

Scope of Knowledge for Master of Psychiatry MedEx

The entrance examination consists of:

- 30 True-False multiple choice questions (MCQ)
 - o There is no minus marking.
 - o Questions on neuroscience and basic psychiatry.
- 10 One Best Answer (OBA) questions
 - o Questions on psychiatric disorders encompassing the clinical assessment, diagnosis and clinical management.

The duration of the examination is 1 hour 30 minutes.

The examination will cover the topics briefly described below:

1. **Neurosciences**

This comprises scientific disciplines of neuroanatomy, neurophysiology, neurochemistry, psychopharmacology, psycho-immunology, genetics and psychological sciences. These are essential knowledge which form the basis of understanding majority of psychiatric disorders.

2. **Basic Psychiatry**

This comprises phenomenology and psychopathology, socio-cultural, religion and spirituality in psychiatry. The knowledge forms the fundamental basis in understanding symptoms formation and clinical disorders in psychiatry.

3. **Psychiatric Disorders**

This comprises common psychiatric disorders and associated conditions. The knowledge is essential in the clinical assessment, diagnosis and clinical management.