) (Oncotherapeutic Radiography)	B Rad (Therapy) Orange Free State
Diploma in Radiography (obtained before 7 March 1962)	Dip Rad (Therapy) Free State
Diploma in Radiography (obtained before 7 March 1962)	Dip Rad (Therapy) Orange Free State
Diploma in Therapeutic Radiography (obtained before 7 March 1962)	Dip Ther Rad Free State



Diploma in Therapeutic Radiography  
(obtained before 7 March 1962) Dip Ther Rad Orange Free State

**University of Pretoria**

Diploma in Radiography  
(obtained before 7 March 1962) Dip Rad Pret

Diploma in Therapeutic Radiography  
(obtained before 7 March 1962) Dip Ther Rad Pret

Honours Bachelors Degree in Radiography  
(Therapy) B Rad Hons (Therapy) Pretoria

**AUSTRALIA**

**Australasian Institute of Radiography**

Diploma of Qualification of the Conjoint Board  
of the Royal Australian College of Radiologists  
and the Australasian Institute of Radiography  
(obtained before 30 June 1996) Dip Radiography  
Australasian Conjoint  
Board

**CANADA**

**Canadian Association of Medical Radiation  
Technologists**

Certificate  
(obtained before 30 June 1996) Cert Canadian Assoc Med  
Rad Technologists

**Canadian Society of Radiological Technicians**

Certificate Cert Canadian Soc Rad Technicians

**THE NETHERLANDS**

**Nederlandse Vereniging voor Electrologie en Röntgenologie**

Diploma in Stralingsterapie Dip Nederlandse Electro  
en Röntgen Ver

**Nederlandse Vereniging voor Radiologie**

Diploma in Radiotherapie Dip Nederlandse Ver  
Radiologie

**NEW ZEALAND**

**Central Institute of Technology**

Diploma in Therapeutic Radiography Dip Ther Cert Inst of Tech  
New Zealand

**UNITED KINGDOM**

**College of Radiographers, London**

Final Qualifying Diploma in Therapy DCR (T) London

**Society of Radiographers, London**

Final Qualifying Certificate or Diploma  
(diagnosis and Therapy)

DSR (R) London

Final Qualifying Certificate or Diploma  
in Therapy

DSR (T) London

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA****American Registry of Radiologic Technologists**

Diploma

Dip American Reg Rad Tech

**Minimum requirements of study for registration as an ultrasound radiographer**

5. Subject to compliance, to the satisfaction of the Council, with the other requirements prescribed by or under the Act, any one of the following qualifications entitles the holder thereof to registration as an ultrasound radiographer :

- (a) a four year degree in ultrasonography; or
- (b) a three year diploma in ultrasonography,

awarded by any one of the following educational institutions or examining authorities after the full-time education, tuition and training of the holder of that qualification for the periods of time prescribed by paragraph (a) and (b) respectively :

**REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA****Department of National Education**

National Certificate in Ultrasound  
(obtained before 1 January 1994)

Nat Cert Ultrasound, Dept  
Dept Nat Education

**South African Medical and Dental Council**

Examination in Ultrasound  
(obtained before 7 March 1962)

Exam SAMDC

**Durban Institute of Technology  
(Formerly Technikon Natal)**

National Diploma : Radiography (Ultrasound)  
Durban Inst of Technology

Nat Dip Rad (Ultrasound)

National Diploma : Radiography (Ultrasound)

Nat Dip Rad (Ultrasound)  
Technikon Natal

National Higher Diploma : Radiography  
(Ultrasound)

NHD Rad (Ultrasound)  
Durban Inst of Technology

National Higher Diploma : Radiography  
(Ultrasound)

NHD Rad (Ultrasound)  
Technikon Natal

Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography  
(Ultrasound)

B Tech Radiography (US)  
Durban Inst of Technology

Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography  
(Ultrasound)

B Tech Radiography (US)  
Technikon Natal

National Certificate in Ultrasound (obtained before 1 January 1994)	Nat Cert Ultrasound Durban Inst of Technology
National Certificate in Ultrasound (obtained before 1 January 1994)	Nat Cert Ultrasound Technikon Natal
<b>Cape Peninsula University of Technology</b> (Formerly Peninsula Technikon)	
National Diploma : Radiography (Ultrasound)	Nat Dip Rad (Ultrasound) Cape Peninsula Univ of Technology
National Diploma : Radiography (Ultrasound)	Nat Dip Rad (Ultrasound) Peninsula Technikon
National Higher Diploma : Radiography (Ultrasound)	NHD Rad (Ultrasound) Cape Peninsula Univ of Technology
National Higher Diploma : Radiography (Ultrasound)	NHD Rad (Ultrasound) Peninsula Technikon
Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography (Ultrasound)	B Tech Radiography (US) Cape Peninsula Univ of Technology
Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography (Ultrasound)	B Tech Radiography (US) Peninsula Technikon
<b>University of Johannesburg</b> (Formerly Technikon Witwatersrand)	
National Diploma : Radiography (Ultrasound)	Nat Dip Rad (Ultrasound) University of Johannesburg
National Diploma : Radiography (Ultrasound)	Nat Dip Rad (Ultrasound) Technikon Witwatersrand
National Higher Diploma : Radiography (Ultrasound)	NHD Rad (Ultrasound) University of Johannesburg
National Higher Diploma : Radiography (Ultrasound)	NHD Rad (Ultrasound) Technikon Witwatersrand
Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography (Ultrasound)	B Tech Radiography (US) University of Johannesburg
Bachelor Technologiae : Radiography (Ultrasound)	B Tech Radiography (US) Technikon Witwatersrand

#### **Minimum requirements of study for registration as a radiography assistant**

6. Subject to compliance, to the satisfaction of the Council, with the other requirements prescribed by or under the Act, a two year certificate in radiography awarded by the National Health Training Centre of Namibia or an educational institution approved by the Council for that purpose, after the full time education, tuition and training of that person at that centre or educational institution for a two year period of time, entitles the holder thereof to registration as a radiography assistant.

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**REGULATIONS RELATING TO THE REGISTRATION OF RADIOGRAPHERS  
AND ADDITIONAL QUALIFICATIONS, THE KEEPING OF REGISTERS AND THE  
RESTORATION OF A NAME TO A REGISTER:  
THE ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT, 2004**

Under section 55 of the Allied Health Professions Act, 2004 (Act No. 7 of 2004), read with sections 20, 21, 22, 24, 26 and 32 of that Act, and on the recommendation of the Allied Health Professions Council of Namibia, I have -

- (a) made the regulations set out in the Schedule; and
- (b) repealed the Rules published under Government Notice No. R 2288 of 3 December 1976, insofar as those Rules are applicable to the registration of radiographers.

**R.N. KAMWI****MINISTER OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

Windhoek, 24 February 2010

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**Definitions**

1. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise indicates, a word or expression defined in the Act has that meaning, and -

“additional qualification” means an additional qualification referred to in section 32(1)(a) of the Act and prescribed by regulation 3;

“certified” means certified as a true copy of the original by a commissioner of oaths appointed under section 5, or designated under section 6, of the Justices of the Peace and Commissioners of Oaths Act, 1963 (Act No. 16 of 1963); and

“the Act” means the Allied Health Professions Act, 2004 (Act No. 7 of 2004).

PART II  
REGISTRATION OF RADIOGRAPHERS

**Application for registration as a diagnostic radiographer, nuclear medicine radiographer, therapeutic radiographer, ultrasound radiographer or radiography assistant, and submitting of particulars**

2. (1) An application for the registration of a person as a diagnostic radiographer, nuclear medicine radiographer, therapeutic radiographer, ultrasound radiographer or radiography assistant, submitted to the registrar in terms of subsection (1) of section 20 of the Act must be accompanied, in addition to the documents and particulars specified in subsection (2) of that section, by -

- (a) a certified copy of the identity document or passport of the applicant;
- (b) a certificate issued by the Council in such form as the Council may determine, certifying that the applicant has passed the evaluation referred to in section 21(3) of the Act, if applicable; and
- (c) the original certificate of registration to practise as a diagnostic radiographer, nuclear medicine radiographer, therapeutic radiographer, ultrasound radiographer or radiography assistant, as the case may be, in the country where the applicant obtained the qualification, issued by the registration authority of that country.

(2) If the applicant is not registered with the registration authority referred to in paragraph (c) of subregulation (1), he or she must submit to the registrar, together with his or her application for registration -

- (a) a certificate, issued by that registration authority, certifying that the qualification or qualifications of which the applicant is the holder, entitles him or her to registration as a diagnostic radiographer, nuclear medicine radiographer, therapeutic radiographer, ultrasound radiographer or radiography assistant, as the case may be, in the country where the applicant obtained that qualification or those qualifications; or
- (b) if he or she had been so registered previously, a certificate issued by that registration authority, specifying that the applicant had been so registered previously, that his or her name had been removed from the register, and the grounds for the removal.

(3) The Council may require the applicant to furnish, in such manner as the Council may determine, proof of the applicant's proficiency in the English language.

### PART III REGISTRATION OF ADDITIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

#### **Registrable additional qualifications**

3. The following qualifications may be registered as additional qualifications under section 32 of the Act by a person registered as a diagnostic radiographer, nuclear medicine radiographer, therapeutic radiographer or ultrasound radiographer, subject to compliance with the requirements of the Act and of these regulations :

<b>Qualification :</b>	<b>Abbreviation</b>
Bachelor's Degree in Technology	B-Tech
Honours Bachelor Degree in Radiography	B-Rad Honours
Honours Bachelor of Science Degree in Medicine	B.Sc. Med Honours
Masters of Science Degree in Medicine (Radiotherapy)	M.Sc. Med (Rad)
Masters Degree in Radiography	M.Rad
Masters Degree in Technology	M.Tech
Doctorate in Radiography	D.Sc. (Radiography)

obtained at any educational institution approved by the Council for that purpose.

#### **Registration of non-prescribed additional qualification**

4. (1) In this regulation, "non-prescribed qualification" means an additional qualification that has not been prescribed by regulation 3 as a registrable additional qualification, but that complies with paragraph (a) of subsection (5) of section 32 of the Act.

(2) If an application for the registration of a non-prescribed qualification is submitted to the Council in accordance with subsection (2) of section 32 of the Act, the application must be accompanied, in addition to the documents and particulars specified in subsection (3) of that section, by a transcript, issued by the educational institution or examining body where that additional qualification has been obtained, specifying particulars, to the satisfaction of the Council, of the additional qualification, including the curriculum applicable thereto.

### PART IV REGISTERS AND RESTORATION OF NAME TO REGISTER

#### **Registers**

5. The registers of diagnostic radiographers, nuclear medicine radiographers, therapeutic radiographers, ultrasound radiographers and radiography assistants established and kept in accordance with section 24 of the Act, must contain, in addition to the particulars specified by subsection (3) of that section, particulars of the additional qualifications registered in accordance with subsection (4) of section 32 of the Act against the name of a person appearing in a register, including any change in any of the particulars recorded in the register.

#### **Restoration of name to register**

6. An application in accordance with section 26 of the Act for the restoration of the name of a person to a register, in addition to the documents and particulars specified in subsection (2) of that section, must be accompanied by -

- (a) the original registration certificate issued in the name of the applicant under section 21(4)(b) of the Act, or if for any reason the original certificate cannot be submitted, proof to the satisfaction of the Council that the applicant had been so registered; and
- (b) a certified copy of the identity document or passport of the applicant.

PART V  
GENERAL

**Language of forms and documents**

7. (1) Subject to subregulation (2), any form or document that must be submitted to the Council or to the registrar in terms of these regulations must be in the English language.

(2) Any form or document referred to in subregulation (1) that is not in the English language must be accompanied by a sworn translation thereof into that language, acceptable to the Council.

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