



Start today for tomorrow's career

BDS grants several opportunities across fields like general dental practice, specialist dental practice, teaching, dental research, the dental products manufacturing industry, public health service, hospital service and Army, Navy and Air Force services.

Become a dentist and promote oral health care

Dentistry is the evaluation, diagnosis, prevention and treatment of diseases, disorders and conditions of the oral cavity, maxillofacial area and the adjacent and associated structures, and their impact on the human body.



Highlights

You will learn to take a patient-centric comprehensive approach to clinical care and to be a reflective practitioner, committed to life-long learning. In addition, you will apply skills, knowledge, behaviour and abilities to practice safely, efficiently, ethically and independently, evolving your competencies under the supervision of highly trained and experienced international supervisors.

Bachelor of Dental Surgery (BDS)



A radiant smile is a precious gift you can offer.

RAKMHSU's Bachelor of Dental Surgery (BDS) program comprises of six months of general education, two years of basic medical and dental sciences, and two-and-a-half years of clinical dental sciences. This is followed by a year of internship for those wishing to practice dentistry in the UAE. The total duration of the program is five years followed by one year of internship.

The curriculum has been developed to cultivate internationally competent oral health care professionals. They will be specially trained to improve the oral health status of the community through outreach programs, and contributing research to the understanding of its biological, behavioural, biomedical and clinical aspects.

Furthermore, the curriculum prepares dental students for evidence-based dental practice in a changing health care environment, acquiring basic medical and dental knowledge and the skills that will allow the professional, ethical and humane practice of dentistry.

The program is focused on promoting the acquisition of expertise, attitude and behaviour that facilitate effective and appropriate interaction with patients and colleagues. Its goal is to produce caring, knowledgeable, competent and skilful oral specialists who recognize and accept the obligation to practice in the best interests of patients at all times.

Important dates

Applications will be received online and by post from **1st March** onwards.

Last date for receipt of applications: **15th July**.

Late applications will be received up to **12th August** subject to availability of seats.

Applications of candidates fulfilling all the admission requirements will be processed immediately and the applicant will be informed of the admission status at the earliest.

Student orientation, registration and commencement of classes: **18th September**.



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All programs are granted initial accreditation by CAA, Ministry of Higher Education, UAE. Listed in IMED (International Medical Education Directory) <https://imed.faimer.org>



RAK Medical & Health Sciences University



The brand new building of the RAK College and Hospital of Dental Sciences, ready to accommodate students and patients by September 2010.

RAK Medical & Health Sciences University. Just the right place for you.

Student life and campus facilities

RAKMHSU is located in a self-sufficient campus next to Saqr Hospital and RAK Hospital. Set in the quiet and serene Al Qusaidat neighbourhood in Ras Al Khaimah, the new campus has state-of-the-art lecture halls, a well-stacked central library, well-equipped nursing skills laboratories, IT resources and computer services. An added attraction is the large, hi-tech large auditorium with theatre-type seating; hence ideal for regular conferences, CME Programs, seminars, teleconferencing and so on. In addition, there are recreational and sports facilities for male and female students, cafeteria and prayer halls. Academic counselling and Student Visas are also provided by the University.

How to get in - admission criteria

UAE NGSSE: An aggregate of 80% in Physics, Chemistry and Biology in 12th grade/UAE National General Secondary School Examination (NGSSE) or equivalent with a minimum of 70% in Physics, Chemistry and Biology individually.

British Curriculum, IGCSE, GCSE, GCE: Two AS-levels with C Grade after completion of five O-levels with minimum Grade C. Courses must include Physics, Chemistry and Biology with at least two of them at AS-level and one at O-level.

American High School Diploma: An aggregate score of 80% is required. If Biology is not taken in 12th Grade, a SAT II score of 550 in Biology is mandatory.

International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma: Must have completed any six courses

including Biology and Physics OR Biology and Chemistry at the higher level and three at standard level, with IB score of at least 25.

Pakistan Boards/Certificates: Higher Secondary School Certificate with aggregate of 75% in Physics, Chemistry and Biology (Part 1 and Part 2 total) with minimum 60% in each of these courses.

Indian Boards/Certificates: All India Senior School Certificate/CBSE XII Std with 75% aggregate in Physics, Chemistry and Biology with at least 60% in each of the three.

For Indian State Board Examinations, 80% aggregate in Physics, Chemistry and Biology with at least 70% in each of these three courses is required.

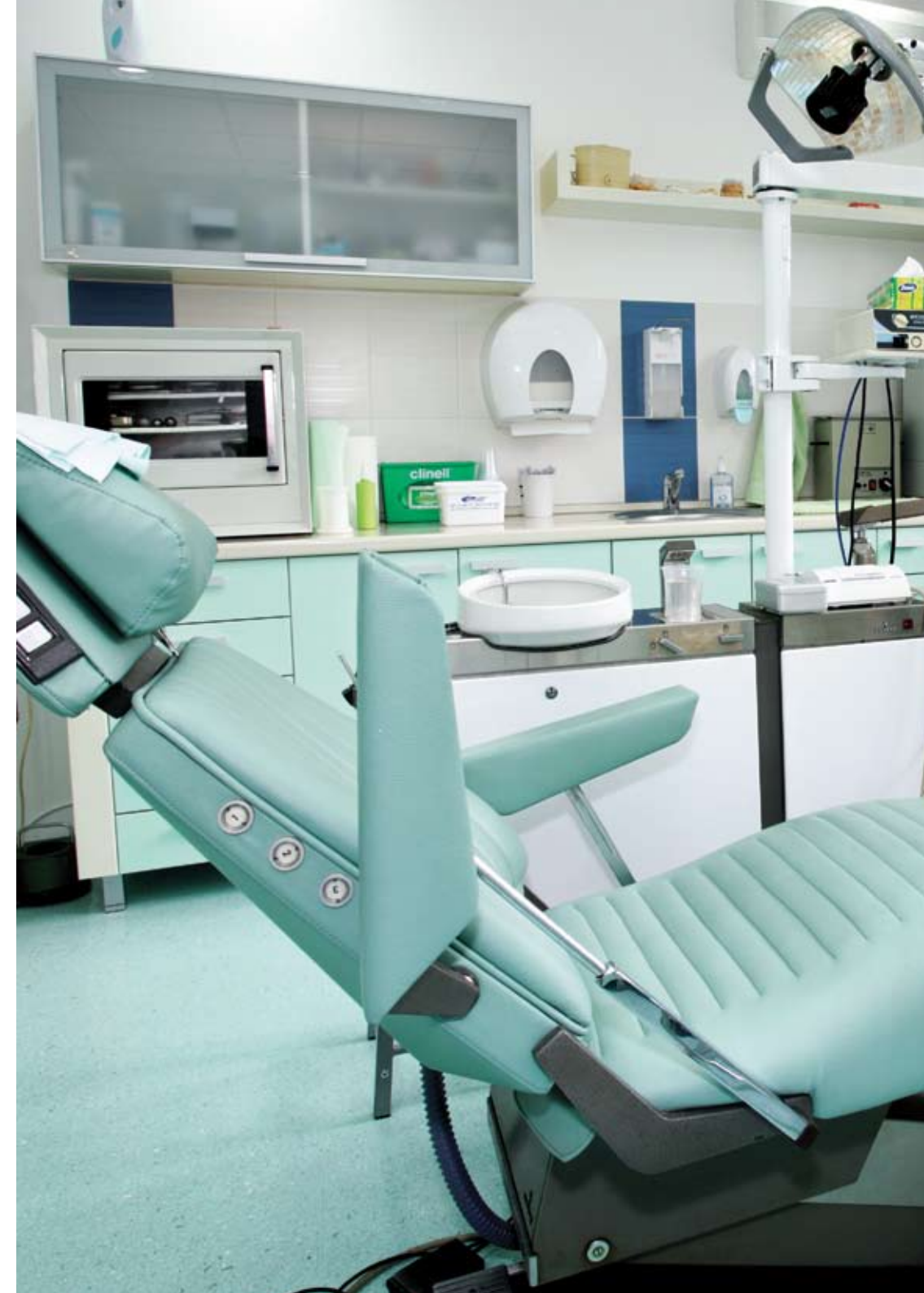
Iranian Certificate: Completion of Pre-University year (Grade 12) with 80% aggregate in Physics, Chemistry and Biology.

Meritorious students get special scholarships

15% concession in the tuition fee is provided for all students securing above 90% in aggregate of Physics, Chemistry and Biology in 12th Grade/UAE NGSSE/equivalent and up to 20% of tuition fee is provided for those scoring above 95%. This concession is limited to the first semester only.

A student who secures a GPA of 3.75 or above on a 4.0 scale in any semester of the program shall be entitled for a concession of 20% in the tuition fee for the next semester.

Full scholarship in tuition fee is provided to suitable UAE National students who have secured high scores in UAE NGSSE/12th grade by Sheikh Saqr Program for Government Excellence (Government of RAK).



Fee Structure

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| At the time of admission (one time payment only) | |
| Application fee | AED 250 |
| Admission fee | AED 2000 |
| Lab and library caution deposit (refundable) | AED 2000 |
| Fee for one semester (payable at the beginning of every semester) | |
| Tuition fee | AED 25000 |
| Examination fee per course per semester | AED 200 |
| Other fee (for one year, payable at the beginning of each academic year) | |
| Student activity fee | AED 5000 |
| Visa fee (If applicable) | AED 1500 |
| Health insurance fee (for those not having health insurance coverage) | AED 1600 |
| Transportation fee per semester (for day scholars) (payable at the beginning of the semester availing facility) | |
| From Dubai, Sharjah, Ajman | AED 4000 |
| From Umm Al Quwain & Fujairah | AED 3500 |
| From Ras Al Khaimah | AED 2500 |

Fees above are applicable for the academic year 2010-2011. Fees are payable semester-wise, prior to commencement of the semester.

Late registration fee: AED 500 if fees are not paid latest by the first day of the new semester.

Exam fee: AED 200 per course, per semester. It varies slightly from semester to semester depending on the number of courses. Example: If there are 5 courses in a semester, 5x200 or AED 1000 per semester.

Health Insurance card is mandatory. RN-BSN Bridge Program students should have a valid Health Insurance card from the government or should be adequately covered under health insurance by a current employer.

Lab Caution Deposit, a one-time payment, will be refunded on leaving the institution subject to no damage or loss to items/property.

Students will be required to buy instruments and personal protective gear including uniforms, masks, gloves etc. as required.

Student Residence Facility: The Government of RAK has built state-of-the-art student residence facilities in the American University of Ras Al Khaimah (AURAK) Campus for students pursuing higher education in institutions in Ras Al Khaimah including RAKMHSU. For details, contact Admissions Office, RAKMHSU or AURAK, Tel: +971 7 2210500, Fax: +971 7 2210300, www.aurak.ae

Students and parents may please note that AURAK will be responsible for the fixation/revision of residence fee, discipline and conduct of the students in the residence, maintenance and upkeep of the facilities.

Students will be required to make their own transportation arrangements to commute to the University.

Mode of Payment: Cash/cheque at the Admissions Office. Electronic transfer information:

Beneficiary : RAK Medical and Health Sciences University or RAKMHSU
A/c No. : 1000-857464

Bank : Commercial Bank of Dubai
Branch : RAK Branch, Al Nakheel Area, Ras Al Khaimah, UAE

Swift : CBDUAEAD
Tel : 07-2286266
Fax : 07-2285545

Only the Net Amount Credited into our bank account is considered. For Telex Transfers, please add AED 75 towards bank charges. After remittance through bank transfer, scan and email or fax us the transaction receipt to 0097172269998 to help track the payment.

Refund Policy

Refund requests should be made at the Office of Registration through a written request enclosing ID card and original fee receipt. Refund will be made only after clearance of dues, if any. The refund policy applies to all semesters. On approval of the refund claim, the amount shall be refunded as mentioned below.

Refund of Tuition Fee

| Refund Request Time | Amount Eligible for Refund |
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| Any time after admission, before orientation/commencement of classes | Tuition fee paid will be refundable after deducting AED 2,000. |
| Within 15 days from orientation/commencement of classes | 50% of tuition fee for the semester will be refunded. |
| After 15 days from student orientation/commencement of classes | No refund. |

Note: Students who do not report for orientation, registration and classes for any reasons should submit fee refund claim within 15 days from the date of orientation. No refunds will be entertained later.

Refund of Transport Fee: Students not availing transport within two weeks of commencement of classes will be refunded 50% of the transport fee. Beyond two weeks, the fee paid is non-refundable.

RAK College of Dental Sciences

RAK College of Dental Sciences offers Bachelor of Dental Surgery. The BDS program has Initial Accreditation granted by the Commission for Academic Accreditation (CAA), Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research, UAE.

Other programs at RAKMHSU

- Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MBBS)
- Bachelor of Pharmacy (B Pharm)
- Bachelor of Science in Nursing (B Sc Nursing)
- RN-BSN Bridge Program

All the above programs are granted Initial Accreditation by CAA, Ministry of Higher Education, UAE.

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Forthcoming programs

- M Sc in Laser in Dentistry (In co-operation with RWTH Aachen University)
- M Sc Nursing* (Speciality Adult Health Nursing/Nursing Administration)
- M Pharm (Pharmacy Practice/Pharmaceutical Chemistry)

*Proposed programs will only be offered subject to accreditation by Ministry of Higher Education & Scientific Research, UAE.